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Rheoliadau Cynlluniau Gostyngiadau'r Dreth Gyngor (Gofynion Rhagnodedig a'r Cynllun Diofyn) (Cymru) (Diwygio) 2019

The Council Tax Reduction Schemes (Prescribed Requirements and Default Scheme) (Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2019

NODYN ESBONIADOL

(Nid yw'r nodyn hwn yn rhan o'r Rheoliadau)

Mae'r Rheoliadau hyn yn diwygio Rheoliadau Cynlluniau Gostyngiadau'r Dreth Gyngor a Gofynion Rhagnodedig (Cymru) 2013 ("y Rheoliadau Gofynion Rhagnodedig") a Rheoliadau Cynlluniau Gostyngiadau'r Dreth Gyngor (Cynllun Diofyn) (Cymru) 2013 ("y Rheoliadau Cynllun Diofyn") a wnaed o dan adran 13A(4) a (5) o Ddeddf Cyllid Llywodraeth Leol 1992, ac Atodlen 1B iddi.

Mae'r Rheoliadau Gofynion Rhagnodedig yn ei gwneud yn ofynnol i bob awdurdod bilio yng Nghymru wneud cynllun sy'n pennu'r gostyngiadau sydd i fod yn gymwys i symiau o'r dreth gyngor sy'n daladwy gan bersonau, neu gan ddosbarthiadau o bersonau, y mae'r awdurdod yn ystyried eu bod mewn angen ariannol. Mae'r Rheoliadau Gofynion Rhagnodedig hefyd yn nodi'r materion y mae'n rhaid eu cynnwys mewn cynllun o'r fath.

Mae'r Rheoliadau Cynllun Diofyn yn nodi cynllun a fydd yn cael effaith, mewn cysylltiad ag anheddau sydd wedi eu lleoli yn ardal awdurdod bilio, os yw'r awdurdod yn methu â gwneud ei gynllun ei hun.

Mae'r Rheoliadau hyn yn diwygio'r Rheoliadau Gofynion Rhagnodedig a'r Rheoliadau Cynllun Diofyn.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations)

These Regulations amend the Council Tax Reduction Schemes and Prescribed Requirements (Wales) Regulations 2013 ("the Prescribed Requirements Regulations") and the Council Tax Reduction Schemes (Default Scheme) (Wales) Regulations 2013 ("the Default Scheme Regulations") made under section 13A(4) and (5) of, and Schedule 1B to, the Local Government Finance Act 1992.

The Prescribed Requirements Regulations require each billing authority in Wales to make a scheme specifying the reductions which are to apply to amounts of council tax payable by persons, or classes of persons, whom the authority considers are in financial need. The Prescribed Requirements Regulations also set out the matters that must be included within such a scheme.

The Default Scheme Regulations set out a scheme that will take effect, in respect of dwellings situated in the area of a billing authority, if the authority fails to make its own scheme.

These Regulations amend both the Prescribed Requirements Regulations and the Default Scheme Regulations.

Mae'r diwygiadau i'r Rheoliadau Gofynion Rhagnodedig a wneir gan reoliadau 4, 6(a)(i) i (v) a 7 yn cynyddu rhai o'r ffigyrau a ddefnyddir wrth gyfrifo a oes gan berson yr hawl i gael gostyngiad ai peidio, a swm y gostyngiad hwnnw. Mae'r ffigyrau uwchraddedig yn ymwneud â didyniadau annibynnyddion (sef addasiadau i uchafswm y gostyngiad y mae hawl gan berson i'w gael, er mwyn cymryd i ystyriaeth oedolion sy'n byw yn yr annedd ac nad ydynt yn ddibynyddion y ceisydd); ac â'r swm cymwysadwy mewn perthynas â chais am ostyngiad (sef y swm y cymherir incwm ceisydd ag ef, er mwyn penderfynu swm y gostyngiad y mae hawl gan y ceisydd i'w gael). Gwneir yr un diwygiadau mewn perthynas â'r Rheoliadau Cynllun Diofyn gan reoliadau 12, 14 a 15.

The amendments to the Prescribed Requirements Regulations made by regulations 4, 6(a)(i) to (v) and 7 increase certain figures that are used in calculating whether a person is entitled to a reduction and the amount of that reduction. The uprated figures relate to non-dependent deductions (adjustments made to the maximum amount of reduction a person can receive to take account of adults living in the dwelling who are not dependents of the applicant); and the applicable amount in relation to an application for a reduction (the amount against which an applicant's income is compared in order to determine the amount of reduction to which the applicant is entitled). The same amendments are made in relation to the Default Scheme Regulations by regulations 12, 14 and 15.

