#### STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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# The Income Tax (Pay As You Earn) Regulations 2003

#### PART 8

## SOCIAL SECURITY BENEFITS

### CHAPTER 1

JOBSEEKER'S ALLOWANCE: NORMAL CASES

#### **Interpretation of Chapters 1 and 2**

**148.** In Chapters 1 and 2—

"award" means an award of a jobseeker's allowance;

"claim" means a claim for a jobseeker's allowance;

"claimant" means a person who has made a claim, or who is treated for the purposes of the JSA Regulations as having made a claim;

"Chapter 2 claimant" means—

- (a) a claimant who is entitled to a jobseeker's allowance by virtue of regulation 17 of the JSA Regulations (laid off and short time workers); or
- (b) a claimant who is a share fisherman, as defined by regulation 156 of the JSA Regulations;
- "Department" means the Department for Work and Pensions or, in Northern Ireland, the Department for Social Development;
- "JSA Regulations" means the Jobseeker's Allowance Regulations 1996(1) or, in Northern Ireland, the Jobseeker's Allowance Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1996(2);
- "jobseeker's allowance" means benefit payable under—
- (a) the Jobseekers Act 1995(3), or
- (b) in Northern Ireland, the Jobseekers (Northern Ireland) Order 1995(4);

"taxable jobseeker's allowance" means any amount of jobseeker's allowance which is chargeable to income tax under Chapter 2 of Part 10 of ITEPA (tax on social security income).

<sup>(1)</sup> S.I.1996/207.

<sup>(2)</sup> S.R. (N.I.) 1996 No. 198.

<sup>(3) 1995</sup> c. 18.

<sup>(4)</sup> S.I. 1995/2705 (N.I. 15).