WELSH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2013 No. 634 (W.70)

NATIONAL ASSISTANCE SERVICES, WALES

The National Assistance (Assessment of Resources) (Miscellaneous Amendments) (Wales) Regulations 2013

Made - - - -	*15 March 2013*
Laid before the National Assembly for Wales - -	*18 March 2013*
Coming into force - -	*8 April 2013*

The Welsh Ministers, in exercise of the powers conferred upon the Secretary of State by section 22(4) and (5) of the National Assistance Act 1948(**1**), and now vested in them(**2**) make the following Regulations.

Title, commencement, interpretation and application

1.—(1) The title of these Regulations is the National Assistance (Assessment of Resources) (Miscellaneous Amendments) (Wales) Regulations 2013.

(2) These Regulations come into force on 8 April 2013.

(3) In these Regulations "the Principal Regulations" ("*Y Prif Reoliadau*") means the National Assistance (Assessment of Resources) Regulations 1992(**3**).

(4) These Regulations apply in relation to Wales.

Amendment of the Principal Regulations

2.—(1) The Principal Regulations are amended as follows.

(2) In paragraph (1) of regulation 2, after the definition of "permanent resident" insert—

""personal independence payment" means personal independence payment under Part 4 of the Welfare Reform Act 2012;"(**4**).

(3) In Schedule 3 (sums to be disregarded in the calculation of income other than earnings)—

(a) in paragraph 4 after "disability living allowance" insert—

(**1**) 1948 c. 29.
(**2**) The functions of the Secretary of State under section 22(4) and (5) of the National Assistance Act were transferred to the National Assembly for Wales by the National Assembly for Wales (Transfer of Functions) Order 1999 (S.I.1999/672) and transferred to the Welsh Ministers by paragraph 30 of Schedule 11 of the Government of Wales Act 2006 (c. 32).
(**3**) S.I.1992/2977.
(**4**) 2012 c. 5.