STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

2010 No. 351

SOCIAL SECURITY

The Social Fund (Cold Weather Payments) (General) (Amendment No. 2) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2010

Made - - - -	*22nd October 2010*
Coming into operation	*1st November 2010*

The Department for Social Development makes the following Regulations in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 134(2) and 171(1), (3) and (4) of the Social Security Contributions and Benefits (Northern Ireland) Act 1992(**1**) and now vested in it(**2**).

Citation, commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Social Fund (Cold Weather Payments) (General) (Amendment No.2) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2010 and shall come into operation on 1st November 2010, immediately after the Social Fund (Cold Weather Payments) (General) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2010(**3**) come into operation.

(2) The Interpretation Act (Northern Ireland) 1954(**4**) shall apply to these Regulations as it applies to an Act of the Assembly.

Amendment of the Social Fund (Cold Weather Payments) (General) Regulations

2. In regulation 3 of the Social Fund (Cold Weather Payments) (General) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1988(**5**) (prescribed amount)(**6**) for "£8.50" substitute "£25".

Revocations

3. The following Regulations are revoked—

(a) Regulation 6 of the Social Fund (Cold Weather Payments) (General) (Amendment No. 2) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1991(**7**); and

(**1**) 1992 c. 7; section 171(1) was amended by paragraph 5 of Schedule 4 to the Tax Credits Act 2002 (c. 21)
(**2**) *See* Article 8(b) of S.R. 1999 No. 481
(**3**) S.R. 2010 No. 344
(**4**) 1954 c. 33 (N. I.)
(**5**) S.R. 1988 No. 368; relevant amending Regulation is S.R.1995 No. 387
(**6**) Regulation 3 was substituted by regulation 2 of S.R. 1995 No. 387
(**7**) S.R. 1991 No. 464