"The Ministry" means the Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland.

6. The Unemployment Insurance (Courts of Referees) Regulations, 1920, the Unemployment Insurance (Courts of Referees) (Amending) Regulations, 1921, the Unemployment Insurance (Courts of Referees) (Amending) (No. 2) Regulations, 1921, and the Unemployment Insurance (Courts of Referees) (Amending) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1923, are hereby revoked in so far as those Regulations apply to Northern Ireland, but such revocation shall not affect any right, privilege, obligation or liability acquired, accrued or incurred under any of those Regulations.

7.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Unemployment Insurance (Courts of Referees) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1928, and shall have effect and be deemed to have had effect as from the nineteenth day of July, 1928.

(2) The Interpretation Act, 1921, applies to the interpretation of these Regulations as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

Given under the Official Seal of the Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland this 27th day of August, 1928.

(Signed) *R. R. Bowman,*
(L.S.) Assistant Secretary to the Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland.

Exempt Persons.

THE UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE (EXEMPT PERSONS) REGULATIONS (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1928, DATED JUNE 27, 1928, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR FOR NORTHERN IRELAND UNDER THE UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE ACT, 1920 (10 AND 11 GEO. 5, C. 30).

1928. No. 61.

The Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland by virtue of the powers conferred on it by the Unemployment Insurance Act, 1920, as adapted to Northern Ireland by the Government of Ireland (Adaptation of Unemployment Insurance Acts) Order, 1922, and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf hereby makes the following regulations :—

1.—(i) In these Regulations unless the context otherwise requires :—

"The Acts" means the Unemployment Insurance Acts (Northern Ireland), 1920 to 1928.

"Employed person" shall have the same meaning as in the Acts.

"The Ministry" means the Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland.

"A person over 65" shall have the same meaning as in the Contributory Pensions and Unemployment Insurance (Collection of Contributions for Persons over 65) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1928.

"Unemployment Book" shall have the same meaning as in the Unemployment Insurance (Collection of Contributions) Regulations, 1920.

(ii) The Interpretation Act, 1921, shall apply to the interpretation of these Regulations as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

2.—(1) Any employed person, not being a person over 65 who can prove that he is either—

(*a*) in receipt of any pension or income of the annual value of twenty-six pounds or upwards, which does not depend on his personal exertions; or

(*b*) ordinarily and mainly dependent for his livelihood upon some other person; or

(*c*) ordinarily and mainly dependent for his livelihood on the earnings derived by him from an occupation employment in which does not make him an employed person within the meaning of the Acts; or

(*d*) a person who is employed in an occupation which is of a seasonal nature and does not ordinarily extend over more than eighteen weeks in any year and who is not ordinarily employed in any other occupation, employment in which would make him an employed person within the meaning of the Acts,

may apply to the Ministry for an Unemployment Insurance Exemption Certificate exempting him from liability to be insured under the Acts, and every application for such a certificate shall be made on the appropriate form prescribed in the first schedule hereto, or in such other form as the Ministry may deem expedient and shall be forwarded to the Ministry in such manner as it may from time to time direct.

(2) Every person making application for an Unemployment Insurance Exemption Certificate, or for the renewal of such a certificate shall—

(*a*) state fully and correctly all particulars required to be given in the form of application; and

(*b*) make a full disclosure of all facts on which he relies to show that he is entitled to exemption; and

(*c*) furnish such further evidence in relation to his application as the Ministry may in any particular case require.

3.—(1) An Unemployment Insurance Exemption Certificate shall be in the form prescribed in the Second Schedule hereto, or

in such other form as the Ministry may deem expedient, and any employed person who shows that he is the holder of an Unemployment Insurance Exemption Certificate, or of a certificate of exemption granted under the provisions of Section two of the National Health Insurance Act, 1924, shall be entitled to an Unemployment (Exempt Persons) Book in place of an Unemployment Book, and so long only as the holder of a certificate of exemption granted under the National Health Insurance Act, 1924, is the rightful holder of an Unemployment (Exempt Persons) Book that certificate shall have effect as an Unemployment Insurance Exemption Certificate.

