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SUPPLEMENTARY BENEFITS

The Supplementary Benefit (General) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1975

Made . . . . . *19th March* 1975

Coming into operation . . . *7th April* 1975

The Department of Health and Social Services, in exercise of powers conferred by paragraph 15 of Schedule 2 to the Supplementary Benefits &c. Act (Northern Ireland) 1966(a), and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following regulations:

Citation and commencement

1. These regulations may be cited as the Supplementary Benefit (General) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1975 and shall come into operation on 7th April 1975.

Amendment of the Supplementary Benefit (General) Regulations

2. In regulation 6(1) and (2) of the Supplementary Benefit (General) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1966(b) (persons in residential homes), for "£2·00" there shall be substituted in each case "£2·30".

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland on 19th March 1975.

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Assistant Secretary

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the regulations but is intended to indicate their general purport.)

These regulations increase from £2·00 to £2·30 the weekly sum taken to be the personal requirements of an applicant for supplementary benefit who is residing in residential accommodation.

(a) 1966 c. 28 (N.I.)
(b) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1966 No. 188 (p. 587) as amended by reg. 2(3) of S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1973 No. 383 (II, p. 2160) and S.R. 1974 No. 157