Gwneir y diwygiadau i'r Rheoliadau Gofynion Rhagnodedig a wneir gan reoliadau 5, 9(b) a 10(a) ac (c) o ganlyniad i fudd-dâl nawdd cymdeithasol newydd o'r enw'r Taliad Cymorth Profedigaeth (TCP) i briodau a phartneriaid sifil sy'n goroesi a wneir yn weddw ar 6 Ebrill 2017 neu ar ôl hynny. Mae'r diwygiadau yn sicrhau y caiff taliadau amrywiol o'r TCP eu diystyru wrth gyfrifo incwm fel bod, yn gyntaf, y taliad uwch cychwynnol ac unrhyw ôl-ddyledion sydd wedi eu cynnwys yn y taliad misol cyntaf yn cael eu trin fel cyfalaf, a diystyriad o 12 mis yn cael ei gymhwyso o'r dyddiad talu, ac yn ail, fel bod taliadau misol llai dilynol (ac eithrio ôl-ddyledion) yn cael eu trin fel incwm a'u diystyru am fis. Gwneir yr un diwygiadau i'r Rheoliadau Cynllun Diofyn gan reoliadau 17(b), 18 a 19(a) ac (c).

The amendments to the Prescribed Requirements Regulations made by regulations 5, 9(b) and 10(a) and (c) are made in consequence of a new social security benefit called Bereavement Support Payment (BSP) for surviving spouses and civil partners who are widowed on or after 6 April 2017. The amendments ensure that the various payments of BSP are disregarded in the calculation of income so that firstly, the initial larger payment and any arrears which are included in the first monthly payment are treated as capital, and a 12 month disregard is applied from the date of payment and secondly, subsequent smaller monthly payments (except for arrears) are treated as income and disregarded for a month. The same amendments are made to the Default Scheme Regulations by regulations 17(b), 18 and 19(a) and (c).

Gwneir y diwygiadau i'r Rheoliadau Gofynion Rhagnodedig a wneir gan reoliadau 9(a) a 10(b) o ganlyniad i newid enw a throsglwyddo swyddogaethau o'r Ysgrifennydd Gwladol dros Iechyd i'r Ysgrifennydd Gwladol dros Iechyd a Gofal Cymdeithasol a wneir gan Orchymyn yr Ysgrifenyddion Gwladol dros Iechyd a Gofal Cymdeithasol a thros Dai, Cymunedau a Llywodraeth Leol a Throsglwyddo Swyddogaethau (Tir Cyfunddaliad) 2018. Gwneir yr un diwygiadau i'r Rheoliadau Cynllun Diofyn gan reoliadau 17(a) a 19(b).

The amendments to the Prescribed Requirements Regulations made by regulations 9(a) and 10(b) are made in consequence of the change of name and transfer of functions from the Secretary of State for Health to the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care made by the Secretaries of State for Health and Social Care and for Housing, Communities and Local Government and Transfer of Functions (Commonhold Land) Order 2018. The same amendments are made to the Default Scheme Regulations by regulations 17(a) and 19(b).

Bwriad y diwygiad i'r Rheoliadau Gofynion Rhagnodedig a wneir gan reoliad 8 yw egluro'r amodau cymhwyso ar gyfer diystyriad pan fo ceisydd yn aelod o gwpl. Ei fwriad yw egluro bod rhaid i'r person sy'n gweithio hefyd fod y person sy'n bodloni'r amodau cymhwyso drwy fod y person—

The amendment to the Prescribed Requirements Regulations made by regulation 8 is intended to clarify the qualifying conditions for a disregard when an applicant is a member of a couple. It is intended to clarify that the person working must also be the person who meets the qualifying conditions by being the person who is—

- sydd â hawl i bremiwm anabledd, neu
- sy'n derbyn yr elfen gymorth fel rhan o'i ddyfarniad o'r Lwfans Cyflogaeth a Chymorth (LCCh), neu
- sydd yn y grŵp gweithgaredd perthynol i waith ar gyfer LCCh.

Gwneir yr un diwygiad i'r Rheoliadau Cynllun Diofyn gan reoliad 16.

