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SOCIAL SECURITY

The Occupational Pensions (Revaluation) Order (Northern Ireland) 1988

Made . . . . . 9th December 1988

Coming into operation . . 1st January 1989

Whereas the Secretary of State for Social Security has made an order(**a**) under section 52A(1) of the Social Security Pensions Act 1975:

Now, therefore, the Department of Health and Social Services, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Article 53A(1) of the Social Security Pensions (Northern Ireland) Order 1975(**b**) and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following order:

Citation, commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) This order may be cited as the Occupational Pensions (Revaluation) Order (Northern Ireland) 1988 and shall come into operation on 1st January 1989.

(2) In this order "revaluation period" has the same meaning as in Article 53A(2) of the Social Security Pensions (Northern Ireland) Order 1975.

Revaluation percentage

2. For the purposes of Articles 53A and 53B of, and Schedule 1A to, the Social Security Pensions (Northern Ireland) Order 1975(**c**), the revaluation percentage in respect of a revaluation period set out in the first column of the Schedule to this order shall be the percentage set opposite that period in the second column of that Schedule.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Health and Social Services on 9th December 1988.

(L.S.) *P. A. Conliffe*
Assistant Secretary

(a) S.I. 1988/2118

(b) S.I. 1975/1503 (N.I. 15); the definitions of "prescribe" and "regulations" in Schedule 17 to the Social Security (Northern Ireland) Act 1975 (c.15) apply, by virtue of Article 2(3) of the Social Security Pensions (Northern Ireland) Order 1975, to the exercise of certain powers conferred under that Order. Article 53A was inserted by paragraph 2 of Schedule 1 to the Social Security (Northern Ireland) Order 1985 (S.I. 1985/1209 (N.I. 16))

(c) Article 53B and Schedule 1A were inserted by paragraphs 2 and 3 respectively of Schedule 1 to the Social Security (Northern Ireland) Order 1985