STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

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EMPLOYMENT

WORK AND FAMILIES

The Employment Rights (Northern Ireland) Order 1996 (Application of Article 112BB to Adoptions from Overseas) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2010

Made - - - - 9th September 2010

Coming into operation 3rd October 2010

Approved by resolution of the Assembly on 9th November 2010

The Department for Employment and Learning makes the following Regulations in exercise of the powers conferred by Article 112BB(10) of the Employment Rights (Northern Ireland) Order 1996(**1**).

Citation and commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Employment Rights (Northern Ireland) Order 1996 (Application of Article 112BB to Adoptions from Overseas) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2010 and shall come into operation on 3rd October 2010.

Application of Article 112BB of the Employment Rights (Northern Ireland) Order 1996 to adoptions from overseas

2.—(1) Article 112BB of the Employment Rights (Northern Ireland) Order 1996 shall have effect in relation to adoptions from overseas with the modifications of the provisions specified in the first column of the Schedule to these Regulations that are set out opposite those provisions in the second column of that Schedule.

(2) In these Regulations—

"adoption from overseas" means the adoption of a child who enters Northern Ireland from outside the United Kingdom in connection with or for the purposes of adoption which does not involve the placement of a child for adoption under the law of any part of the United Kingdom.

(**1**) S.I. 1996/1919 (N.I. 16); Article 112BB was inserted by Article 6 of the Work and Families (Northern Ireland) Order 2006 (S.I. 2006/1947 (N.I. 16))

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department for Employment and Learning on 9th September 2010.



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