STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

2002 No. 298

Fixed-term Employees (Prevention of Less Favourable Treatment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2002

PART I

GENERAL AND INTERPRETATION

Comparable employees

- **2.**—(1) For the purposes of these Regulations, an employee is a comparable permanent employee in relation to a fixed-term employee if, at the time when the treatment that is alleged to be less favourable to the fixed-term employee takes place
 - (a) both employees are
 - (i) employed by the same employer, and
 - (ii) engaged in the same or broadly similar work having regard, where relevant, to whether they have a similar level of qualification and skills; and
 - (b) the comparable employee works or is based at the same establishment as the fixed-term employee or, where there is no comparable employee working or based at that establishment who satisfies the requirements of sub-paragraph (a), works or is based at a different establishment and satisfies those requirements.
- (2) For the purposes of paragraph (1), an employee is not a comparable permanent employee if his employment has ceased.