Caiff y diwygiadau a wneir i'r Rheoliadau Gofynion Rhagnodedig gan reoliadau 3(b) a 6(b) eu gwneud o ganlyniad i'r ffaith fod Rhan 1 o Ddeddf Rheoleiddio ac Arolygu Gofal Cymdeithasol (Cymru) 2016 ar fin cychwyn mewn perthynas â gwasanaeth maethu o fewn ystyr y Ddeddf honno. Mae'r cynllun a ddefnyddir ar hyn o bryd i gymeradwyo rhieni maeth wedi ei nodi yn Rheoliadau Gwasanaethau Maethu (Cymru) 2003 ("Rheoliadau 2003"). Fodd bynnag, mae'n bosibl y caiff y Rheoliadau hynny eu disodli gan Reoliadau pellach a wneir yn unol ag adrannau 87 a 93 o Ddeddf Gwasanaethau Cymdeithasol a Llesiant (Cymru) 2014 ("Deddf 2014") yn ystod y flwyddyn ariannol nesaf. Gwneir y diwygiad er mwyn sicrhau y bydd rhieni maeth a gymeradwyir o dan Reoliadau 2003 neu o dan unrhyw reoliadau a wneir yn unol ag adrannau 87 a 93 o Ddeddf 2014 yn ddarostyngedig i'r ddarpariaeth a wneir yn y Rheoliadau Gofynion Rhagnodedig mewn cysylltiad â thrin costau gofal plant. Mae rheoliad 13 yn gwneud yr un diwygiad yn y Rheoliadau Cynllun Diofyn.

Mae'r diwygiad i'r Rheoliadau Gofynion Rhagnodedig a wneir gan reoliad 6(a)(vi) yn egluro'r sefyllfa mewn cysylltiad â didyniadau annibynyddion fel na fydd unrhyw ddidyniad yn digwydd pan na fo annibynnydd yn y grŵp gweithgaredd perthynol i waith ac yn derbyn budd-daliadau penodol, sef cymhorthdal incwm, credyd pensiwn y wladwriaeth, lwfans ceisio gwaith ar sail incwm neu lwfans cyflogaeth a chymorth ar sail incwm.

Ystyriwyd Cod Ymarfer Gweinidogion Cymru ar gynnal Asesiadau Effaith Rheoleiddiol mewn perthynas â'r Rheoliadau hyn. O ganlyniad, lluniwyd asesiad effaith rheoleiddiol o'r costau a'r manteision sy'n debygol o ddeillio o gydymffurfio â'r Rheoliadau hyn. Gellir cael copi oddi wrth yr Is-adran Cyllid Llywodraeth Leol a Pherfformiad Gwasanaethau Cyhoeddus, Llywodraeth Cymru, Parc Cathays, Caerdydd, CF10 3NQ.

- entitled to a disability premium, or
- is receiving the support component as part of their award of Employment and Support Allowance (ESA), or
- is in the work-related activity group for ESA.

The same amendment is made to the Default Scheme Regulations by regulation 16.

The amendments made to the Prescribed Requirements Regulations by regulations 3(b) and 6(b) are made in consequence of the imminent commencement of Part 1 of the Regulation and Inspection of Social Care (Wales) Act 2016 in relation to a fostering service within the meaning of that Act. The scheme by which foster parents are currently approved is set out in the Fostering Services (Wales) Regulations 2003 ("the 2003 Regulations"). However, those Regulations may be replaced by further Regulations made pursuant to sections 87 and 93 of the Social Services and Well-being (Wales) Act 2014 ("the 2014 Act") during the next financial year. The amendment is made so as to ensure that foster parents approved under the 2003 Regulations or under any regulations made pursuant to sections 87 and 93 of the 2014 Act will be subject to provision made in the Prescribed Requirements Regulations in respect of the treatment of child care charges. Regulation 13 makes the same amendment in the Default Scheme Regulations.

The amendment to the Prescribed Requirements Regulations made by regulation 6(a)(vi) clarifies the position in respect of non dependent deductions so that no deduction will occur where a non dependent is not in the work related activity group and is in receipt of certain benefits, namely income support, state pension credit, an income-based jobseeker's allowance or an income related employment and support allowance.