(2) An Unemployment (Exempt Persons) Book shall be in such form as the Ministry may from time to time direct, and any Regulations for the time being in force with regard to the issue, custody and stamping of Unemployment Books shall, so far as they are not inconsistent, apply to the issue, custody and stamping of Unemployment (Exempt Persons) Books.

4.—(1) An Unemployment Insurance Exemption Certificate shall remain in force for such period, not exceeding five years, from the date of its being granted or renewed, as may be specified in the certificate.

Provided that :—

(*a*) if while the certificate is in force the circumstances of the exempt person alter in such a way as to disentitle him to exemption, or if he attain the age of 65 the certificate shall thereupon become void ; and

(*b*) if at any time the exempt person gives notice to the Ministry that he desires that the certificate of exemption granted to him shall be cancelled, the certificate shall be cancelled accordingly, and shall thereupon become void as from such date as the Ministry may determine.

(2) An Unemployment Insurance Exemption Certificate which has expired or become void shall be surrendered forthwith by the holder thereof to the Ministry, or otherwise as the Ministry may direct, together with a statement in such form as the Ministry may direct of the circumstances in which the certificate is surrendered, and any employed person surrendering an expired or void Unemployment Insurance Exemption Certificate or Certificate of Exemption granted under the provisions of the National Health Insurance Act, 1924, shall at the same time surrender to an Employment Exchange, or otherwise as the Ministry may direct, the Unemployment (Exempt Persons) Book held by him.

Provided that for the purposes of this provision paragraph (ii) of Regulation 3 of the Contributory Pensions and Unemployment Insurance (Collection of Contributions for Persons over 65) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1928, shall not apply.

(3) Where an exempt person desires to obtain a renewal of his Unemployment Insurance Exemption Certificate he may if he can prove that he will after the expiration of that certificate continue to be qualified under the first paragraph of Regulation 2 of these Regulations, make application to the Ministry before the expiration of his certificate for the renewal thereof in such a manner as the Ministry may direct.

5. The Unemployment Insurance (Exempt Persons) Regulations, 1920, are hereby revoked, but such revocation shall not affect any right, privilege, obligation or liability acquired, accrued or incurred under those Regulations.

6. These regulations may be cited as the Unemployment Insurance (Exempt Persons) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1928, and shall be deemed to have had effect as from the 19th day of April, 1928.

Given under the Official Seal of the Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland, this 27th day of June, 1928.

(L.S.) (Signed) *J. S. Godden,*
Assistant Secretary to the Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

FOR OFFICIAL USE.

(It is essential that this information should be inserted before the claim form is issued.)

Name of Local Office issuing this form.	Particulars of Regular Unemployment Book.
	Local Office.....Ser. No.....

MINISTRY OF LABOUR FOR NORTHERN IRELAND.

Application for a Certificate of Exemption under the Unemployment Insurance Acts (Northern Ireland), 1920 to 1928.

INSTRUCTIONS TO PERSONS APPLYING FOR EXEMPTION.

(1) Application for a Certificate of Exemption from Unemployment Insurance may be made by any employed person who is either—

(*a*) in receipt of any pension or income of the annual value of twenty-six pounds or upwards which does not depend upon his (her) personal exertions, or

(*b*) ordinarily and mainly dependent for his (her) livelihood upon some other person, or

(*c*) ordinarily and mainly dependent for his (her) livelihood on the earnings derived by him (her) from an occupation, employment in which does not make him (her) an employed person within the meaning of the above Acts, or

(*d*) employed in an occupation which is of a seasonal nature, and does not ordinarily extend over more than eighteen weeks in any year, and who is not ordinarily employed in any other occupation, employment in which would make him (her) an employed person within the meaning of the above Acts.

