STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1991 No. 543

SOCIAL SECURITY

The Child Benefit (Different Rates) Order 1991

Made - - - - 7th March 1991
Laid before Parliament 14th March 1991
Coming into force - 8th April 1991

The Secretary of State for Social Security, in exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 5(3) of the Child Benefit Act 1975(1), hereby makes the following Order:

Citation and commencement

1. This Order, which may be cited as the Child Benefit (Different Rates) Order 1991, shall come into force on 8th April 1991.

Date on which child benefit becomes payable at different rates

2. The day on which child benefit under the Child Benefit Act 1975 shall become payable at the rate specified in paragraph (1)(a) of regulation 2 of the Child Benefit and Social Security (Fixing and Adjustment of Rates) Regulations 1976(2) is 8th April 1991.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Social Security.

Michael Jack
Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State,
Department of Social Security

7th March 1991

^{(1) 1975} c. 61

⁽²⁾ S.I.1976/1267; relevant amending instruments are S.I. 1977/1328, 1980/110, 1990/320 and 1991/502.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order)

This Order provides that 8th April 1991 shall be the date on which child benefit under the Child Benefit Act 1975 is to be payable at the rate specified in regulation 2(1)(a) of the Child Benefit and Social Security (Fixing and Adjustment of Rates) Regulations 1976 in respect of an only, elder or eldest child.