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NATIONAL INSURANCE

Mariners

REGULATIONS, DATED 26TH OCTOBER 1967, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES, IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE, UNDER THE NATIONAL INSURANCE ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1966.

The Ministry of Health and Social Services, in conjunction with the Ministry of Finance, in exercise of powers conferred by section 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:

Citation and commencement

1. These regulations, which may be cited as the National Insurance (Mariners) Amendment (No. 2) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1967, 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 30th October 1967.

Amendment of regulation 5 of the principal regulations

2. The amounts by which the weekly rates of employer's contributions payable in respect of a mariner employed as master or a member of the crew of any foreign-going ship are reduced, shall be increased, and accordingly in regulation 5(1) of the principal regulations there shall be substituted—

(*a*) in sub-paragraph (*a*) (persons over the age of 18) for the words "one shilling and a penny" the words "one shilling and fivepence"; and

(*b*) in sub-paragraph (*b*) (persons under the age of 18) for the words "sevenpence-halfpenny" the words "ninepence-halfpenny".

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland this 26th day of October 1967.

(L.S.) *H. A. Lowry,*
Assistant Secretary.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland this 26th day of October 1967.

(L.S.) *James V. Morrison,*
Assistant Secretary.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

The National Insurance Act (Northern Ireland) 1967 increased the rates of flat-rate national insurance contributions, and these regulations make consequential amendments to certain provisions of the National Insurance (Mariners) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1967 relating to employers' contributions in respect of mariners employed on foreign-going ships.

(a) 1966. c. 6 (N.I.). (b) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1967, No. 108.