

SCHEDULES

SCHEDULE 1

MAINTENANCE ASSESSMENTS

[^{F1X1} PART I

CALCULATION OF WEEKLY AMOUNT OF CHILD SUPPORT MAINTENANCE]

Editorial Information

- X1** This version shows the text of Sch. 1 Pt. 1 after its substitution (22.11.2000 for certain purposes and 3.3.2003 for further certain purposes otherwise prosp.) by [Child Support, Pensions and Social Security Act \(Northern Ireland\) 2000 \(c. 4\), ss. 1\(3\), 68\(2\), Sch. 1](#); S.R. 2000/358, art. 2(b), [Sch. Pt. II](#); S.R. 2003/53, art. 3(1), [Sch.](#)
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[^{F1}References to various terms]

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[^{F1X1}**10C.**—(1) References in this Part to “qualifying children” are to those qualifying children with respect to whom the maintenance calculation falls to be made.

(2) References in this Part to “relevant other children” are to—

- (a) children other than qualifying children in respect of whom the non-resident parent or his partner receives child benefit under Part IX of the Social Security Contributions and Benefits (Northern Ireland) Act 1992; and
- (b) such other description of children as may be prescribed.

(3) In this Part, a person “receives” a benefit, pension or allowance for any week if it is paid or due to be paid to him in respect of that week.

(4) In this Part, a person’s “partner” is—

- (a) if they are a couple, the other member of that couple;
- (b) if the person is a husband or wife by virtue of a marriage entered into under a law which permits polygamy, another party to the marriage who is of the opposite sex and is a member of the same household.

[^{F2}(5) In sub-paragraph (4)(a), “couple” means—

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- (a) a man and a woman who are married to each other and are members of the same household,
 - (b) a man and a woman who are not married to each other but are living together as husband and wife,
 - (c) two people of the same sex who are civil partners of each other and are members of the same household, or
 - (d) two people of the same sex who are not civil partners of each other but are living together as if they were civil partners.
- (6) For the purposes of this paragraph, two people of the same sex are to be regarded as living together as if they were civil partners if, but only if, they would be regarded as living together as husband and wife were they instead two people of the opposite sex.]]

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- F2** Sch. 1 para 10C(5)(6) substituted (5.12.2005) for para. 10C(5) by [Civil Partnership Act 2004 \(c. 33\)](#), ss. 254(1), 263(8)(d), [Sch. 24 para. 12](#); S.I. 2005/3255, art. 2(1), [Sch.](#)

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Changes and effects yet to be applied to :

- [Sch. 1 para. 10C\(1\) words inserted by 2008 c. 10 \(N.I.\) Sch. 4 para. 1\(27\)](#)

Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Order associated Parts and Chapters:

- Order applied by [S.R. 2014/191 reg. 7\(1\)](#)
- Order applied in part (with modifications) by [S.R. 2010/312 reg. 16Sch. 2](#)
- Order power to apply (with modifications) conferred by [2008 c. 10 \(N.I.\) s. 3\(4\)](#)
- Order transfer of functions by [S.I. 2010/976 Sch. 17 para. 42](#)
- Order words substituted by [2009 c. 1 \(N.I.\) Sch. 6 para. 1\(1\)\(a\)](#)
- Order words substituted by [2009 c. 1 \(N.I.\) Sch. 6 para. 1\(1\)\(b\)](#)

Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Order (including any effects on those provisions):