(2) YOU SHOULD NOT COMPLETE THIS FORM—

(*a*) unless you are actually employed or contemplate employment in the near future.

(*b*) if you are the holder of a current Certificate of Exemption granted under the National Health Insurance Act, 1924.

(3) Directions in regard to the completion of the relevant parts of this claim form are given on pages 2 and 3.

(4) This application when completed and duly witnessed should be posted as directed overleaf, together with the form of application for an Exempt Person's Book (U.I.3/E.). Postage need NOT be prepaid.

PART I. To be completed by all applicants.

(1) What is your Full Name? (If a woman, state whether "MRS." or "Miss."	(1).....
(2) What is the address of your usual place of residence? (the full postal address should be given.)	(2).....
(3) At what rate are Contributions being paid in respect of you at the present time for—	(3) (*a*).....
(*a*) Health and Pensions Insurance	
(*b*) Unemployment Insurance?	(*b*).....
(4) (*a*) What is the nature of the employment in respect of which this application is made?	(4) (*a*).....
(*b*) When did it start or when will it start?	(*b*).....
(*c*) What is your average weekly remuneration from this employment?	(*c*).....
(including the value of any food or lodging received as part remuneration).	
(*d*) Who is or will be your employer?	(*d*).....
(*e*) What is his business?	(*e*).....
(*f*) At what address will the work be done?	(*f*).....

PART II. Particulars to be given by a person claiming exemption on the ground that he (she) is :—

(A) In receipt of a pension or income of the annual value of £26 or upwards, which does not depend upon his (her) personal exertions.

[N.B.—In claiming exemption on the ground of income it is not necessary that you should disclose the whole of your income ; but you must be prepared to prove that the income disclosed is sufficient to entitle you to exemption.]

(1) State the source from which your pension or income is derived *(see marginal note before giving these particulars)* :—

	The gross amount of Pension or Income. £ s. d.	Gross Total of Pension or Income upon which Claim is based. £ s. d.
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In the case of **pension** give full particulars of the authority from whom it is received, number of pension paper, etc., *and state whether it is permanent or temporary. If the latter give date of cessation or revision.*

In the case of income full and separate references should be given as to the source of each item, *e.g.*, name of person, class, denomination, *capital value and rate of interest of any stocks or shares*, full addresses and rentals of houses, land, etc.

If any of the items of Pension or Income mentioned above are liable to any deductions state the nature of the deductions (see marginal note) :—

	Amount of Deductions. £ s. d.	Total of Deductions. £ s. d.
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.....	: :	
.....	: :	
.....	: :	: :
.....	: :	

All expenses which are borne by the claimant should be included as deductions, *e.g.*, such items as mortgages, repairs, cost of collection of rent, rates, ground rent, &c., should be stated.

	Net total of Pension or Income upon which the Claim is based. £ s. d.
	: :

PART III. Particulars to be given by a person claiming exemption on the ground that he (she) is—

(B) Ordinarily and mainly dependent for his (her) livelihood upon some other person.

(2) (*a*) Is your employment continuous throughout the year or for a part of the year only ? If the latter, state for what period.	(2) (*a*).....
(*b*) Have you any other earnings ? If so, state the amount and the nature of the occupation in which they are received.	(*b*).....
(3) State (*a*) Name of person on whom you are dependent.	(3) (*a*).....
(*b*) His (or her) relationship (if any) to you.	(*b*).....
(*c*) His (or her) home address. The postal address in full should be given.	(*c*).....
	.....
(4) The estimated total weekly cost of your maintenance including board, lodging and clothes.	(4).....

PART IV. Particulars to be given by a person claiming exemption on the ground that he (she) is—

(C) Ordinarily and mainly dependent for his (her) livelihood on the earnings derived by him (her) from an occupation, employment in which does not make him (her) an employed person within the meaning of the Unemployment Insurance Acts.

