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CHARTERED AND OTHER BODIES
(TEMPORARY PROVISIONS).

ELECTION OF BELFAST HARBOUR
COMMISSIONERS.

Order in Council dated the 21st March, 1944, made under section two and four of the Chartered and Other Bodies (Temporary Provisions) Act (Northern Ireland), 1940.

BY THE GOVERNOR IN THE PRIVY
COUNCIL OF NORTHERN IRELAND.

ABERCORN.

Whereas by the Belfast Harbour Commissioners (Postponement of Elections) Order (Northern Ireland), 1940 (hereinafter referred to as "the principal Order"), and by the Belfast Harbour Commissioners (Postponement of Elections) (No. 2) Order (Northern Ireland), 1942, and the Belfast Harbour Commissioners (Postponement of Elections) (No. 3) Order (Northern Ireland), 1943, (hereinafter referred to as "the amending Orders"), made under sections two and four of the Chartered and Other Bodies (Temporary Provisions) Act (Northern Ireland), 1940, provision was made for extending the term of office and postponing the election of Belfast Harbour Commissioners and for incidental and consequential matters, and directions were given, as appearing in the principal Order as varied by the amending Orders:

And whereas application has been made on behalf of the said Commissioners praying that the Governor of Northern Ireland may be pleased to make a further Order in Council varying the Orders made with respect to them under the said sections:

Now, therefore, I, James Albert Edward, Duke of Abercorn, Knight of the Most Noble Order of the Garter, Knight of the Most Illustrious Order of Saint Patrick, Governor of Northern Ireland, by and with the advice of the Privy Council of Northern Ireland, in exercise of the powers conferred upon me by sections two and four of the Chartered and Other Bodies (Temporary Provisions) Act (Northern Ireland), 1940, and of all

other powers enabling me in that behalf, do hereby order as follows:—

1. The elections of one-third of the Commissioners which would, apart from the principal Order and the amending Orders, have been held under the Harbour Acts (as in the principal Order defined), in the years nineteen hundred and forty-one, nineteen hundred and forty-two, and nineteen hundred and forty-three, shall be further postponed, respectively, until the years nineteen hundred and forty-six, nineteen hundred and forty-seven and nineteen hundred and forty-eight, and the term of office of Commissioners holding office at the date of this Order shall be further extended accordingly.

2. The principal Order, as varied by the amending Orders, shall have effect as if, for the reference in paragraph (1) of Article 2 thereof to the year nineteen hundred and forty-five, there were substituted a reference to the year nineteen hundred and forty-six.

3. This Order may be cited as the Belfast Harbour Commissioners (Postponement of Elections) (No. 4) Order (Northern Ireland), 1944, and shall be construed as one with the principal Order.

Given at Stormont Castle, Belfast, this twenty-first day of March, 1944.

BASIL BROOKE.
J. M. SINCLAIR.
WILLIAM LOWRY.
WILLIAM GRANT.
S. H. HALL-THOMPSON.
ROBERT MOORE.
HARRY MIDGLEY.
ROLAND NUGENT.

CIVIL AUTHORITIES (SPECIAL POWERS)
ACTS (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1922 to 1943.

Whereas there is reason to believe that assemblies of persons have been or are about to be convened for the purpose of holding meetings or processions in Northern Ireland to commemorate the rebellion of Easter Week, 1916, or for the promotion of the objects of the Irish Republican Army or any other unlawful Association: