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SOCIAL SECURITY

The Child Benefit (General) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1984

Made	*12th March 1984*
Coming into operation . . .	*6th April 1984*

The Department of Health and Social Services, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Articles 2(2) and 24(1) of, and paragraph 4 of Schedule 1 to the Child Benefit (Northern Ireland) Order 1975(**a**) and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following regulations which correspond to provision contained in regulations made by the Secretary of State for Social Services in relation to Great Britain and which accordingly, by virtue of section 10(2) of, and paragraph 21 of Schedule 3 to, the Social Security Act 1980(**b**) are not subject to the requirement of section 10(1) of that Act for prior reference to the Social Security Advisory Committee:

Citation, commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) These regulations may be cited as the Child Benefit (General) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1984 and shall come into operation on 6th April 1984.

(2) In these regulations "the principal regulations" means the Child Benefit (General) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1979(**c**).

Amendment of regulation 11 of the principal regulations

2. Regulation 11 of the principal regulations (persons exempt from tax) shall be amended as follows—

(*a*) there shall be added at the end the following paragraph—

"(4) Paragraph (1) shall not affect the entitlement to benefit of any person who was so entitled under paragraphs (2) and (3) before their revocation.";

(*b*) paragraphs (2) and (3) are hereby revoked.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland on 12th March 1984.

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Assistant Secretary

(**a**) S.I. 1975/1504 (N.I. 16); *see* definitions of "prescribed" and "regulations" in Articles 2(2) and 24(1)
(**b**) 1980 c. 30
(**c**) S.R. 1979 No. 5, to which there are amendments not relevant to the subject matter of these regulations