The Welsh Ministers' Code of Practice on the carrying out of Regulatory Impact Assessments was considered in relation to these Regulations. As a result, a regulatory impact assessment has been prepared as to the likely costs and benefits of complying with these Regulations. A copy can be obtained from the Local Government Finance and Public Services Performance Division, Welsh Government, Cathays Park, Cardiff, CF10 3NQ.

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Y DRETH GYNGOR, CYMRU

Rheoliadau Cynlluniau Gostyngiadau'r Dreth Gyngor (Gofynion Rhagnodedig a'r Cynllun Diofyn) (Cymru) (Diwygio) 2019

Gwnaed *8 Ionawr 2019*

Yn dod i rym yn unol â rheoliad 1(2)

Mae Gweinidogion Cymru yn gwneud y Rheoliadau a ganlyn drwy arfer y pwerau a roddir iddynt gan adran 13A(4) a (5) o Ddeddf Cyllid Llywodraeth Leol 1992(**1**), a pharagraffau 2 i 7 o Atodlen 1B iddi.

Yn unol ag adran 13A(8) o'r Ddeddf honno, gosodwyd drafft o'r offeryn hwn gerbron Cynulliad Cenedlaethol Cymru a'i gymeradwyo drwy benderfyniad ganddo.

Enwi, cychwyn a dehongli

1.—(1) Enw'r Rheoliadau hyn yw Rheoliadau Cynlluniau Gostyngiadau'r Dreth Gyngor (Gofynion Rhagnodedig a'r Cynllun Diofyn) (Cymru) (Diwygio) 2019.

(2) Daw'r Rheoliadau hyn i rym drannoeth y diwrnod y'u gwneir.

(3) Mae'r Rheoliadau hyn yn gymwys mewn perthynas â chynllun gostyngiadau'r dreth gyngor a wneir ar gyfer blwyddyn ariannol sy'n dechrau ar 1 Ebrill 2019 neu ar ôl hynny.

(**1**) 1992 p. 14. Amnewidiwyd adran 13A gan adran 10(1) o Ddeddf Cyllid Llywodraeth Leol 2012 (p. 17) a mewnosodwyd Atodlen 1B gan adran 10(2) o'r Ddeddf honno, ac Atodlen 4 iddi.

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COUNCIL TAX, WALES

The Council Tax Reduction Schemes (Prescribed Requirements and Default Scheme) (Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2019

Made *8 January 2019*

Coming into force in accordance with regulation 1(2)

The Welsh Ministers make the following Regulations in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by section 13A(4) and (5) of, and paragraphs 2 to 7 of Schedule 1B to, the Local Government Finance Act 1992(**1**).

In accordance with section 13A(8) of that Act, a draft of this instrument has been laid before and approved by resolution of the National Assembly for Wales.

Title, commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) The title of these Regulations is the Council Tax Reduction Schemes (Prescribed Requirements and Default Scheme) (Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2019.

(2) These Regulations come into force the day after the day on which they are made.

(3) These Regulations apply in relation to a council tax reduction scheme made for a financial year beginning on or after 1 April 2019.

(**1**) 1992 c.14. Section 13A was substituted by section 10(1) of the Local Government Finance Act 2012 (c. 17) and Schedule 1B was inserted by section 10(2) of, and Schedule 4 to, that Act.

(4) Yn y Rheoliadau hyn ystyr "cynllun gostyngiadau'r dreth gyngor" yw cynllun a wneir gan awdurdod bilio yn unol â Rheoliadau Cynlluniau Gostyngiadau'r Dreth Gyngor a Gofynion Rhagnodedig (Cymru) 2013(**1**), neu'r cynllun sy'n gymwys yn ddiofyn yn rhinwedd paragraff 6(1)(e) o Atodlen 1B i Ddeddf Cyllid Llywodraeth Leol 1992.

Diwygiadau i Reoliadau Cynlluniau Gostyngiadau'r Dreth Cyngor a Gofynion Rhagnodedig (Cymru) 2013

2. Mae Rheoliadau Cynlluniau Gostyngiadau'r Dreth Gyngor a Gofynion Rhagnodedig (Cymru) 2013 wedi eu diwygio yn unol â rheoliadau 3 i 10.

