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Board of Trade, Great George Street, London, S.W.1.

The Board of Trade hereby give notice that they have made the following Order:---

PETROLEUM TESTING APPARATUS FEES ORDER, 1923.

This Order has been published as Statutory Rules and Orders, 1923, No. 943, and copies of the same can be purchased (Price 1d net) either directly or through any bookseller, from His Majesty's Stationery Office at the following addresses:—Imperial House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 28 Abingdon Street, London, S.W.1; 37 Peter Street, Manchester; 1 St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; or 120 George Street, Edinburgh.

THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS FOR NORTHERN IRELAND.

To the Guardians of the Poor of the Ballycastle Union;

To the Guardians of the Poor of the Coleraine Union;

And to all others whom it may concern:

WHEREAS, by section 1 of the Poor Relief (Ireland) Act, 1914, as amended by section 23 (4) of the Local Government (Emergency Provisions) Act, 1916, it is enacted in effect as follows:—

(1) The Local Government Board for Ireland may by order modify or repeal the provisions of section 9 of the Poor Relief (Ireland) Act 1847 (which prohibits the giving of relief from the poor rates of a union to any person not within the union when so relieved), so far as respects any union specified in the order if, in the opinion of the Board, the modification or repeal is necessary or expedient for the better administration of the Poor Relief (Ireland) Acts, 1838 to 1900, and may by the same or any subsequent order make or provide for such adjustments and apportionments of the property, powers, duties, income, liabilities, and expenses of any Board of Guardians or other local authority affected as appear to the Board to be proper:

(2) An order under this section may contain such consequential, incidental, and supplemental provisions as the Board may deem necessary, and shall have effect as from any date which may be specified therein for the purpose :

And Whereas by virtue of the Government of Ireland Act, 1920, the functions of the Local Government Board for Ireland as regards services in Northern Ireland have been transferred to the Ministry of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland.

And Whereas it is necessary and expedient for the better administration of the Poor Relief (Ireland) Acts, 1838 to 1900, that the provisions of section 9 of the Poor Relief (Ireland) Act, 1847, should as respects the Ballycastle Union and the Coleraine Union be modified in order that certain destitute poor persons being inmates of the Workhouse of or otherwise relieved in the Ballycastle Union may be lawfully removed to and relieved in Coleraine Union and it is necessary to make and specify the provisions hereinafter appearing with respect to the said Unions:

Now Therefore We, the Ministry of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland, in exercise of the powers vested in Us by the Poor Relief (Ireland Acts, 1838 to 1914, as extended by Section 23 (4) of the Local Government (Emergency Provisions) Act, 1916, and of all other powers in this

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