STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

2000 No. 105

SOCIAL SECURITY

The Social Security (Incapacity for Work) (Miscellaneous Amendments No. 2) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2000

Made - - - - 21st March 2000

Coming into operation in accordance with regulation 1

The Department for Social Development, in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 167A, 167C, 167D and 171(3) and (4) of the Social Security Contributions and Benefits (Northern Ireland) Act 1992(**1**), and now vested in it(**2**), and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, by this statutory rule which contains only regulations consequential upon Article 58 of, and paragraph 22(2) of Schedule 8 to, the Welfare Reform and Pensions (Northern Ireland) Order 1999(**3**) and which is made before the end of the period of six months beginning with the coming into operation of those provisions(**4**), hereby makes the following Regulations:

Citation, commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Social Security (Incapacity for Work) (Miscellaneous Amendments No. 2) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2000 and shall come into operation—

(a) for the purposes of this regulation and regulation 3, on 2nd April 2000; and

(b) for the purposes of regulation 2, on 3rd April 2000.

(2) The Interpretation Act (Northern Ireland) 1954(**5**) shall apply to these Regulations as it applies to an Act of the Assembly.

(**1**) 1992 c. 7; section 167A was inserted by Article 7 of the Social Security (Incapacity for Work) (Northern Ireland) Order 1994 (S.I. 1994/1898 (N.I. 12)) and is amended by paragraph 22 of Schedule 8 to the Welfare Reform and Pensions (Northern Ireland) Order 1999 (S.I. 1999/3147 (N.I. 11)); section 167C was inserted by Article 7 of the Social Security (Incapacity for Work) (Northern Ireland) Order 1994 and is substituted by Article 58 of the Welfare Reform and Pensions (Northern Ireland) Order 1999 and section 167D was inserted by Article 8(1) of the Social Security (Incapacity for Work) (Northern Ireland) Order 1994

(**2**) *See* Article 8(*b*) of S.R. 1999 No. 481

(**3**) S.I. 1999/3147 (N.I. 11)

(**4**) *See* section 150(5)(b) of the Social Security Administration (Northern Ireland) Act 1992 (c. 8)

(**5**) 1954 c. 33 (N.I.)