- [Sch. 1 para. 9\(1\) Sch. 1 para. 9 renumbered as Sch. 1 para. 9\(1\) by 2008 c. 10 \(N.I.\) Sch. 1 para. 8\(1\)](#)
- [Sch. 1 para. 9\(2\) added by 2008 c. 10 \(N.I.\) Sch. 1 para. 8\(4\)](#)
- [Sch. 1 para. 5A and cross-heading inserted by 2008 c. 10 \(N.I.\) Sch. 1 para. 5\(2\)](#)
- [Sch. 1 para. 9\(1\)\(ba\) inserted by 2008 c. 10 \(N.I.\) Sch. 1 para. 8\(3\)](#)
- [Sch. 1 para. 9\(1\)\(za\) inserted by 2008 c. 10 \(N.I.\) Sch. 1 para. 8\(2\)](#)
- [Sch. 1 para. 5A\(2\) modified by S.R. 2012/428 reg. 3](#)
- [Sch. 1 para. 5A\(2\) modified by S.R. 2013/190 reg. 2](#)
- [Sch. 1 Pt. 1 words substituted by 2008 c. 10 \(N.I.\) Sch. 1 para. 2](#)
- [Sch. 1 Pt. 1 para. 10C\(5A\) omitted by S.I. 2019/1514 reg. 64\(5\)\(b\)](#)
- [Sch. 1 Pt. 1 para. 10C\(5\) substituted for Sch. 1 Pt. 1 para. 10C\(5\)\(6\) by S.I. 2019/1514 reg. 64\(4\)](#)
- [Sch. 1 Pt. 1 para. 6\(5\)\(b\)\(i\)\(ii\) substituted for Sch. 1 Pt. 1 para. 6\(5\)\(b\)\(i\)-\(iii\) by S.I. 2019/1514 reg. 64\(5\)\(a\)](#)
- [Sch. 1 Pt. 1 para. 5\(4\) words inserted by 2007 c. 2 \(N.I.\) Sch. 3 para. 2\(8\)](#)
- [art. 2\(3\) added by 2008 c. 10 \(N.I.\) Sch. 4 para. 1\(3\)](#)
- [art. 4\(4\)\(ba\) inserted by 2022 c. 18 \(N.I.\) Sch. 3 para. 16](#)
- [art. 7\(2A\) inserted by S.I. 2015/2006 \(N.I.\) art. 127\(2\)\(b\)](#)
- [art. 7\(3A\)-\(3C\) inserted by 2023 c. 24 s. 4\(2\)\(a\)](#)
- [art. 7\(4\)\(d\) and word inserted by 2023 c. 24 s. 4\(2\)\(b\)\(ii\)](#)
- [art. 11\(2A\) inserted by S.I. 2015/2006 \(N.I.\) art. 126\(1\)](#)
- [art. 11\(6\)\(a\)\(b\) and word repealed by 2008 c. 10 \(N.I.\) Sch. 5](#)
- [art. 11A inserted by S.I. 2015/2006 \(N.I.\) art. 128](#)
- [art. 16A\(3A\) inserted by 2008 c. 10 \(N.I.\) s. 27\(1\)](#)
- [art. 16A\(3A\) substituted by 2010 c. 13 \(N.I.\) s. 32\(2\)](#)
- [art. 16A\(6\) added by 2010 c. 13 \(N.I.\) s. 32\(3\)](#)
- [art. 19\(1\)\(c\) repealed by 2008 c. 10 \(N.I.\) Sch. 5](#)
- [art. 22\(1\)\(ba\) inserted by 2008 c. 10 \(N.I.\) Sch. 4 para. 1\(5\)](#)
- [art. 22\(2\)\(aa\) inserted by 2008 c. 10 \(N.I.\) Sch. 4 para. 1\(6\)](#)
- [art. 22\(2A\)-\(2C\) inserted by S.I. 2015/2006 \(N.I.\) Sch. 11 para. 2](#)
- [art. 22\(3A\)-\(3C\) inserted by S.I. 2015/2006 \(N.I.\) Sch. 11 para. 3](#)
- [art. 22\(5A\) inserted by 2008 c. 10 \(N.I.\) Sch. 4 para. 1\(7\)](#)
- [art. 22\(7A\) inserted by 2008 c. 10 \(N.I.\) Sch. 4 para. 1\(8\)](#)
- [art. 27\(2\)\(b\) words substituted by S.I. 2019/1514 reg. 64\(2\)](#)
- [art. 27\(2\)\(b\) words substituted by S.I. 2019/1514 reg. 64\(2\)](#)
- [art. 28D\(2A\)\(2B\) inserted by 2008 c. 10 \(N.I.\) s. 10\(2\)](#)

