O. 1972, No. 89) which came into operation on 17th April, 1972.

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MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES

SUPPLEMENTARY BENEFITS ACTS (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1966 TO 1971

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of powers conferred by sections 4 and 18(1) of, and paragraph 2(3) of Schedule 2 to, the Supplementary Benefits &c. Act (Northern Ireland) 1966, and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, the Ministry of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland, with the consent of the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland, has made regulations entitled the Supplementary Benefit (General) Amendment Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1972 (S.R. & O. 1972, No. 98).

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Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of powers conferred by section 18(1) of the Supplementary Benefits &c. Act (Northern Ireland) 1966 and by section 2 of the Social Security Act (Northern Ireland) 1971. and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf. the Ministry of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland has made regulations entitled the Supplementary Benefit (Recovery by Deductions from Earnings) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1972 (S.R. & O. 1972, No. 105).

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INLAND REVENUE

AN ACCOUNT pursuant to the Bankers (Northern Ireland) Acts, 1845 and 1928, the Currency and Bank Notes Act, 1928, and the Coinage Act, 1971, of the Amount of Notes authorised by Law to be issued by the several Banks of Issue in Northern Ireland, and the Average Amount of Notes in Circulation, and of Bank of England Notes and Coin held during the Four Weeks ended Saturday, the 8th day of April, 1972.

| Name and fitle as set forth on Licence | Name of the Firm | Approved offices | Circulation authorised by the Bankers (Northerm Ireland) Act, 1928 | Average Circulation during 4 weeks ended as above | | | Average amount of Bank of England Notes and Coin held during 4 weeks ended as above | | |
|--|---|----------------------------|--|---|----------|-----------------------------|---|---------------------------------|------------|
| | | | | £5 and upwards | Under £5 | Total | *Gold and Bank of England Notes | Coin other than Gold Coin | Total |
| The Bank of Ireland | The Governor and Company of the Bank of Iretand | | £ | £ | ٤ | 3 | £ | E | 3 |
| | | { Belfast { Londonderry | †794,258 | 3,160,683 | 723.227 | 3,883,910 | 3,281,982 | 113,494 | 3,395,476 |
| The Provincial Bank of Ireland, Limited | The Provincial Bank of Ireland, Limited | { Belfast { Londonderry | †220,000 | 2,683,449 | 356,353 | 3. 0 39 ,8 02 | 3,027,984 | 64,410 | 3,092,394 |
| The Northern Bank Limited | The Northern Bank Limited | { Belfast { Londonderry | 594,000 | | 828,467 | 13,152,371 | 14,285,885 | 591,907 | 14,877,792 |
| The Ulster Bank Limited | The Ulster Bank Limited | Belfast | 290.000 | 6,340,197 | 699,183 | 7,039,380 | 7,011,697 | 234,329 | 7,246,026 |
| The National Bank Limited | The National Bank Limited | { Belfast { Londonderry | 120,000 | 137,085 | 19.987 | 157,072 | 175,000 | - | 175,000 |

I hereby certify that each of the Bankers named in the above Return, who have in circulation an amount of Notes beyond that authorised by the Bankers (Northern Ireland) Act, 1928, have with the exception of the Bank of Ireland held an amount of Bank of England Notes and Gold and Coin other than Gold Coin not less than that which they are required by the Treasury to hold during the period to which this Return relates.

Dated 18th day of April, 1972.

A. A. E. E. ETTINGHAUSEN, Registrar of Bank Returns.

These amounts are the latest amounts approved by the Treasury

•This column includes Bank of England Notes deposited at the Bank of England which, by virtue of Section 9(1) of the Currency and Bank Notes Act, 1928, are to be treated as gold coin held by the Bank.

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