3. Yn Atodlen 1 (penderfynu cymhwystra am ostyngiad: pensiynwyr)—

(a) ym mharagraff 3 (didyniadau annibynyddion: pensiynwyr)—

(i) yn is-baragraff (1)(a) yn lle "£13.10" rhodder "£13.75";

(ii) yn is-baragraff (1)(b) yn lle "£4.35" rhodder "£4.55";

(iii) yn is-baragraff (2)(a) yn lle "£205.00" rhodder "£210.00";

(iv) yn is-baragraff (2)(b) yn lle "£205.00", "£355.00" ac "£8.70" rhodder "£210.00", "£365.00" a "£9.15" yn y drefn honno;

(v) yn is-baragraff (2)(c) yn lle "£355.00", "£440.00" a "£10.95" rhodder "£365.00", "£450.00" ac "£11.50" yn y drefn honno;

(b) ym mharagraff 19(8)(k) (trin costau gofal plant: pensiynwyr), yn lle "Rheoliadau Gwasanaethau Maethu (Cymru) 2003" rhodder "Rheoliadau Gwasanaethau Maethu (Cymru) 2003(**2**), neu unrhyw reoliadau a wneir o dan adrannau 87 a 93 o Ddeddf Gwasanaethau Cymdeithasol a Llesiant (Cymru) 2014(**3**) sy'n gwneud darpariaeth ar gyfer cymeradwyo rhieni maeth awdurdodau lleol".

4. Yn Atodlen 2 (symiau cymwysadwy: pensiynwyr)—

(a) yng ngholofn (2) o'r Tabl ym mharagraff 1 (lwfansau personol)—

(4) In these Regulations "council tax reduction scheme" means a scheme made by a billing authority in accordance with the Council Tax Reduction Schemes and Prescribed Requirements (Wales) Regulations 2013(**1**), or the scheme that applies in default by virtue of paragraph 6(1)(e) of Schedule 1B to the Local Government Finance Act 1992.

Amendments to the Council Tax Reduction Schemes and Prescribed Requirements (Wales) Regulations 2013

2. The Council Tax Reduction Schemes and Prescribed Requirements (Wales) Regulations 2013 are amended in accordance with regulations 3 to 10.

3. In Schedule 1 (determining eligibility for a reduction: pensioners)—

(a) in paragraph 3 (non-dependant deductions: pensioners)—

(i) in sub-paragraph (1)(a) for "£13.10" substitute "£13.75";

(ii) in sub-paragraph (1)(b) for "£4.35" substitute "£4.55";

(iii) in sub-paragraph (2)(a) for "£205.00" substitute "£210.00";

(iv) in sub-paragraph (2)(b) for "£205.00", "£355.00" and "£8.70" substitute "£210.00", "£365.00" and "£9.15" respectively;

(v) in sub-paragraph (2)(c) for "£355.00", "£440.00" and "£10.95" substitute "£365.00", "£450.00" and "£11.50" respectively;

(b) in paragraph 19(8)(k) (treatment of child care charges: pensioners), for "Fostering Services (Wales) Regulations 2003" substitute "Fostering Services (Wales) Regulations 2003(**2**) or any regulations made under sections 87 and 93 of the Social Services and Well-being (Wales) Act 2014(**3**) which make provision for the approval of local authority foster parents".

4. In Schedule 2 (applicable amounts: pensioners)—

(a) in column (2) of the Table in paragraph 1 (personal allowances)—

(**1**) O.S. 2013/3029 (Cy. 301), a ddiwygiwyd gan O.S. 2014/66 (Cy. 6), O.S. 2014/825 (Cy. 83), O.S. 2014/852, O.S. 2015/44 (Cy. 3), O.S. 2015/971, O.S. 2016/50 (Cy. 21), O.S. 2017/46 (Cy. 20) ac O.S. 2018/14 (Cy. 7).
(**2**) O.S. 2003/237 (Cy. 35).
(**3**) 2014 dccc 4.

(**1**) S.I. 2013/3029 (W. 301), amended by S.I. 2014/66 (W. 6), S.I. 2014/825 (W. 83), S.I. 2014/852, S.I. 2015/44 (W. 3), S.I. 2015/971, S.I. 2016/50 (W. 21), S.I. 2017/46 (W. 20) and S.I. 2018/14 (W. 7).
(**2**) S.I. 2003/237 (W. 35).
(**3**) 2014 anaw 4.

