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## State Intelligence

### NORTHERN IRELAND OFFICE

#### EXPLOSIVES ACT 1875

Whereas Mr. William James Armstrong (1028) was on the 15th day of February, 1977, appointed an Inspector for Northern Ireland under the Explosives Act 1875:

And whereas the said Mr. William James Armstrong is no longer available for the duties of an Inspector:

Now, therefore, in pursuance of Section 53 of the said Act the Secretary of State hereby directs that the said Mr. William James Armstrong shall from this day cease to exercise the powers and perform the duties of an Inspector under the said Act.

*J. R. Ingram, Assistant Secretary.*

Dundonald House,  
Belfast.  
8th March, 1979.

Whereas Mr. Robert Alexander Neely (926) was on the 17th day of June, 1975, appointed an Inspector for Northern Ireland under the Explosives Act 1875:

And whereas the said Mr. Robert Alexander Neely is no longer available for the duties of an Inspector:

Now, therefore, in pursuance of Section 53 of the said Act the Secretary of State hereby directs that the said Mr. Robert Alexander Neely shall from this day cease to exercise the powers and perform the duties of an Inspector under the said Act.

*J. R. Ingram, Assistant Secretary.*

Dundonald House,  
Belfast.  
8th March, 1979.

Whereas Mrs. Elizabeth Esther Harbinson (818) was on the 17th day of June, 1975, appointed an Inspector for Northern Ireland under the Explosives Act 1875:

And whereas the said Mrs. Elizabeth Esther Harbinson is no longer available for the duties of an Inspector:

Now, therefore, in pursuance of Section 53 of the said Act the Secretary of State hereby directs that the said

Mrs. Elizabeth Esther Harbinson shall from this day cease to exercise the powers and perform the duties of an Inspector under the said Act.

*J. R. Ingram, Assistant Secretary.*

Dundonald House,  
Belfast.  
8th March, 1979.

Whereas Mr. Robert James Lavery (030) was on the 28th day of March, 1974, appointed an Inspector for Northern Ireland under the Explosives Act 1875:

And whereas the said Mr. Robert James Lavery is no longer available for the duties of an Inspector:

Now, therefore, in pursuance of Section 53 of the said Act the Secretary of State hereby directs that the said Mr. Robert James Lavery shall from this day cease to exercise the powers and perform the duties of an Inspector under the said Act.

*J. R. Ingram, Assistant Secretary.*

Dundonald House,  
Belfast.  
8th March, 1979.

### OFFICE OF FAIR TRADING

#### MONOPOLY REFERENCE: TAMPONS

The Director General of Fair Trading in exercise of his powers under sections 47(1), 49(1) and 50(1) of the Fair Trading Act 1973 hereby refers to the Monopolies and Mergers Commission the matter of existence or possible existence of a monopoly situation in relation to the supply in the United Kingdom of tampons.

The Commission shall upon this reference investigate and report in relation to such supply on the questions whether a monopoly situation exists and, if so:

- (a) by virtue of which provisions of section 6 of that Act that monopoly situation is to be taken to exist;
- (b) in favour of what person or persons that monopoly situation exists;
- (c) whether any steps (by way of uncompetitive practices or otherwise) are being taken by that person or those persons for the purpose of exploiting or maintaining the monopoly situation and, if so, by what uncompetitive practices or in what other way;