In answering questions (5) and (6) you should refer only to that *employment which renders you liable to compulsory insurance.*

(5) How many hours a day and days a week are occupied by the employment in respect of which this application is made ? (5).....

(6) Is it continuous throughout the year or for a part of the year only ? If the latter, state for what period. (6).....

In answering questions (7) to (10) you should refer only to your *non*-insurable occupation on which you claim that you are ordinarily and *mainly* dependent.

(7) (*a*) What is the occupation on which you claim to be ordinarily and mainly dependent ? (7) (*a*).....

(*b*) By whom are you so employed ? (*b*).....

(*c*) What is the address of this Employer at which the occupation is carried on ? (*c*).....

(*d*) What is the business of your Employer ? (*d*).....

(*e*) When did this employment start ? (*e*).....

(8) State on what grounds you consider that this occupation does not render you liable to compulsory insurance ? (8).....

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(9) State your average earnings a year from this occupation.* (9) .....

(10) State whether this occupation is continuous throughout the year. If not, for what period in the year are you engaged in it ? (10) .....

*If your present occupation has continued for three years or upwards, the average earnings for the past three years should be given.

PART V. Particulars to be given by a person claiming exemption on the grounds that he (she) is—

(D) Employed in an occupation which is of a seasonal nature and does not ordinarily extend over more than eighteen weeks in any year and is not ordinarily employed in any other occupation, employment in which would make him (her) an employed person within the meaning of the Unemployment Insurance Acts.

(11) In what occupation(s) (if any) have you been employed during the past three years when you were not engaged in the employment described in Part I (4) ? (11) .....

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(12) In respect of (EACH OF) the occupation(s) referred to in (11) (using a separate sheet if necessary) state— (12) (*a*).....

(*a*) By whom you are so employed

(*b*) What is the address of this Employer at which the occupation is carried on ? (*b*).....

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(*c*) What is the business of this Employer ? (*c*).....

(*d*) When did the employment start and finish ? (*d*).....

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(*e*) On what grounds do you consider that this occupation does not render you liable to compulsory insurance ? (*e*).....

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PART VI. To be completed in All Cases.

DECLARATION.

I have clearly understood the above questions, and to the best of my knowledge and belief all the statements made by me in this claim are correct, and so far as I know I am entitled to a Certificate of Exemption from Unemployment Insurance, and I hereby make application for such a Certificate.

Signature (or Mark) of Claimant.....
Date.....

If any person fails to state fully and correctly all particulars required to be given in the above form of application, or to make a full disclosure of all facts on which he relies to show that he is entitled to exemption or to furnish such further evidence in relation to his application as the Ministry may in any particular case require or otherwise refuses or neglects to comply with any of the requirements of the Regulations dealing with exemption, he is liable for each offence on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding £10.

CERTIFICATE OF WITNESS.*

I certify that the person whose signature (or mark) appears in the declaration opposite is known to me and has made this declaration in my presence, and to the best of my knowledge and belief the statements made herein are correct.

Signature .....
Qualification* .....
Address.....
.....
Date.....

*The persons qualified to witness this form are (1) A Justice of the Peace; (2) A Commissioner of Oaths; (3) A Minister of Religion; (4) A Medical Practitioner; (5) A Commissioned Officer in the Navy, Army, or Air Force; (6) A Pension Officer, Health Insurance Inspector, Manager of an Employment Exchange or other Responsible Government Official; (7) A Member or Officer of an Insurance Committee; (8) The claimant's present or last employer.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

MINISTRY OF LABOUR FOR NORTHERN IRELAND.

UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE ACTS (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1920 TO 1928

CERTIFICATE OF EXEMPTION.

No. N..... Date,.....19.....

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that.....residing at .....

is exempted from liability to become or to continue to be insured under the Unemployment Insurance Acts (Northern Ireland), 1920 to 1928, until.....
.....19.....

On behalf of the Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland.

Assistant Secretary.

Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland,
Ormeau Avenue,
Belfast.