
STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

2003 No. 418

The Housing Benefit (State Pension Credit and Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2003

Amendment of the Housing Benefit Regulations

3.—(1) The Housing Benefit Regulations shall be amended in accordance with paragraphs (2) and (3).

(2) In regulation 4(5) (remunerative work)(1), after the words “income support”, there shall be inserted “, state pension credit”.

(3) In regulation 63 (non-dependant deductions) –

(a) in paragraph (7), after sub-paragraph (d), there shall be inserted the following sub-paragraph –

“(dd) he is a full-time student and the claimant or his partner has attained the age of 65, or”;

(b) in paragraph (8), after sub-paragraph (b), there shall be added the following sub-paragraph –

“(c) a rate rebate in respect of a non-dependant who is on state pension credit and would not be treated as being in remunerative work, if they were not in receipt of that benefit.”.