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SOCIAL SECURITY

The Social Security (Contributions) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1986

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Coming into operation . . .	*6th April 1986*

The Department of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by section 126 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 (Contributions) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1986 and shall come into operation on 6th April 1986.

(2) In these regulations "the principal regulations" means the Social Security (Contributions) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1979(**b**).

Addition of Case E to Part VIII of the principal regulations

2. After the provisions of Case D (residence and persons abroad) of Part VIII of the principal regulations (special classes of earners) there shall be added the following Case—

"CASE E — VOLUNTEER DEVELOPMENT WORKERS

Interpretation

115A.—(1) In the provisions of this Case "volunteer development worker" means a person in respect of whom the Department has certified that it is consistent with the proper administration of the Act that, subject to the satisfaction of the conditions in the next succeeding paragraph, that person should be entitled to pay Class 2 contributions under regulation 115C of these regulations.

(2) The conditions referred to in the last preceding paragraph are that—

(*a*) that person is ordinarily resident in Northern Ireland, and

(*b*) he is employed outside Northern Ireland.

Certain volunteer development workers to be self-employed earners

115B. Any employment as a volunteer development worker which is not employment in respect of earnings from which Class 1 contributions are payable, shall be employment as a self-employed earner notwithstanding that it is not employment in Northern Ireland.

(**a**) 1975 c. 15

(**b**) S.R. 1979 No. 186; the relevant amending regulations are S.R. 1984 No. 43 and S.R. 1985 No. 61