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The Occupational Pension Schemes (Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1986

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The Department of Health and Social Services, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Article 53C of, and paragraph 13 of Schedule 1A to, and paragraphs 9(2), 20 and 21 of Schedule 3 to, the Social Security Pensions (Northern Ireland) Order 1975(**a**) and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following regulations:

Citation and commencement

1. These regulations may be cited as the Occupational Pension Schemes (Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1986 and shall come into operation on 5th January 1987.

Amendment of the Occupational Pension Schemes (Preservation of Benefit) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1984

2.—(1) The Occupational Pension Schemes (Preservation of Benefit) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1984(**b**) shall be amended in accordance with paragraphs (2) and (3).

(2) In regulation 12(1) for "to the same member (or his wife, widow or dependant) as the one to whom (or to whose wife, widow or dependant)" there shall be substituted "to or in respect of the same member as the one to or in respect of whom".

(3) Regulations 21(3)(*a*) and 27(*b*) are hereby revoked.

Amendment of the Occupational Pension Schemes (Discharge of Liability) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1985

3.—(1) The Occupational Pension Schemes (Discharge of Liability) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1985(**c**) shall be amended in accordance with paragraphs (2) to (5).

(2) In regulation 2(*b*) after "become secured" there shall be inserted ", or are replaced by benefits which are secured,".

(3) In regulation 4(*a*) the words "and, if appropriate, dependants of his, ", in the first place where they occur, shall be omitted, and for "them" there shall be substituted "dependants of his, or to the trustees of such a trust".

(4) In regulation 4 for paragraph (*c*) there shall be substituted the following paragraph—

(a) S.I. 1975/1503 (N.I. 15); Article 53C and Schedule 1A were inserted by Article 4 of, and Schedule 1 to, the Social Security (Northern Ireland) Order 1985 (S.I. 1985/1209 (N.I. 16)), and Article 53C and paragraph 13 of Schedule 1A were amended by paragraphs 17 and 24(c) respectively of Schedule 9 to the Social Security (Northern Ireland) Order 1986 (S.I. 1986/1888 (N.I. 18))

(b) S.R. 1984 No. 332; the relevant amending regulations are S.R. 1985 No. 353

(c) S.R. 1985 No. 356