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NATIONAL INSURANCE

Overlapping Benefits and Miscellaneous Amendments

REGULATIONS, DATED 21ST SEPTEMBER 1973, MADE BY THE NATIONAL INSURANCE JOINT AUTHORITY, IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE, AND THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES UNDER THE NATIONAL INSURANCE ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1966.

The National Insurance Joint Authority, in conjunction with the Ministry of Finance on behalf of the Secretary of State, in exercise of powers conferred by section 49(1) of the National Insurance Act (Northern Ireland) 1966(a) and the Ministry of Health and Social Services on behalf of the Secretary of State, in exercise of powers conferred by section 54(3) of that Act, and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, hereby make the following regulations being regulations subject to negative resolution in accordance with section 101(3) of the said Act:

Citation, commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) These regulations may be cited as the National Insurance (Overlapping Benefits and Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1973 and shall come into operation on 1st October 1973.

(2) In these regulations, "the Overlapping Benefits Regulations" means the National Insurance (Overlapping Benefits) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1973(b).

Amendment of the Overlapping Benefits Regulations

2.—(1) The Overlapping Benefits Regulations shall be amended in accordance with paragraphs (2) to (4).

(2) In regulation 1(2) (definitions) for the definition of "Service Pensions Instrument" there shall be substituted the following definition:

> " 'Service Pensions Instrument' means those provisions and only those provisions of any Royal Warrant, Order in Council or other instrument (not being a 1914-1918 War Injuries Scheme) under which a death or a disablement pension (not including a pension calculated by reference to length of service) and allowances for dependants payable with either such pension may be paid out of public funds in respect of any death or disablement, wound, injury or disease due to service in the naval, military or air forces of the Crown or in any nursing service or other auxiliary service of any of the said forces or in the Home Guard or in any other organisation established under the control of the Defence Council or formerly established under the control of the Admiralty, the Army Council or the Air Council;".

(3) In regulation 9 (benefits which are not to be construed as requiring adjustment under Part II of those regulations) after paragraph (*c*) there shall be inserted the words:

(a) 1966. c. 6 (N.I.). (b) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1973, No. 10.