1. The currency of any Ulster Savings Certificate issued on or after the 1st February 1951, and before the 1st August 1956 (in these Regulations referred to as a "certificate of the Eighth Issue"), shall be prolonged to a date twenty-two years after the date of purchase of that certificate.

2. Interest shall be added after the seventeenth anniversary of the date of purchase up to and including the twenty-second anniversary of that date at the rate of fourpence in respect of each unit certificate of the Eighth Issue for each completed period of four months with a further addition of sixpence per unit certificate on the twenty-second anniversary of the date of purchase.

3. These Regulations may be cited as the Ulster Savings Certificates (Eighth Issue) Regulations 1967, and shall be construed as one with the Ulster Savings Certificates Regulations 1962 to 1967(a), and those Regulations and these Regulations may be cited together as the Ulster Savings Certificates Regulations 1962 to 1967.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland this 23rd day of October 1967 in the presence of

(L.S.) *James Reid,*
Assistant Secretary.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of these Regulations but is intended to indicate their general purport.)

These Regulations extend the currency of Ulster Savings Certificates of the Eighth Issue for a further five years, i.e. from seventeen to twenty-two years, with interest at the rate of one shilling per year for each unit certificate and an additional sixpence per unit certificate at the end of the twenty-second year.

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FOYLE FISHERIES

Foyle Area (Elections to Advisory Council) Regulations 1967

REGULATIONS, DATED 10TH AUGUST 1967, MADE BY THE FOYLE FISHERIES COMMISSION WITH THE APPROVAL OF THE MINISTER FOR AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES IN THE IRISH REPUBLIC UNDER SECTION 13 OF THE FOYLE FISHERIES ACT, 1952, AND OF THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE FOR NORTHERN IRELAND UNDER SECTION 13 OF THE FOYLE FISHERIES ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1952.

The Foyle Fisheries Commission, hereinafter referred to as the Commission, in exercise of its powers under Section 13 and Paragraphs 3 and 4 of the

(a) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1962, No. 36; 1963, No. 83; 1964, No. 59; 1964, No. 113; 1964, No. 210; 1965, No. 192; 1965, No. 195; 1966, No. 25; 1966, No. 46; 1966, No. 100; 1967, No. 33; 1967, No. 74; 1967, No. 227.

Fourth Schedule to the Foyle Fisheries Act 1952, and Section 13 and Paragraphs 3 and 4 of the Fourth Schedule to the Foyle Fisheries Act (Northern Ireland) 1952, hereby makes the following regulations:—

1. These regulations may be cited as the Foyle Area (Elections to Advisory Council) Regulations 1967, and shall come into force on the ninth day of October 1967.

2. In these regulations any reference to a fishing licence of a particular kind shall be construed as a reference to a licence of that kind issued by the Commission in the election year in pursuance of the Foyle Area (Licensing of Fishing Engines) Regulations 1960 as amended.

3. The Foyle Area shall be divided into two electoral divisions viz:—

(*a*) An upper electoral division comprising the waters of the River Foyle to the south of the line across that River formed by the southernmost boundary of the County of Londonderry, and any waters connected with the said river which enter it to the south of that line.

(*b*) A lower electoral division comprising all the waters of the Foyle Area other than those comprised in the upper electoral division.

4. There shall be elected to the Advisory Council—

(*a*) in the upper electoral division two members (hereinafter referred to as rod licensee members) elected by persons holding salmon rod licences, four members (hereinafter referred to as net licensee members) elected by persons holding fishing licences other than salmon rod licences, and one member (hereinafter referred to as a ratepayers' member) elected by rated occupiers of fisheries,

(*b*) in the lower electoral division two rod licensee members, three net licensee members and one ratepayers' member.

5.—(1) The persons entitled by law to vote at an election for elected members of the Advisory Council shall vote in either of the two electoral divisions as follows—

(*a*) In the upper electoral division

(i) every holder of a licence for a draft net to be used in the Foyle tideway within that division,

(ii) every holder of a licence for a draft net to be used in any part of the Foyle Area other than the Foyle tideway who resides to the south of the boundary line mentioned in Paragraph 3,

(iii) every holder of a season licence for a salmon rod who resides to the south of the said boundary line,

(iv) every person who is entitled to vote as a rated occupier of a fishery or fisheries situated in the said upper electoral division.