(i) yn is-baragraff (1) yn lle "£163.00" a "£176.40" rhodder "£167.25" a "£181.00" yn y drefn honno;

(ii) yn is-baragraff (2) yn lle "£248.80" a "£263.80" rhodder "£255.25" a "£270.60" yn y drefn honno;

(iii) yn is-baragraff (3) yn lle "£248.80" ac "£85.80" rhodder "£255.25" ac "£88.00" yn y drefn honno;

(iv) yn is-baragraff (4) yn lle "£263.80" ac "£87.40" rhodder "£270.60" ac "£89.60" yn y drefn honno;

(b) yn y Tabl yn Rhan 4 (symiau'r premiymau a bennir yn Rhan 3), yn yr ail golofn—

(i) yn is-baragraff (1) yn lle "£64.30" ym mhob lle y mae'n digwydd rhodder "£65.85" ac yn lle "£128.60" rhodder "£131.70";

(ii) yn is-baragraff (2) yn lle "£25.48" rhodder "£26.04";

(iii) yn is-baragraff (3) yn lle "£62.86" rhodder "£64.19";

(iv) yn is-baragraff (4) yn lle "£36.00" rhodder "£36.85".

5. Yn Atodlen 5 (diystyriadau cyfalaf: pensiynwyr)—

(a) ym mharagraff 21(2)—

(i) ym mharagraff (p) hepgorer "neu;";

(ii) ym mharagraff (q) yn lle "." rhodder "; neu";

(iii) ar ôl paragraff (q) mewnosoder—

"(r) taliad cymorth profedigaeth o dan adran 30 o Ddeddf Pensiynau 2014(**1**),"; a

(b) ar ôl paragraff 28B mewnosoder—

"**28C.** Unrhyw daliad cymorth profedigaeth mewn cysylltiad â'r gyfradd a bennir yn rheoliad 3(2) neu (5) o Reoliadau Taliad Cymorth Profedigaeth 2017(**2**) (cyfradd y taliad cymorth profedigaeth), ond am gyfnod o 52 o wythnosau yn unig o ddyddiad cael y taliad."

6. Yn Atodlen 6 (penderfynu cymhwystra am ostyngiad o dan gynllun awdurdod, swm unrhyw ostyngiad, a chyfrifo incwm a chyfalaf: personau nad ydynt yn bensiynwyr)—

(i) in sub-paragraph (1) for "£163.00" and "£176.40" substitute "£167.25" and "£181.00" respectively;

(ii) in sub-paragraph (2) for "£248.80" and "£263.80" substitute "£255.25" and "£270.60" respectively;

(iii) in sub-paragraph (3) for "£248.80" and "£85.80" substitute "£255.25" and "£88.00" respectively;

(iv) in sub-paragraph (4) for "£263.80" and "£87.40" substitute "£270.60" and "£89.60" respectively;

(b) in the Table in Part 4 (amounts of premium specified in Part 3), in the second column—

(i) in sub-paragraph (1) for "£64.30" in each place where it occurs substitute "£65.85" and for "£128.60" substitute "£131.70";

(ii) in sub-paragraph (2) for "£25.48" substitute "£26.04";

(iii) in sub-paragraph (3) for "£62.86" substitute "£64.19";

(iv) in sub-paragraph (4) for "£36.00" substitute "£36.85".

5. In Schedule 5 (capital disregards: pensioners)—

(a) in paragraph 21(2)—

(i) in paragraph (p) omit "or";

(ii) in paragraph (q) for "." substitute "; or";

(iii) after paragraph (q) insert—

"(r) bereavement support payment under section 30 of the Pensions Act 2014(**1**),"; and

(b) after paragraph 28B insert—

"**28C.** Any bereavement support payment in respect of the rate set out in regulation 3(2) or (5) of the Bereavement Support Payment Regulations 2017(**2**) (rate of bereavement support payment), but only for a period of 52 weeks from the date of receipt of the payment."

6. In Schedule 6 (determining eligibility for a reduction under an authority's scheme, amount of reduction and calculation of income and capital: persons who are not pensioners)—

(**1**) 2014 p. 19.
(**2**) O.S. 2017/410.

(**1**) 2014 c. 19.
(**2**) S.I. 2017/410.

