1983 No. 430

SOCIAL SECURITY

The Social Security (Contributions) (Amendment No. 6) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1983

Made . . . . . *30th December 1983*

Coming into operation . . . . *6th April 1984*

The Department of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by section 124(1) of the Social Security (Northern Ireland) Act 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 Social Security (Contributions) (Amendment No. 6) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1983 and shall come into operation on 6th April 1984.

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

Amendment of regulation 87(1) of the principal regulations

2. In regulation 87(1) of the principal regulations (modification of section 4(6) of the Act in relation to mariners)—

(*a*) in sub-paragraph (*a*) for "0·35" there shall be substituted "0·25";

(*b*) in sub-paragraph (*b*) for "0·6" there shall be substituted "0·5".

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland on 30th December 1983.

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

Assistant Secretary

(**a**) 1975 c. 15
(**b**) 1980 c. 30
(**c**) S.R. 1979 No. 186; the relevant amending provisions are Article 6(1) of, and paragraph 2(1) of Schedule 1 to, the Social Security (Contributions) (Northern Ireland) Order 1982 (S.I. 1982/158 (N.I. 4))