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THE SUPPLEMENTARY PENSIONS (DETERMINATIONS) (AMENDMENT) RULES (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1943, MADE BY THE ASSISTANCE BOARD FOR NORTHERN IRELAND UNDER PART II OF THE OLD AGE AND WIDOWS' PENSIONS ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1940.

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WHEREAS in pursuance of the powers conferred by Part II of the Old Age and Widows' Pensions Act (Northern Ireland) 1940, the Supplementary Pensions (Determinations) Rules (Northern Ireland) 1940 (hereinafter called the "Principal Rules") were duly made for the purposes of that Act;

AND WHEREAS it is expedient that the Principal Rules should be amended in manner hereinafter appearing.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Assistance Board for Northern Ireland in pursuance of the powers conferred by Part II of the Old Age & Widows' Pensions Act (Northern Ireland) 1940, and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following rules :—

1. Rule 1 of the Principal Rules (which relates to the time at which applications may be made for supplementary pensions) shall have effect as if for paragraph (*b*) thereof there were substituted the following :—

"(*b*) in the case of a widow applying for a supplementary pension (i) if she is applying by virtue of entitlement to a widow's pension as part of which an additional allowance is payable, at any time after the date on which she receives notice that she has been awarded such a pension, and (ii) in any other case where application is made by virtue of entitlement to a widow's pension, at any time after the date on which she receives notice that she has been awarded a pension, or a date not more than one month before the date on which she attains the age of 60 years, whichever is the later".

2. Rule 6 of the Principal Rules (which relates to the period for which a determination remains in force) shall have effect as though for the words "whichever is the shorter period" there were substituted the words "or until the expiration of six months after the due date of the last payment properly received by the applicant thereunder whichever period first expires".