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NATIONAL INSURANCE

Mariners

REGULATIONS, DATED 9TH JULY 1974, MADE BY THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES, IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, UNDER THE NATIONAL INSURANCE ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1966.

The Department of Health and Social Services, in conjunction with the Department of Finance, so far as relates to matters with regard to which the Department of Finance has so directed, in exercise of powers conferred by sections 4(4) and (7) and 95 of the National Insurance Act (Northern Ireland) 1966(**a**), and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following regulations being regulations subject to negative resolution in accordance with section 101(3) of that Act:

Citation and commencement

1. These regulations, which may be cited as the National Insurance (Mariners) Amendment Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1974, shall be read as one with the National Insurance (Mariners) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1967(**b**) (hereinafter referred to as "the principal regulations") and shall come into operation on 5th August 1974.

Amendment of regulation 5 *of the principal regulations*

2. In regulation 5 of the principal regulations (contributions of mariners employed as masters or members of the crews of any ships or vessels other than home-trade ships)—

(*a*) in paragraph (1)(*a*)(**c**) for the word "£0·114" there shall be substituted the word "£0·152";

(*b*) in paragraph (1)(*b*)(**c**) for the word "£0·068" there shall be substituted the word "£0·087".

Amendment of regulation 18(7) *of the principal regulations*

3. In the first proviso to regulation 18(7) of the principal regulations (calculation of graduated contributions) before the words "5 per cent." there shall be inserted the words "5·5 per cent.," and before the words "1·1 per cent." there shall be inserted the words "1·25 per cent.,".

Amendment of regulation 21(2)(*a*) *of the principal regulations*

4. In regulation 21(2)(*a*) of the principal regulations (annual maximum) in head (x)(**d**) the words "or after" shall be omitted and for the words "£119·75" and "£119·25" there shall be substituted the words "£142·85" and "£142·35" respectively.

(**a**) 1966. c. 6 (N.I.).
(**b**) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1967, No. 108.
(**c**) As last amended by reg. 2 of S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1973, No. 319.
(**d**) See reg. 4(*b*) of S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1973, No. 319.

Amendment of Schedules 5 and 6 to the principal regulations

5. For the provisions of Schedule 5(**e**) and Schedule 6(**f**) to the principal regulations (weekly and monthly scales for calculation of graduated contributions) there shall be substituted respectively the provisions set out in Schedule A and Schedule B.

Transitory provision

6. The graduated contributions payable in respect of any payment of remuneration—

(*a*) in respect of a voyage commencing before 5th August 1974, which ends before 5th November 1974, or in respect of any period of leave on pay immediately following such a voyage; or

(*b*) in respect of such part of a voyage ending on or after 5th November 1974, as occurs before 5th August 1974;

shall be calculated as if these regulations had not been made.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland this 9th day of July 1974.

(L.S.) *L. R. Kelly,*
Assistant Secretary.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Finance for Northern Ireland this 9th day of July 1974.

(L.S.) *C. F. Darling,*
Assistant Secretary.

(e) See Sch. 1 to S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1973, No. 319.
(f) See Sch. 2 to S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1973, No. 319.

SCHEDULE A Regulation 5

Provisions to be substituted for those in Schedule 5 to the principal regulations

Employment which is not a Non-participating Employment

PART I

SCALE FOR PAY PERIOD OF A WEEK OR FOR A VOYAGE PERIOD FOR WHICH NO OR ONE ONLY WEEKLY EMPLOYER'S CONTRIBUTION IS PAYABLE

Amount of payment (1)	*Amount of contribution* (2)
£	£
9·01	0·01
9·25	0·02
9·50	0 04·
10·00	0·07
10·50	0·10
11·00	0·12
11·50	0·15
12·00	0·18
12·50	0·21
13·00	0·23
13·50	0·26
14·00	0·29
14·50	0·32
15·00	0·34
15·50	0·37
16·00	0·40
16·50	0·43
17·00	0·45
17·50	0·48
18·00	0·52
19·00	0·58
20·00	0·63
21·00	0·69
22·00	0·74
23·00	0·80
24·00	0·85
25·00	0·91
26·00	0·96
27·00	1·02
28·00	1·07
29·00	1·13
30·00	1·18

Amount of payment (1)	*Amount of contribution* (2)
£	£
31·00	1·24
32·00	1·29
33·00	1·35
34·00	1·40
35·00	1·46
36·00	1·51
37·00	1·57
38·00	1·62
39·00	1·68
40·00	1·73
41·00	1·79
42·00	1·84
43·00	1·90
44·00	1·95
45·00	2·01
46·00	2·06
47·00	2·12
48·00	2·17
49·00	2·23
50·00	2·28
51·00	2·34
52·00	2·39
53·00	2·45
54·00	2·50
55·00	2·56
56·00	2·61
57·00	2·67
58·00	2·72
59·00	2·78
60·00	2·83
61·00	2·89
62·00 or more	2·91

PART II

SCALE FOR PAY PERIOD OF ONE MONTH

Amount of payment (1)	*Amount of contribution* (2)
£	£
39·03	0·03
40·00	0·11
42·00	0·22
44·00	0·33
46·00	0·44
48·00	0·55
50·00	0·66
52·00	0·77
54·00	0·88
56·00	0·99
58·00	1·10
60·00	1·21
62·00	1·32
64·00	1·43
66·00	1·54
68·00	1·65
70·00	1·76
72·00	1·87
74·00	1·98
76·00	2·09
78·00	2·25
82·00	2·47
86·00	2·69
90·00	2·91
94·00	3·13
98·00	3·35
102·00	3·57
106·00	3·79
110·00	4·01
114·00	4·23
118·00	4·45
122·00	4·67
126·00	4·89
130·00	5·11
134·00	5·33
138·00	5·55
142·00	5·77
146·00	5·99
150·00	6·21
154·00	6·43