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NATIONAL INSURANCE

General Benefit and Miscellaneous Amendments

REGULATIONS, DATED 5TH APRIL 1972, MADE BY THE NATIONAL INSURANCE JOINT AUTHORITY, IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE, UNDER THE NATIONAL INSURANCE ACTS (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1966 TO 1971.

The National Insurance Joint Authority, in conjunction with the Ministry of Finance so far as relates to matters with regard to which the Ministry of Finance has so directed, in exercise of powers conferred by sections 49(1) and 54(1) of the National Insurance Act (Northern Ireland) 1966(**a**), 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 that Act:

Citation, commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) These regulations may be cited as the National Insurance (General Benefit and Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1972 and shall come into operation on 14th April 1972.

(2) In these regulations—

"the General Benefit Regulations" means the National Insurance (General Benefit) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1971(**b**);

"the Overlapping Benefits Regulations" means the National Insurance (Overlapping Benefits) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1961(**c**);

"the Hospital In-Patients Regulations" means the National Insurance (Hospital In-Patients) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1961(**d**).

Amendment of the General Benefit Regulations

2. After regulation 9 of the General Benefit Regulations there shall be inserted the following regulation:

"Deeming benefit under the Act abated under section 17(1A) *of the Supplementary Benefits &c. Act (Northern Ireland)* 1966 *to be a contribution for the maintenance of adult dependant or to the cost of providing for child*

9A. Where for any period a person (in this regulation referred to as A) is entitled to, or to an increase in the amount of, any such benefit, allowance or pension as is mentioned in section 17(1)(*a*) of the Supplementary Benefits &c. Act (Northern Ireland) 1966(**e**) (benefits, allowances and pensions under the National Insurance Acts (Northern Ireland) 1966 to 1971) in respect of another person (in this regulation referred to as B) and the amount of, or of the increase in, any such benefit, allowance or

(**a**) 1966. c. 6 (N.I.).
(**b**) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1971, No. 190.
(**c**) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1961, No. 180.
(**d**) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1961, No. 179.
(**e**) 1966. c. 28 (N.I.).