- art. 28F(4)(a) words repealed by 2008 c. 10 (N.I.) Sch. 5
- art. 29(3)(c)(ca) substituted for art. 29(3)(c) by 2010 c. 13 (N.I.) s. 31(2)
- art. 29(3A) inserted by 2010 c. 13 (N.I.) s. 31(3)
- art. 29(4)-(7) added by 2008 c. 10 (N.I.) s. 12
- art. 29(4)-(7) excluded by S.R. 2016/390 reg. 6(1)
- art. 31(8)(9) substituted for art. 31(8) by 2008 c. 10 (N.I.) s. 13
- art. 32A-32D inserted by 2008 c. 10 (N.I.) s. 14
- art. 32E-32K inserted by 2008 c. 10 (N.I.) s. 15
- art. 32G(1) restricted by SR 1992/390 reg. 25N (as inserted) by S.R. 2009/286 reg. 2
- art. 32H(2)(b) restricted by SR 1992/390 reg. 25N (as inserted) by S.R. 2009/286 reg. 2
- art. 32L inserted by 2008 c. 10 (N.I.) s. 16
- art. 32L(5) words inserted by S.I. 2019/1514 reg. 64(3)
- art. 32M32N inserted by 2008 c. 10 (N.I.) s. 17
- art. 36B-36F inserted by 2008 c. 10 (N.I.) s. 18
- art. 36G-36O inserted by 2008 c. 10 (N.I.) s. 19
- art. 37(2A)-(2C) inserted by 2008 c. 10 (N.I.) s. 20(1)
- art. 37(10)-(10C) substituted for art. 37(10) by 2008 c. 10 (N.I.) s. 20(2)
- art. 37(12) added by 2008 c. 10 (N.I.) Sch. 4 para. 1(14)
- art. 37A(A1)-(A4)(1) substituted for art. 37A(1) by 2008 c. 10 (N.I.) s. 21(1)
- art. 37A(10)-(10C) substituted for art. 37A(10) by 2008 c. 10 (N.I.) s. 21(2)
- art. 37A(12) added by 2008 c. 10 (N.I.) Sch. 4 para. 1(17)
- art. 38A(5)(c)(d) repealed by 2008 c. 10 (N.I.) Sch. 4 para. 1(29)(a)
- art. 38C inserted by 2008 c. 10 (N.I.) s. 22
- art. 38D inserted by 2008 c. 10 (N.I.) s. 23
- art. 38E inserted by 2008 c. 10 (N.I.) s. 24
- art. 39(2)(g) added by 2008 c. 10 (N.I.) s. 28
- art. 40A inserted by 2008 c. 10 (N.I.) s. 29
- art. 41(4)(5) inserted by S.I. 2011/1484 Sch. 7 para. 22
- art. 41(4) omitted by S.I. 2019/519 Sch. para. 20(a)
- art. 41(5) omitted by S.I. 2019/519 Sch. para. 20(b)
- art. 45A inserted by 2008 c. 10 (N.I.) s. 25
- art. 45B45C inserted by 2008 c. 10 (N.I.) s. 30
- art. 45D inserted by 2008 c. 10 (N.I.) s. 31
- art. 46(1A)-(1C) inserted by 2008 c. 10 (N.I.) Sch. 4 para. 1(19)
- art. 47A inserted by 2008 c. 10 (N.I.) s. 32
- art. 47A(6) inserted by S.I. 2015/2006 (N.I.) Sch. 11 para. 4
- art. 48(2B) inserted by 2008 c. 10 (N.I.) Sch. 4 para. 1(22)