STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

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SOCIAL SECURITY

The Universal Credit (Restriction on Amounts for Children and Qualifying Young Persons) (Transitional Provisions) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2019

Made - - - -	*3.00 p.m. on 14th January 2019*
Laid before Parliament	*5.00 p.m. on 14th January 2019*
Coming into operation	*1st February 2019*

The Secretary of State for Work and Pensions makes the following Regulations in exercise of the powers conferred by Articles 15(4) and 48(1) and (2) and paragraphs 1(1) and 3(1)(b) of Schedule 6 to the Welfare Reform (Northern Ireland) Order 2015(**1**) and Article 10(6) of the Welfare Reform and Work (Northern Ireland) Order 2016(**2**).

Those powers are exercisable by the Secretary of State by virtue of Article 4(1)(a) of the Welfare Reform (Northern Ireland) Order 2015.

Citation and commencement

1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Universal Credit (Restriction on Amounts for Children and Qualifying Young Persons) (Transitional Provisions) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2019.

(2) These Regulations come into operation on 1st February 2019.

Amendment to the Universal Credit Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2016

2. In regulation 25A(3) of the Universal Credit Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2016(**3**) (availability of the child element where maximum exceeded) for "in the circumstances" to "Universal Credit (Transitional Provisions) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2016" substitute "if the child or qualifying young person was born before 6th April 2017."

(**1**) S.I. 2015/2006 (N.I. 1). Article 15(4) was amended by Article 10(4) of the Welfare Reform and Work (Northern Ireland) Order 2016 (S.I. 2016/999 (N.I. 1)).
(**2**) S.I. 2016/999 (N.I. 1).
(**3**) S.R. 2016 No. 216. Regulation 25A was inserted by regulation 2(3) of S.R. 2017 No. 79.