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FRIDAY, JULY 1, 1927.

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 27th day of June, 1927.

PRESENT,

The KING'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council

WHEREAS by Section 69 of the Government of Ireland Act, 1920, His Majesty is empowered by Order in Council to make such Regulations as seem necessary or proper for setting in motion the Parliament and Government of Northern Ireland and also for any other matter for which it seems to His Majesty necessary or proper to make provision for the purpose of bringing the said Act into full operation or for giving full effect to any provision of the said Act; and in particular His Majesty is empowered amongst other things by any such Order in Council to make such adaptation of any enactments as appear to Him necessary or proper with respect to the execution of reserved services:

And whereas the public services in connection with the Supreme Court of Northern Ireland are reserved services:

And whereas Sub-section (5) of Section 28 of the Purchase of Land (Ireland) Act, 1891, as adapted by Orders made under the Government of Ireland Act, 1920, provides that if and when the Judicial Commissioner is temporarily unable to attend, or his office is vacant, the Lord Chief Justice of Northern Ireland may nominate any judge of the High Court of Northern Ireland to act temporarily in his place, and the judge so nominated shall during such inability or vacancy have the same jurisdiction as if he were the Judicial Commissioner:

And whereas by the Land Purchase (Northern Ireland) Order, 1923, the powers of the Lord Chief Justice of Northern Ireland under the said sub-section were saved notwithstanding anything in that Order:

And whereas in consequence of the smallness of the number of judges of the High Court of Northern Ireland as constituted by the Government of Ireland Act, 1920, it is necessary, in order to prevent the dislocation of judicial business, that the power aforesaid should be exercisable, not only with respect to judges of the High Court, but also the judges of the Court of Appeal of Northern Ireland:

And whereas the provisions of Section one of the Rules Publication Act, 1893, have been complied with:

Now, therefore, His Majesty is pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Land Purchase (Northern Ireland) Order, 1927.

2. Sub-section (5) of Section 28 of the Purchase of Land (Ireland) Act, 1891, shall have effect as if for the words "judge of the High Court" there were substituted the words "judge of the Supreme Court."

*M. P. A. Hankey.*

### PRISON OFFICERS' SUPERANNUATION.

ORDER of the Lords Justices of Northern Ireland, dated June 16th, 1927, applying the Superannuation (Prison Officers) Act, 1919, to certain officers employed in the H.M. Prisons in Northern Ireland, and revoking any prescription heretofore made under the said Act.

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BY THE LORDS JUSTICES OF  
NORTHERN IRELAND.

WM. MOORE.

JAMES ANDREWS.

In pursuance of the powers vested in us by the Superannuation (Prison Officers) Act, 1919, as that Act applies in Northern Ireland as well under and in pursuance of the provisions of the