**1986 No. 159**

**HOUSING; RATES**

# The Housing Benefits (Amendment No. 2) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1986

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| *Made* . . . . . | *3rd June 1986* |
| *Coming into operation* . . . | *1st July 1986* |

The Department of Health and Social Services, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Article 3(2) of the Housing Benefits (Northern Ireland) Order 1983(**a**) and acting jointly with the Department of the Environment, in exercise of the powers conferred on them by Article 3(1) of that Order, in each case with the consent of the Department of Finance and Personnel, and in exercise of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, hereby make the following regulations:

*Citation and commencement*

**1.** These regulations may be cited as the Housing Benefits (Amendment No. 2) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1986 and shall come into operation on 1st July 1986.

*Amendment of the Housing Benefits Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1985*

**2.** In Schedule 2 to the Housing Benefits Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1985(**b**) (amounts to be disregarded when ascertaining weekly income for any housing benefit), the following paragraph shall be inserted after paragraph 18—

"**18A.** Any Job Start Allowance payable pursuant to arrangements made by the Department of Economic Development(**c**) under section 1(1) of the Employment and Training Act (Northern Ireland) 1950(**d**).".

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Health and Social Services on 3rd June 1986.

(L.S.) *A. N. Burns*
Assistant Secretary

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of the Environment on 3rd June 1986.

(L.S.) *N. Campbell*
Assistant Secretary

The Department of Finance and Personnel hereby consents to the foregoing Regulations.

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(**a**) S.I. 1983/1121 (N.I. 14)
(**b**) S.R. 1985 No. 282, as amended by S.R. 1986 No. 158
(**c**) *See* S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1964 No. 205, Article 3 for change in style of Ministry of Labour and National Insurance to Ministry of Health and Social Services; S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1973 No. 504, Article 6 for transfer of functions from Ministry of Health and Social Services to Department of Manpower Services and S.I. 1982/846 (N.I. 11), Article 3 for renaming the Department of Manpower Services the Department of Economic Development
(**d**) 1950 c. 29 (N.I.)