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SOCIAL SECURITY

The Child Benefit (Determination of Claims and Questions) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1980

Made . . . . . *17th January 1980*

Coming into operation . . . *1st February 1980*

The Department of Health and Social Services, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by section 119(3) of the Social Security (Northern Ireland) Act 1975(**a**) as applied by Article 10 of the Child Benefit (Northern Ireland) Order 1975(**b**), 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 Child Benefit (Determination of Claims and Questions) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1980 and shall come into operation on 1st February 1980.

(2) In these regulations "the principal regulations" means the Child Benefit (Determination of Claims and Questions) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1976(**c**).

Amendment of regulation 17 *of the principal regulations*

2. In regulation 17(4) of the principal regulations (date from which benefit is to be payable to a person in respect of a child in respect of whom another person has previously been awarded benefit) there shall be omitted "being a week not earlier than that in the course of which A makes a claim to benefit in respect of the child,".

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland on 17th January 1980.

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Senior Assistant Secretary

(**a**) *1975 c. 15*
(**b**) S.I. 1975/1504 (N.I. 16); section 119(3) of the Social Security (Northern Ireland) Act 1975 as applied by Article 10 of the Child Benefit (Northern Ireland) Order 1975 was extended by Article 13(5) of the Social Security (Miscellaneous Provisions) (Northern Ireland) Order 1977 (S.I. 1977/610 (N.I. 11))
(**c**) S.R. 1976 No. 225 (I, p. 1038) amended by S.R. 1977 No. 195 (II, p. 1134)