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NATIONAL INSURANCE (INDUSTRIAL INJURIES)

Benefit

REGULATIONS, DATED 25TH FEBRUARY, 1960, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND NATIONAL INSURANCE UNDER THE NATIONAL INSURANCE (INDUSTRIAL INJURIES) ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1946.

The Ministry of Labour and National Insurance, in exercise of powers conferred by sections 32(1) and 85 of the National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) Act (Northern Ireland), 1946(a), and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following regulations:

Citation, interpretation and commencement

1. These regulations, which may be cited as the National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) (Benefit) Amendment Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1960, shall be read as one with the National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) (Benefit) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1948(b) (hereinafter referred to as "the principal regulations"), and shall come into operation on the 29th February, 1960.

Amendment of regulation 23 of the principal regulations

2. For paragraph (2) of regulation 23 of the principal regulations (which paragraph relates to exception from disqualification for receiving disablement benefit during absence from Northern Ireland), there shall be substituted the following paragraph:

"(2) A person shall not be disqualified for receiving—

(*a*) disablement benefit (other than any increase thereof) for any period during which he is absent from Northern Ireland;

(*b*) an increase of disablement pension by way of unemployability supplement under section 13 or under section 81(c) of the Act—

(i) by reason of being temporarily absent from Northern Ireland (being in the Isle of Man or the Channel Islands), during the period of six months from the date on which such absence commences; or

(ii) by reason of being temporarily absent from Northern Ireland (not being in the Isle of Man or the Channel Islands) for the specific purpose of being treated for incapacity which commenced before he left Northern Ireland, during such period as the Ministry may allow, having regard to the particular circumstances of the case; or

(iii) by reason of being temporarily absent from Northern Ireland, for any period in respect of which an increase of disablement

(a) 1946. c. 21.
(b) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1948, No. 203 as amended by S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1949, No. 73; 1951, No. 102; 1951, No. 182; 1952, No. 140; 1952, No. 199; 1953, No. 132; 1953, No. 135; 1955, No. 15; 1955, No. 164; 1956, No. 139; 1957, No. 131; 1957, No. 243; 1957, No. 264; 1958, No. 114 and 1959, No. 93.
(c) See National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) Act (Northern Ireland), 1953 (1953. c. 30), section 5.