(3) The fees prescribed by these rules shall be collected by means of stamps impressed on the reference for hearing or the Award, as the case may be.

2. On every reference for the hearing of any matter by the Arbitrator there shall be paid the fee of £1.

3. On every Award the following fees shall be charged in respect of proceedings before the Arbitrator, namely a fee calculated at the rate of £6 6s. in respect of each day spent by the Arbitrator in hearing any matter or claim referred to him, and at the rate of £1 5s. per hour or part of an hour in respect of each period shorter than one day. For the purposes of this rule—

(*a*) A day shall be taken to be a working period of five hours;

(*b*) any time spent by the Arbitrator in viewing any land which is the subject-matter of the proceedings before him shall be treated as part of the hearing;

(*c*) the minimum fee shall be £6 6s.

4. The fees prescribed in Rule 3 of these rules shall be in addition to the Stamp Duty charged on Awards by the Stamp Act, 1891.

5. The Acquisition of Land (Assessment of Compensation) Fees Rules (N.I.), 1927, are hereby revoked in so far as they relate to arbitration in respect of land authorised to be acquired by any local authority or any public authority as defined for the purposes of the Act, but without prejudice to the application of the said Rules to any proceedings in respect of which an official Arbitrator had been appointed prior to the 4th day of June, 1928.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland this fourth day of July 1928, in the presence of

G. C. Duggan,
Assistant Secretary.

(L.S.)

LEGITIMACY.

Re-registration of Births.

MADE BY THE REGISTRAR-GENERAL UNDER THE SCHEDULE TO THE LEGITIMACY ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1928, AND THE BIRTHS AND DEATHS REGISTRATION ACTS (IRELAND), 1863 TO 1880.

1928. No. 57.

The Registrar-General for Northern Ireland, in pursuance of the Schedule to the Legitimacy Act (Northern Ireland), 1928, and the Births and Deaths Registration Acts (Ireland), 1863 to 1880, and with the approbatio nof the Lords Justices of Northern Ireland, hereby makes the following Regulations :—

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Legitimacy (Re-registration of Births) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1928, and shall come into operation on the first day of July, 1928.

2. Subject as hereinafter provided, re-registration of the birth of a legitimated person, when authorised by the Registrar-General, shall be effected by the registrar of the district in which the birth took place, in the presence of one of the persons required by section 1 of the Births and Deaths Registration Act (Ireland), 1880 to give information of the particulars to be registered concerning a birth, and such person, hereinafter referred to as an "informant," shall attend at the office of the registrar of that district for the purpose of effecting re-registration, and shall sign the register.

3. In authorising the re-registration of the birth of a legitimated person, the Registrar-General may direct the form in which any or all of the information furnished to him with a view to obtaining re-registration of the birth of a legitimated person shall be entered in the register, and may also direct which of the persons mentioned in the preceding article shall attend at the office of the registrar and sign the register.

4. An informant who has removed before re-registration from the district in which the birth of a legitimated person took place may, with the consent of the Registrar-General, instead of attending personally at the office of the registrar to sign the register, make and sign a declaration in such form as the Registrar-General may require, of the information to be entered in the register; and the registrar of the district in which the birth took place, on receiving such declaration and the authority of the Registrar-General for the re-registration of the birth, shall re-register the birth notwithstanding that no informant is present, and shall insert a reference to the declaration in the column of the register relating to the informant, who shall be deemed to have signed the register.

5.—(1) If the informant resides within Northern Ireland, any declaration to be made pursuant to the preceding article shall be made before the registrar of the district in which the informant resides, who shall attest the declaration.

(2) If the informant resides in any other part of His Majesty's dominions, such declaration may be made before a person or authority there authorised to administer oaths.

(3) If the informant resides outside His Majesty's dominions, such declaration may be made before one of His Majesty's Consuls or Vice-Consuls.

6. Notwithstanding anything contained in these Regulations, the Registrar-General may, subject to the provisions of article 1 of the Schedule to the Legitimacy Act (Northern Ireland), 1928, authorise the re-registration of the birth of a legitimated person in any case in which no informant is available.

7. Every entry of the birth of a legitimated person made on the authority of the Registrar-General shall contain a reference to the fact of such authority having been given.

8. The superintendent registrar or registrar having the custody of the register containing the original entry of the birth of a person whose birth has been re-registered under the Legitimacy Act (Northern Ireland), 1928, shall, on being so directed by the Registrar-General, make in the margin of the original entry a note, which shall for all purposes be deemed to be part of the entry, referring to the re-registration, and also if so directed shall make a certified copy of the original entry including the marginal note, and shall transmit such copy to the Registrar-General.

9. Where information with a view to obtaining re-registration is not furnished to the Registrar-General within the time specified in article 2 of the Schedule to the Legitimacy Act (Northern Ireland), 1928, the following fees shall be payable by the informant or other person obtaining the re-registration :—

(*a*) to the registrar who re-registers the birth, a fee of five shillings ; and,

(*b*) to a registrar who attests a declaration pursuant to article 5 (1) of these Regulations, a fee of two shillings and sixpence.

Witness my hand this 27th day of June, 1928.

L. A. Bullwinkle,
Registrar-General.

Approved,

William Moore.

MALONE TRAINING SCHOOL.

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REGULATIONS MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS WITH THE APPROVAL OF THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE, IN PURSUANCE OF THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 3 (3) OF THE MALONE TRAINING SCHOOL ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1926.

1928. No. 131.

The Ministry of Home Affairs, in exercise of the powers vested in it by Section 3 (3) of the Malone Training School Act (Northern