STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

# 1977 No. 1250 (N.I. 17)

Family Law Reform (Northern Ireland) Order 1977

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[26th July 1977]

## FAMILY LAW REFORM (NORTHERN IRELAND) ORDER 1977

### PART I

#### INTRODUCTORY

- 1. Title and commencement
- 2. Interpretation

#### PART II

#### PROPERTY RIGHTS OF ILLEGITIMATE CHILDREN

Arts. 3, 4 rep. with saving by 1995 NI 2... Art. 5 rep. by 1994 NI 13 Art. 6 rep. with saving by 1995 NI 2 Art. 7 rep. by 1979 NI 8

#### PART III

#### PROVISIONS FOR USE OF BLOOD TESTS IN DETERMINING PATERNITY

- 8. Power of court to require use of blood tests
- 9. Consents, etc., required for taking of blood samples
- 10. Power to provide for manner of giving effect to direction for use of blood tests
- 11. Failure to comply with direction for taking blood tests
- 12. Penalty for personating another, etc., for purpose of providing blood sample
- 13. Interpretation of Part III

#### PART IV

#### MISCELLANEOUS

 Rebuttal of presumption as to legitimacy and illegitimacy Art. 15 rep. by 1995 NI 2 Art. 16 effects repeals

**Changes to legislation:** There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Family Law Reform (Northern Ireland) Order 1977.