1977 No. 58

SOCIAL SECURITY

The Social Security (Contributions, Re-rating) Consequential Amendment Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1977

Made . . . . . *4th March* 1977

Coming into operation . . . . *6th April* 1977

The Department of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by section 124 of, and paragraph 4(*a*) of Schedule 1 to, the Social Security (Northern Ireland) Act 1975(**a**), and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following regulations which are made for the purpose of making provisions consequential upon the coming into force of the Social Security (Contributions, Re-rating) Order (Northern Ireland) 1977(**b**) and the National Insurance Surcharge Act 1976(**c**).

Citation, interpretation and commencement

1. These regulations, which may be cited as the Social Security (Contributions, Re-rating) Consequential Amendment Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1977, shall be read as one with the Social Security (Contributions) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1975(**d**) as amended(**e**) (hereinafter referred to as "the principal regulations") and shall come into operation on 6th April 1977.

Amendment of regulations 1(2) *and* 75 *of the principal regulations*

2. In regulations 1(2) and 75 of the principal regulations (interpretation) after the definition "Re-rating Order 1975" there shall in each of those regulations be inserted the following definition:

" 'the Re-rating Order 1977' means the Social Security (Contributions, Re-rating) Order (Northern Ireland) 1977(**b**)".

Amendment of regulation 86A *of the principal regulations*

3. At the beginning of regulation 86A of the principal regulations (transitional provisions consequent upon the Re-rating Order 1975) there shall be inserted "Subject to the provisions of the next succeeding regulation".

Insertion of regulation 86B *in the principal regulations*

4. After regulation 86A of the principal regulations there shall be inserted the following regulation:

"*Transitional provisions consequent upon the Re-rating Order* 1977

86B. As respects any payment of earnings made on or after 6th April 1977 (the date on which the Re-rating Order 1977 comes into operation) to or for the benefit of a mariner for his employment as such during the voyage period, the provisions of the Re-rating Order 1977 shall not apply

(**a**) 1975 c. 15
(**b**) S.R. 1977 No. 27
(**c**) 1976 c. 85
(**d**) S.R. 1975 No. 319 (II, p. 1492)
(**e**) The relevant amending regulations are S.R. 1976 No. 23

in the cases and to the extent specified in the next two succeeding paragraphs and in those cases the contributions payable shall be calculated as if the Re-rating Order 1977 had not been made—

(*a*) in the case of employment during a voyage period which begins before 6th March 1977 and ends before 6th May 1977, to the extent of the whole of the earnings for that employment;

(*b*) in the case of employment during a voyage period which begins before 6th March 1977 and ends on or after 6th May 1977, to the extent of so much of the earnings as relates to that part of the employment which occurs before 6th April 1977.".

Amendment of regulation 87 of the principal regulations

5. In regulation 87(*c*) of the principal regulations (modification in relation to share fishermen of Part I of the Act and so much of Part IV thereof as relates to contributions) for "£3·21" there shall be substituted "£3·62".

Substitution for Schedules 1 and 4 to the principal regulations

6. For Schedules 1 and 4 to the principal regulations (weekly and monthly scales of contributions under the Act at the standard rate and reduced rate and at the rate appropriate for mariners) there shall respectively be substituted the Schedules set out in Schedules A and B to these regulations.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland on 4th March 1977.

(L.S.) *C. G. Oakes*
Senior Assistant Secretary

SCHEDULE A Regulation 6

Substitution for Schedule 1 to the principal regulations

SCHEDULE 1 Regulation 7

Contributions under the Act

PART I

WEEKLY SCALE

Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4
Payments of earnings	*Primary contributions at standard rate*	*Primary contributions at reduced rate*	*Secondary contributions*
£	£	£	£
15·00	0·88	0·30	1·64
15·50	0·91	0·31	1·69
16·00	0·93	0·32	1·75
16·50	0·96	0·33	1·80
17·00	0·99	0·34	1·85
17·50	1·02	0·35	1·91
18·00	1·05	0·36	1·96
18·50	1·08	0·37	2·02
19·00	1·11	0·38	2·07
19·50	1·14	0·39	2·12
20·00	1·16	0·40	2·18
20·50	1·19	0·41	2·23
21·00	1·22	0·42	2·28
21·50	1·25	0·43	2·34
22·00	1·28	0·44	2·39
22·50	1·31	0·45	2·45
23·00	1·34	0·46	2·50
23·50	1·37	0·47	2·55
24·00	1·39	0·48	2·61
24·50	1·42	0·49	2·66
25·00	1·45	0·50	2·71
25·50	1·48	0·51	2·77
26·00	1·51	0·52	2·82
26·50	1·54	0·53	2·88
27·00	1·57	0·54	2·93
27·50	1·60	0·55	2·98
28·00	1·62	0·56	3·04
28·50	1·65	0·57	3·09
29·00	1·68	0·58	3·14
29·50	1·71	0·59	3·20
30·00	1·74	0·60	3·25
30·50	1·77	0·61	3·31
31·00	1·80	0·62	3·36
31·50	1·83	0·63	3·41
32·00	1·85	0·64	3·47
32·50	1·88	0·65	3·52
33·00	1·91	0·66	3·57
33·50	1·94	0·67	3·63

