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SOCIAL SECURITY

The Social Security (Financial Adjustments) (Amendment) Order (Northern Ireland) 1980

Made . . . . . 23rd September 1980

Coming into operation . . . 16th October 1980

The Department of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by section 127(6) of the Social Security (Northern Ireland) Act 1975(**a**) and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf and with the consent of the Department of Finance for Northern Ireland, hereby makes the following order:

Citation, commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) This order may be cited as the Social Security (Financial Adjustments) (Amendment) Order (Northern Ireland) 1980 and shall come into operation on 16th October 1980.

(2) In this order "the principal order" means the Social Security (Financial Adjustments) Order (Northern Ireland) 1975(**b**).

Amendment of principal order

2. The principal order shall be amended by the substitution, for the heading to Article 2, of the heading "*Cases specified for the purposes of section 127(6) of the Act*", and by the substitution, for sub-paragraphs (*a*) and (*b*) of Article 2(2), of the following sub-paragraphs, namely—

"(*a*) payments of benefit, or payments under section 1 of the Pensioners' Payments and Social Security Act 1979(**c**), made or falling to be made out of the National Insurance Fund; and

(*b*) payments of benefit, or payments under the said section 1, made or falling to be made out of money appropriated for that purpose by virtue (in the case of payments of benefit) of the Supplementary Benefits (Northern Ireland) Order 1977(**d**) or of section 129(3) of the Act or (in the case of payments under the said section 1) of section 6(1)(*d*) of the Pensioners' Payments and Social Security Act 1979.".

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland on 23rd September 1980.

(L.S.) *J. M. Steele*

Assistant Secretary

(**a**) 1975 c. 15
(**b**) S.R. 1975 No. 125 (I, p. 816)
(**c**) 1979 c. 48
(**d**) S.I. 1977/2156 (N.I. 27)