STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2017 No. 437

SOCIAL SECURITY

The Mesothelioma Lump Sum Payments (Conditions and Amounts) (Amendment) Regulations 2017

Made - - - -	*16th March 2017*
Coming into force - -	*1st April 2017*

The Secretary of State for Work and Pensions makes the following Regulations in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 46(3) and 53(1) and (2)(b) of the Child Maintenance and Other Payments Act 2008(**1**).

In accordance with section 53(3)(**2**) of the Child Maintenance and Other Payments Act 2008, a draft of this instrument was laid before Parliament and approved by resolution of each House of Parliament.

Citation, commencement and application

1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Mesothelioma Lump Sum Payments (Conditions and Amounts) (Amendment) Regulations 2017 and come into force on 1st April 2017.

(2) Regulation 2(a) applies only in relation to a person—

(a) first diagnosed with diffuse mesothelioma on or after 1st April 2017; or

(b) where the date of the first diagnosis with diffuse mesothelioma is unknown, if a claim under section 46(1) of the Child Maintenance and Other Payments Act 2008 is made by that person on or after 1st April 2017.

(3) Regulation 2(b) applies only in relation to the dependant of a person who dies on or after 1st April 2017 and who, immediately before their death, had diffuse mesothelioma.

Amendment of the Schedule to the Mesothelioma Lump Sum Payments (Conditions and Amounts) Regulations 2008

2. In the Schedule to the Mesothelioma Lump Sum Payments (Conditions and Amounts) Regulations 2008(**3**)—

(a) for Table 1 substitute—

(**1**) 2008 c. 6.
(**2**) Section 53 was amended by the Welfare Reform Act 2012 (c. 5), Schedule 11, paragraph 18.
(**3**) S.I. 2008/1963; S.I. 2015/500 is the relevant amending instrument.

"**Table 1**

Amount of lump sum payment to person with mesothelioma

Age of person with mesothelioma at first diagnosis or, if unknown, date of claim	*Payment* *£*
37 and under	87,473
38	85,772
39	84,075
40	82,378
41	80,677
42	78,979
43	78,132
44	77,278
45	76,432
46	75,582
47	74,732
48	72,358
49	69,981
50	67,599
51	65,224
52	62,840
53	61,144
54	59,447
55	57,751
56	56,046
57	54,349
58	49,934
59	45,516
60	41,106
61	36,687
62	32,272
63	29,552
64	26,833
65	24,120