(*b*) (i) In the lower electoral division every holder of a licence for a draft net to be used in the Foyle tideway within that division,

(ii) every holder of a stake net, bag net or drift net licence,

(iii) every holder of a licence for a draft net to be used in any part of the Foyle Area other than the Foyle tideway who resides to the north of the said boundary line,

(iv) every holder of a season licence for a salmon rod who resides to the north of the said boundary line.

(v) every person who is entitled to vote as a rated occupier of a fishery or fisheries situate in the said lower electoral division.

(2) For the purposes of this Paragraph—

(*a*) a licence holder who ordinarily resides in the Foyle Area shall be deemed to reside at the address appearing on his fishing licence,

(*b*) a licence holder who ordinarily resides outside the Foyle Area shall be deemed to reside at the place where the licence was issued.

6.—(1) In each election year a returning officer shall be appointed by the Commission.

(2) After the 9th and not later than the 30th day of October 1967 and after the 1st and not later than the 10th day of October in each third year thereafter the returning officer shall publish a notice in two or more newspapers circulating in the Foyle Area stating the number of rod licensee members, net licensee members, and ratepayers' members as the case may be, to be elected to the Advisory Council and shall invite nominations for the election of members of the Council.

(3) The notice shall state the offices or persons from whom the nomination papers can be obtained and shall specify a day on or before which they must be received by the returning officer.

7. An Elector (being the holder of a season licence for a salmon rod, the holder of a net licence, or the rated occupier of a fishery) may nominate the name or names of any person or persons including himself (not exceeding the number of rod licensee members, net licensee members, or ratepayers' members as the case may be), to be elected in the division in which the elector is entitled to vote, which particulars shall be included on the nomination paper. The nomination paper having been duly signed by the elector, the nominee or nominees, and witnessed by one other elector resident in the same division as the nominating elector, shall be delivered by the nominating elector to the returning officer on or before the specified day.

8. If the number of persons nominated for election as a particular class of member in an electoral division is equal to or less than the number of such persons to be elected in that division the persons nominated shall be deemed to be elected and shall be certified as elected by the returning officer under his hand.

9. If the number of persons nominated for election as a particular class of member in an electoral division exceeds the number of such members to be elected in that division, the returning officer shall send by post to each elector for that particular class of member in that division, a voting paper containing in alphabetical order, the names of all persons so nominated and shall specify a day not less than five days or more than ten days from the date of sending the voting paper on or before which the voting paper is to be delivered to him. The voting papers may be sent to the returning officer by post.

10.—(1) Every voter shall insert against the name of every candidate for whom he intends to vote the number of votes (not exceeding in the whole the number of votes to which he is entitled) which he intends to give to the candidate and sign the voting paper with his name and address.

(2) A voter may give all his votes to one candidate or distribute them among such of the candidates (not exceeding the number to be elected) as he thinks fit.

(3) If a voter in an electoral division (being the holder of a season licence for a salmon rod, the holder of a licence other than a salmon rod licence or a rated occupier of a fishery) votes for more candidates than the number of rod licensee members, net licensee members or ratepayers' members, as the case may be, to be elected in that division his voting paper shall be void.

11.—(1) Each voter being the holder of a season licence for a salmon rod or the holder of a licence other than a salmon rod licence shall be entitled to the number of votes following:—

if the licence duty paid by him in and for the election year amounts to not less than £3 and does not exceed £10, one vote;
if such licence duty exceeds £10 and does not exceed £20, two votes;
if such licence duty exceeds £20 and does not exceed £30, three votes;
if such licence duty exceeds £30, four votes.

(2) Each voter being the rated occupier of a fishery or fisheries in the Foyle Area shall be entitled to the number of votes following in addition to the vote or votes (if any) to which he may be entitled under sub-paragraph (1):—

If the fishery rate paid by him as rated occupier of such fishery or fisheries in the fishery year next preceding the election does not exceed £10, one vote;
if such fishery rate exceeds £10 and does not exceed £20, two votes;
if such fishery rate exceeds £20 but does not exceed £30, three votes;
if such fishery rate exceeds £30, four votes.

12. The voter shall send the voting paper to the returning officer duly completed and signed on or before the day fixed for its return.

