STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2009 No. 2206

The Social Security (State Pension and National Insurance Credits) Regulations 2009

PART 4

National insurance credits - amendment of secondary legislation

Amendment of the Social Security (Credits) Regulations 1975

- **28.** The Social Security (Credits) Regulations 1975(1) are amended as follows.
- **29.**—(1) Regulation 3 (general provisions relating to the crediting of contributions and earnings) is amended in accordance with this regulation.
 - (2) For paragraph (1)(a) substitute—
 - "(aa) in relation to short-term incapacity benefit, the second contribution condition specified in paragraph 2(3) of Schedule 3 (contribution conditions for entitlement to benefit) to the Contributions and Benefits Act;
 - (ab) in relation to—
 - (i) widowed mother's allowance;
 - (ii) widowed parent's allowance;
 - (iii) bereavement allowance; and
 - (iv) widow's pension,

the second contribution condition specified in paragraph 5(3) of Schedule 3 to the Contributions and Benefits Act;

- (ac) in relation to a Category A or Category B retirement pension—
 - (i) in the case of a retirement pension to which paragraph 5 of Schedule 3 to the Contributions and Benefits Act applies, the second contribution condition specified in paragraph 5(3); and
 - (ii) otherwise, the contribution condition specified in paragraph 5A(2) of Schedule 3 to that Act;".
- **30.**—(1) Regulation 9A is amended in accordance with this regulation.
- (2) In paragraph (1), for "he" substitute "a person to whom this regulation applies".
- (3) After paragraph (1) insert—
 - "(1A) This regulation applies to a man born before 6th October 1954 but who has not attained the age of 65.".

S.I. 1975/556. Relevant amending instruments are S.I. 1983/463, S.I. 1994/1837, S.I. 1996/2367, S.I. 2000/1483 and S.I. 2008/1554.

- (4) For paragraph (2) substitute—
 - "(2) This regulation shall apply to—
 - (a) the tax year in which a man attains the age which is pensionable age in the case of a woman born on the same day as that man; and
 - (b) to any succeeding tax year,

but not including the tax year in which he attains the age of 65 or any subsequent tax year.".