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## The Pensions (Northern Ireland) Order 2005

### PART III

# THE BOARD OF THE PENSION PROTECTION FUND CHAPTER 7

### MISCELLANEOUS

#### Pension sharing

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199.—(1) Regulations may modify any of the provisions of this Part as it applies in relation to—

- (a) cases where a person's shareable rights under an eligible scheme have (at any time) become subject to a pension debit;
- (b) cases where—
  - (i) a pension sharing order or provision in respect of such rights is made before the time a transfer notice under Article 144 is received by the trustees or managers of the eligible scheme, and
  - (ii) that order or provision takes effect on or after the receipt by them of the notice.

(2) Regulations may also modify any of the provisions of Chapter 1 of Part V of the 1999 Order (pension sharing) as it applies in relation to—

- (a) cases within paragraph (1)(a) where any liability of the trustees or managers of the eligible scheme in respect of a pension credit was not discharged before the time a transfer notice under Article 144 was received by the trustees or managers of the eligible scheme;
- (b) cases within paragraph (1)(b).
- (3) In this Article—
  - (a) "pension debit" and "shareable rights" have the same meaning as in Chapter 1 of Part V of the 1999 Order (pension sharing), and
  - (b) "pension sharing order or provision" means an order or provision falling within Article 25(1) of the 1999 Order (activation of pension sharing).