# 1988 No. 355

## SOCIAL SECURITY

## The Social Security (Unemployment, Sickness and Invalidity Benefit) (Amendment No. 2) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1988

*Made* . . . . . *4th October 1988*

*Coming into operation* . . *7th November 1988*

The Department of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by sections 15(6) and 17(2)(*a*) of the Social Security (Northern Ireland) Act 1975(**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 Security (Unemployment, Sickness and Invalidity Benefit) (Amendment No. 2) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1988 and shall come into operation on 7th November 1988.

(2) In these regulations "the principal regulations" means the Social Security (Unemployment, Sickness and Invalidity Benefit) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1984(**b**).

*Amendment of regulation 7 of the principal regulations*

**2.**—(1) Regulation 7 of the principal regulations (days not to be treated as days of unemployment or incapacity for work) shall be amended in accordance with paragraphs (2) to (4).

(2) For sub-paragraphs (*b*) and (*c*) of paragraph (1) there shall be substituted the following sub-paragraphs —

"(*b*) a day shall not be treated as a day of unemployment in relation to a person if it is a day in respect of which that person —

(i) is disqualified for receiving unemployment benefit; or

(ii) has made no claim for unemployment benefit; or

(iii) has made a claim for unemployment benefit but not within the prescribed time and good cause for the delay is not shown; or

(iv) has made a claim for unemployment benefit but not within the prescribed time and, whether or not the person has shown good cause for the delay, he is not entitled to benefit as a result of section 154A(2)(**c**) (no entitlement to benefit in respect of any

(a) 1975 c.15; section 15(6) was added by paragraph 6 of Schedule 4 to the Social Security (Northern Ireland) Order 1982 (S.I. 1982/1084 (N.I.16))

(b) S.R. 1984 No. 245; the relevant amending regulations are S.R. 1986 No. 275

(c) Section 154A was substituted by paragraph 56 of Schedule 9 to the Social Security (Northern Ireland) Order 1986 (S.I. 1986/1888 (N.I. 18))