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SOCIAL SECURITY

The Social Fund (Cold Weather Payments) (General) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1993

Made	*11th October 1993*
Coming into operation . .	*1st November 1993*

The Department of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by section 134(2) of the Social Security Contributions and Benefits (Northern Ireland) Act 1992(**a**) and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following regulations:

Citation, commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) These regulations may be cited as the Social Fund (Cold Weather Payments) (General) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1993 and shall come into operation on 1st November 1993.

(2) The Interpretation Act (Northern Ireland) 1954(**b**) shall apply to these regulations as it applies to a Measure of the Northern Ireland Assembly.

Amendment of regulation 1A of the Social Fund (Cold Weather Payments) (General) Regulations

2. In regulation 1A(*a*) of the Social Fund (Cold Weather Payments) (General) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1988(**c**) (prescribed description of persons), after "Regulations" there shall be added ", but does not include the allowance specified in paragraph 2A of that Schedule (residential allowances)(**d**)".

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland on 11th October 1993.

(L.S.) *W. G. Purdy*
Assistant Secretary

(**a**) 1992 c. 7
(**b**) 1954 c. 33 (N.I.)
(**c**) S.R. 1988 No. 368; relevant amending regulations are S.R. 1991 No. 487
(**d**) The Schedule referred to is Schedule 2 to S.R. 1987 No. 459; paragraph 2A was inserted by S.R. 1993 No. 149