13. If an elector has not received a voting paper he shall be entitled on his personal application to the returning officer before the day fixed for the return of the voting papers to receive and fill in a voting paper in the manner aforesaid.

14. The returning officer shall, within four days after the day fixed for return to him of the voting papers, inquire into the validity of the votes given, and cast up and ascertain the number of valid votes given to each candidate, and the candidates, not exceeding the number to be elected, who have obtained the greatest number of valid votes shall be deemed to be elected, and the returning officer shall certify them to be elected under his hand.

15. If an equal number of votes has been given for two or more candidates for election as a particular class of member in an electoral division, one or more of whom only is or are entitled to be so elected, the returning officer shall, in the presence of two witnesses, determine by lot which of such candidates is or are elected, and the candidate or candidates so determined shall be deemed to be duly elected.

16. The returning officer shall, immediately after ascertaining the persons elected, send by post to each person elected a notice of his election.

17. The returning officer shall make out a list containing the names of all persons nominated together (in cases of contest) with the number of valid votes given to each candidate and shall sign and certify the same and shall deliver such list together with the nomination and voting papers to the Commission, and such list shall be open to the inspection of all electors without fee.

18. The nomination and voting papers shall be prescribed and printed by the returning officer in accordance with the provisions of these regulations.

19. If any difficulty arises with respect to any election to the Advisory Council the Commission may by writing under its seal do anything which appears necessary or expedient for the proper holding of any such election.

20. The Foyle Area (Elections to Advisory Council) Regulations 1952 are hereby revoked.

Given under the Official Seal of the Foyle Fisheries Commission this 10th day of August 1967.

(L.S.)

W. G. Malcolm,
Member of the Commission nominated by the Ministry.

E. O'Kelly,
Member of the Commission nominated by the Minister.

The Ministry of Agriculture for Northern Ireland hereby approves of the foregoing regulations.

(L.S.)

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Agriculture for Northern Ireland this 22nd day of August 1967.

J. V. Bateman,
Assistant Secretary.

The Minister for Agriculture and Fisheries hereby approves of the foregoing regulations.

(L.S.)

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Minister for Agriculture and Fisheries this 5th day of October 1967.

D. P. O'Sullivan,
Assistant Secretary.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations and does not purport to be a legal interpretation)

The effect of these regulations is to revise the arrangements made under the Foyle Area (Elections to Advisory Council) Regulations 1952 for the nomination of members for an election to that Council and to increase the number of members representing net licensees in the lower electoral division from two to three.

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NATIONAL INSURANCE

Mariners

REGULATIONS, DATED 26TH OCTOBER 1967, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES, IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE, UNDER THE NATIONAL INSURANCE ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1966.

The Ministry of Health and Social Services, in conjunction with the Ministry of Finance, in exercise of powers conferred by section 95 of the National Insurance Act (Northern Ireland) 1966(a), and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following regulations:

Citation and commencement

1. These regulations, which may be cited as the National Insurance (Mariners) Amendment (No. 2) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1967, shall be read as one with the National Insurance (Mariners) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1967(b) (hereinafter referred to as "the principal regulations") and shall come into operation on 30th October 1967.

Amendment of regulation 5 of the principal regulations

2. The amounts by which the weekly rates of employer's contributions payable in respect of a mariner employed as master or a member of the crew of any foreign-going ship are reduced, shall be increased, and accordingly in regulation 5(1) of the principal regulations there shall be substituted—

(*a*) in sub-paragraph (*a*) (persons over the age of 18) for the words "one shilling and a penny" the words "one shilling and fivepence"; and

(*b*) in sub-paragraph (*b*) (persons under the age of 18) for the words "sevenpence-halfpenny" the words "ninepence-halfpenny".

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland this 26th day of October 1967.

(L.S.) *H. A. Lowry,*
Assistant Secretary.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland this 26th day of October 1967.

(L.S.) *James V. Morrison,*
Assistant Secretary.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

The National Insurance Act (Northern Ireland) 1967 increased the rates of flat-rate national insurance contributions, and these regulations make consequential amendments to certain provisions of the National Insurance (Mariners) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1967 relating to employers' contributions in respect of mariners employed on foreign-going ships.

(a) 1966. c. 6 (N.I.). (b) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1967, No. 108.