STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

1998 No. 395 (C. 19)

SOCIAL SECURITY

The Social Security (1998 Order) (Commencement No. 2) Order (Northern Ireland) 1998

Made - - - - 13th November 1998

The Department of Health and Social Services, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Article 1(2) and (4) of the Social Security (Northern Ireland) Order 1998(**1**) and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following Order:

Citation and interpretation

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Social Security (1998 Order) (Commencement No. 2) Order (Northern Ireland) 1998.

(2) In this Order any reference to a numbered Article or Schedule is to the Article of, or the Schedule to, the Social Security (Northern Ireland) Order 1998 bearing that number.

Appointed days

2.—(1) Subject to Article 3 of this Order, the day appointed for the coming into operation of—

(a) Article 40 (child support: revision of decisions)—

(i) for the purpose only of authorising the making of regulations, is 16th November 1998, and

(ii) for all other purposes, is 7th December 1998; and

(b) paragraph 31(*a*) of Schedule 6 (minor and consequential amendments) and Article 78(1) in so far as it relates to it, is 16th November 1998.

(2) The day appointed for the coming into operation of Article 72 (power to anticipate pensions up-rating order) is 16th November 1998.

Transitional modifications and savings

3.—(1) References in Article 18(1) and (6) of the Child Support Order (revision of decisions) to a decision of the Department shall be treated as including references to a decision of a child support officer.

(**1**) S.I.1998/1506 (N.I. 10)