WELSH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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NATIONAL ASSISTANCE SERVICES, WALES

The National Assistance (Assessment of Resources) (Amendment) (Wales) Regulations 2004

Made - - - -	*30th March 2004*
Coming into force - -	*12th April 2004*

The National Assembly for Wales makes the following Regulations in exercise of the powers conferred upon the Secretary of State by section 22(5) of the National Assistance Act 1948(**1**) and now vested in the National Assembly for Wales(**2**).

Citation, commencement, interpretation and application

1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the National Assistance (Assessment of Resources) (Amendment) (Wales) Regulations 2004 and come into force on 12th April 2004.

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

(3) These Regulations apply to Wales only.

Amendment of Principal Regulations — Capital Limits

2.—(1) The Principal Regulations are amended in accordance with the following paragraphs of this regulation.

(2) In regulation 20 (Capital limit), for the figure "£20,000"(**4**), substitute the figure "£20,500".

(3) In regulation 28(1) (Calculation of tariff income from capital), for the figure "£12,250"(**5**), where it appears, substitute the figure "£13,500" and for the figure "£20,000"(**6**), substitute the figure "£20,500".

(**1**) 1948 c. 29; section 22(5) of the National Assistance Act 1948 was amended by section 39(1) of and paragraph 6 of Schedule 6 to the Ministry of Social Security Act 1966 (c. 20), by section 35(2) of and paragraph 3(b) of Schedule 7 to the Supplementary Benefits Act 1976 (c. 71), by section 20 of and paragraph 2 of Schedule 4 to the Social Security Act 1980 (c. 30), and by section 86 of and paragraph 32 of Schedule 10 to the Social Security Act 1986 (c. 50).
(**2**) The functions of the Secretary of State under section 22(5) of the National Assistance Act 1948 were transferred to the National Assembly for Wales by the National Assembly for Wales (Transfer of Functions) Order 1999 (S.I.1999/672).
(**3**) S.I. 1992/2977; relevant amending instruments are S.I. 1996/602, S.I. 2002/814 (W.94) and S.I.2003/897 (W. 117).
(**4**) This figure was inserted in relation to Wales by S.I. 2003/897 (W.117).
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