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### SOCIAL SECURITY

## The Income Support (Transitional) (Amendment No. 2) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1988

The Department of Health and Social Services, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Article 84(1) of the Social Security (Northern Ireland) Order 1986(a) and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, by this statutory rule which contains only provisions consequential on Articles 21 to 24 of that Order and regulations made under those Articles in their application to income support and is made before the end of a period of 12 months from the commencement of those Articles, hereby makes the following regulations:

### Citation and interpretation

- 1.—(1) These regulations may be cited as the Income Support (Transitional) (Amendment No. 2) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1988.
- (2) In these regulations "the principal regulations" means the Income Support (Transitional) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1987(b).

# Amendment of the principal regulations

- 2.—(1) The principal regulations shall be amended in accordance with paragraphs (2) and (3).
- (2) In regulation 14 (reduction and termination of transitional and personal expenses addition)—
  - (a) after paragraph (1B) there shall be inserted the following paragraph—
    - "(1C) Notwithstanding paragraph (1)(b), (c) or (e) the amount of a claimant's transitional addition shall not be reduced if, and to the extent that, the increase in his income or, as the case may be, the reason his income exceeds his applicable amount, is attributable to the receipt of a training allowance.";
  - (b) in paragraph (5) at the end there shall be added "but not if, and to the extent that, the increase is attributable to the receipt of a training allowance".
- (3) In regulation 15 (special transitional addition) at the end of paragraph (2) there shall be added "but not if, and to the extent that, the increase is attributable to the receipt of a training allowance".

<sup>(</sup>a) S.I. 1986/1888 (N.I. 18)

<sup>(</sup>b) S.R. 1987 No. 460; the relevant amending regulations are S.R. 1988 No. 132

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Health and Social Services on 13th April 1988.

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#### **EXPLANATORY NOTE**

(This note is not part of the Regulations.)

These regulations further amend the Income Support (Transitional) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1987 in connection with the introduction of income support. They provide for a person's transitional addition, special transitional addition and personal expenses addition not to be reduced where there has been an increase in his income attributable to the receipt of a training allowance.

These regulations contain only provisions consequential on Articles 21 to 24 of the Social Security (Northern Ireland) Order 1986 ("the Order") in their application to income support and are made before the expiry of 12 months from the commencement of those Articles. Accordingly the regulations are exempt, by virtue of Article 62(5) of the Order, from reference to the Social Security Advisory Committee.

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These Orders have been exempted from printing by the Statutory Rules (Northern Ireland) Order 1979. Summaries are given in the List of Statutory Rules of a Local Character under the heading ROADS.