STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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The Representation of the People (Electronic Communications and Amendment) (Northern Ireland) Regulations 2018

PART 4

Amendment of the Representation of the People (Northern Ireland) Regulations 2008

Communication of applications, notices etc.

- 11.—(1) In regulation 5 (communication of applications, notices etc)—
 - (a) after "notice," insert "reminder,",
 - (b) for "representation or objection" substitute "representation, objection or any other communication that is sent".
- (2) In regulation 26 (reminders to electors registered pursuant to a declaration), in paragraph (2), after "reminder" insert "in writing".
- (3) In regulation 26A (reminders to persons who have an anonymous entry), in paragraph (2), after "reminder" insert "in writing".
- (4) In regulation 27 (applications for registration), in paragraph (7), after "applicant", in the first place where it occurs, insert "in writing".
- (5) In regulation 30 (procedure for determining applications for registration and objections without a hearing)—
 - (a) in paragraph (6), for "ask for" substitute "request in writing",
 - (b) in paragraph (10), after "notice" insert "in writing",
 - (c) in paragraph (11), after "notice", in the first place where it occurs, insert "in writing",
 - (d) in paragraph (13), after "notice" insert "in writing",
 - (e) in paragraph (14), after "notice", in the first place where it occurs, insert "in writing".
 - (6) In regulation 31 (notice of hearing), in paragraph (1), after "notice" insert "in writing".
 - (7) In regulation 38 (hearing of reviews), in paragraph (2), after "notice" insert "in writing".
- (8) In regulation 38E (review of entitlement to an anonymous entry), in paragraphs (5)(b) and (7)(b), after "officer" insert "in writing".
- (9) In regulation 45 (communication of notices made on polling day), in paragraph (3), after "forward it" insert "in writing".
- (10) In regulation 62 (grant or refusal of applications), in paragraphs (1), (4) and (5), after "applicant" insert "in writing".
- (11) In regulation 63 (notice of appeal), after "notice", in paragraph (1), in the first place where it occurs, insert "in writing".
- (12) In regulation 75 (notice of issue of postal ballot papers), in paragraph (2), after "candidate" insert "in writing".