PART I (*contd.*)

Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4
Payments of earnings	*Primary contributions at standard rate*	*Primary contributions at reduced rate*	*Secondary contributions*
£	£	£	£
34·00	1·97	0·68	3·68
34·50	2·00	0·69	3·74
35·00	2·03	0·70	3·79
35·50	2·06	0·71	3·84
36·00	2·08	0·72	3·90
36·50	2·11	0·73	3·95
37·00	2·14	0·74	4·00
37·50	2·17	0·75	4·06
38·00	2·20	0·76	4·11
38·50	2·23	0·77	4·17
39·00	2·26	0·78	4·22
39·50	2·29	0·79	4·27
40·00	2·31	0·80	4·33
40·50	2·34	0·81	4·38
41·00	2·37	0·82	4·43
41·50	2·40	0·83	4·49
42·00	2·43	0·84	4·54
42·50	2·46	0·85	4·60
43·00	2·49	0·86	4·65
43·50	2·52	0·87	4·70
44·00	2·54	0·88	4·76
44·50	2·57	0·89	4·81
45·00	2·60	0·90	4·86
45·50	2·63	0·91	4·92
46·00	2·66	0·92	4·97
46·50	2·69	0·93	5·03
47·00	2·72	0·94	5·08
47·50	2·75	0·95	5·13
48·00	2·77	0·96	5·19
48·50	2·80	0·97	5·24
49·00	2·83	0·98	5·29
49·50	2·86	0·99	5·35
50·00	2·89	1·00	5·40
50·50	2·92	1·01	5·46
51·00	2·95	1·02	5·51
51·50	2·98	1·03	5·56
52·00	3·00	1·04	5·62
52·50	3·03	1·05	5·67
53·00	3·06	1·06	5·72
53·50	3·09	1·07	5·78
54·00	3·12	1·08	5·83
54·50	3·15	1·09	5·89
55·00	3·18	1·10	5·94
55·50	3·21	1·11	5·99
56·00	3·23	1·12	6·05
56·50	3·26	1·13	6·10
57·00	3·29	1·14	6·15
57·50	3·32	1·15	6·21

PART I (*contd.*)

Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4
Payments of earnings	*Primary contributions at standard rate*	*Primary contributions at reduced rate*	*Secondary contributions*
£	£	£	£
58·00	3·35	1·16	6·26
58·50	3·38	1·17	6·32
59·00	3·41	1·18	6·37
59·50	3·44	1·19	6·42
60·00	3·46	1·20	6·48
60·50	**3·49**	**1·21**	6·53
61·00	3·52	1·22	**6·58**
61·50	3·55	**1·23**	6·64
62·00	3·58	1·24	6·69
62·50	**3·61**	1·25	6·75
63·00	3·64	1·26	6·80
63·50	3·67	**1·27**	6·85
64·00	3·69	1·28	6·91
64·50	3·72	1·29	6·96
65·00	3·75	**1·30**	**7·01**
65·50	3·78	1·31	7·07
66·00	3·81	1·32	7·12
66·50	3·84	1·33	7·18
67·00	3·87	**1·34**	**7·23**
67·50	3·90	**1·35**	7·28
68·00	**3·92**	1·36	7·34
68·50	**3·95**	1·37	7·39
69·00	3·98	1·38	7·44
69·50	**4·01**	1·39	7·50
70·00	4·04	1·40	7·55
70·50	**4·07**	1·41	7·61
71·00	4·10	1·42	**7·66**
71·50	4·13	1·43	7·71
72·00	4·15	1·44	7·77
72·50	4·18	1·45	7·82
73·00	4·21	1·46	**7·87**
73·50	4·24	1·47	7·93
74·00	**4·27**	1·48	7·98
74·50	4·30	1·49	**8·04**
75·00	4·33	1·50	8·09
75·50	4·36	1·51	8·14
76·00	4·38	1·52	**8·20**
76·50	4·41	1·53	8·25
77·00	4·44	1·54	8·30
77·50	**4·47**	**1·55**	8·36
78·00	4·50	**1·56**	8·41
78·50	4·53	**1·57**	8·47
79·00	**4·56**	**1·58**	**8·52**
79·50	4·59	1·59	8·57
80·00	4·61	1·60	8·63
80·50	4·64	1·61	8·68
81·00	4·67	1·62	**8·73**
81·50	4·70	1·63	8·79