STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

2004 No. 124

SOCIAL SECURITY

Pneumoconiosis, etc., (Workers' Compensation) (Payment of Claims) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2004

Made - - - -	*18th March 2004*
Coming into operation	*11th April 2004*

The Department for Employment and Learning(**1**), in exercise of the powers conferred by Article 11(4) of the Pneumoconiosis, etc., (Workers' Compensation) (Northern Ireland) Order 1979(**2**) and now vested in it(**3**) and of every other power enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following Regulations:

Citation and commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Pneumoconiosis, etc., (Workers' Compensation) (Payment of Claims) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2004 and shall come into operation on 11th April 2004.

Amendment

2. For regulation 2(1) of the Pneumoconiosis, etc., (Workers' Compensation) (Payment of Claims) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2002(**4**) there shall be substituted –

> "**2.**—(1) The principal Regulations shall be amended in accordance with paragraphs (2) to (4) in relation to any case in which a person first satisfies the conditions of entitlement to a payment under the Order on or after the day on which these Regulations come into operation.".

(**1**) Formerly known as the Department of Higher and Further Education, Training and Employment; renamed the Department for Employment and Learning by the Department for Employment and Learning Act (Northern Ireland) 2001 c. 15

(**2**) S.I.1979/925 (N.I. 9); relevant amending legislation is S.I. 1985/1209 (N.I. 16) Article 22, S.I. 1986/1888 (N.I. 18) Schedule 3, paragraph 17 and 1992 c. 9 Schedule 2, paragraph 22

(**3**) The Departments (Transfer and Assignment of Functions) Order (Northern Ireland) 1999 (S.R. 1999 No. 481) transferred functions under the Pneumoconiosis, etc., (Workers' Compensation) (Northern Ireland) Order 1979 to the Department of Higher and Further Education, Training and Employment, now renamed the Department for Employment and Learning

(**4**) S.R. 2002 No. 133