

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

**LICENSING (INDOOR ARENAS)
(NORTHERN IRELAND) ORDER 2004**

BACKGROUND AND POLICY OBJECTIVES

CONSULTATION

MAIN ELEMENTS OF THE ORDER

COMMENTARY ON ARTICLES

Article 1: Title and commencement

Article 2: Interpretation

Article 3: Meaning of “indoor arena”

Article 4: Licences for indoor arenas

Article 5: Attachment of conditions to licences

Article 6: Temporary continuance of business

Article 7: Additional permitted hours and suitability for functions

Article 8: Requirements with respect to sale of intoxicating liquor

COMMENCEMENT