**1978 No. 136**

## PETROLEUM PRODUCTION

### Petroleum Production (Fees) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1978

*Made* . . . . . *26th May* 1978

*Coming into operation* . . . . *1st July* 1978

The Department(a) of Commerce, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by section 13 of the Petroleum (Production) Act (Northern Ireland) 1964(b) and of every other power enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following Regulations:—

*Citation and commencement*

**1.** These Regulations may be cited as the Petroleum Production (Fees) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1978 and shall come into operation on 1st July 1978.

*Amendment of fees*

**2.** Regulation 4 of the Petroleum Production (Licences) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1965(c) shall be amended by substituting therein "three pounds" for "one pound".

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Commerce for Northern Ireland on 26th May 1978.

(L.S.) *J. D. Thompson*
Assistant Secretary

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EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This note is not part of the Regulations but is intended to indicate their general purport.)*

These Regulations amend the Petroleum Production (Licences) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1965 and prescribe an increased fee for the granting of petroleum licences under the Petroleum (Production) Act (Northern Ireland) 1964.

(a) Formerly Ministry: *see* 1973 c. 36 s. 40 and Sch. 5 para. 8(1)
(b) 1964 c. 28 (N.I.)
(c) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1965 No. 47 (p. 235)