(a) ym mharagraff 5 (didyniadau annibynyddion: personau nad ydynt yn bensiynwyr)—

(i) yn is-baragraff (1)(a) yn lle "£13.10" rhodder "£13.75";

(ii) yn is-baragraff (1)(b) yn lle "£4.35" rhodder "£4.55";

(iii) yn is-baragraff (2)(a) yn lle "£205.00" rhodder "£210.00";

(iv) yn is-baragraff (2)(b) yn lle "£205.00", "£355.00" ac "£8.70" rhodder "£210.00", "£365.00" a "£9.15" yn y drefn honno;

(v) yn is-baragraff (2)(c) yn lle "£355.00", "£440.00" a "£10.95" rhodder "£365.00", "£450.00" ac "£11.50" yn y drefn honno;

(vi) yn is-baragraff (8) yn lle paragraff (a) rhodder—

"(a) nad yw'n aelod o'r grŵp gweithgaredd perthynol i waith, ac sy'n derbyn cymhorthdal incwm, credyd pensiwn y wladwriaeth, lwfans ceisio gwaith ar sail incwm neu lwfans cyflogaeth a chymorth ar sail incwm;";

(b) ym mharagraff 21(8)(k) (trin costau gofal plant) yn lle "Rheoliadau Gwasanaethau Maethu (Cymru) 2003" rhodder "Rheoliadau Gwasanaethau Maethu (Cymru) 2003 neu unrhyw reoliadau a wneir o dan adrannau 87 a 93 o Ddeddf Gwasanaethau Cymdeithasol a Llesiant 2014 sy'n gwneud darpariaeth ar gyfer cymeradwyo rhieni maeth awdurdodau lleol".

7. Yn Atodlen 7 (symiau cymwysadwy: personau nad ydynt yn bensiynwyr)—

(a) yng ngholofn (2) o'r Tabl ym mharagraff 1 (lwfansau personol)—

(i) yn is-baragraff (1) yn lle "£76.10" ym mhob lle y mae'n digwydd rhodder "£77.90" ac yn lle "£60.25" rhodder "£61.70";

(ii) yn is-baragraff (2) yn lle "£76.10" rhodder "£77.90";

(iii) yn is-baragraff (3) yn lle "£119.50" rhodder "£122.35";

(b) yn y Tabl yn Rhan 4 (symiau'r premiymau a bennir yn Rhan 3), yn yr ail golofn—

(i) yn is-baragraff (1) yn lle "£33.55" a "£47.80" rhodder "£34.35" a "£48.95" yn y drefn honno;

(a) in paragraph 5 (non-dependent deductions: persons who are not pensioners)—

(i) in sub-paragraph (1)(a) for "£13.10" substitute "£13.75";

(ii) in sub-paragraph (1)(b) for "£4.35" substitute "£4.55";

(iii) in sub-paragraph (2)(a) for "£205.00" substitute "£210.00";

(iv) in sub-paragraph (2)(b) for "£205.00", "£355.00" and "£8.70" substitute "£210.00", "£365.00" and "£9.15" respectively;

(v) in sub-paragraph (2)(c) for "£355.00", "£440.00" and "£10.95" substitute "£365.00", "£450.00" and "£11.50" respectively;

(vi) in sub-paragraph (8) for paragraph (a) substitute—

"(a) who is not a member of the work-related activity group, and is on income support, state pension credit, an income-based jobseeker's allowance or income related employment and support allowance;";

(b) in paragraph 21(8)(k) (treatment of child care charges) for "Fostering Services (Wales) Regulations 2003" substitute "Fostering Service (Wales) Regulations 2003 or any regulations made under sections 87 and 93 of the Social Services and Well-being (Wales) Act 2014 which make provision for the approval of local authority foster parents."

7. In Schedule 7 (applicable amounts: persons who are not pensioners)—

(a) in column (2) of the Table in paragraph 1 (personal allowances)—

(i) in sub-paragraph (1) for "£76.10" in each place in which it occurs substitute "£77.90" and for "£60.25" substitute "£61.70";

(ii) in sub-paragraph (2) for "£76.10" substitute "£77.90";

(iii) in sub-paragraph (3) for "£119.50" substitute "£122.35";

(b) in the Table in Part 4 (amounts of premiums specified in Part 3), in the second column—

(i) in sub-paragraph (1) for "£33.55" and "£47.80" substitute "£34.35" and "£48.95" respectively;

(ii) yn is-baragraff (2) yn lle "£64.30" ym mhob lle y mae'n digwydd rhodder "£65.85" ac yn lle "£128.60" rhodder "£131.70";

(iii) yn is-baragraff (3) yn lle "£62.86" rhodder "£64.19";

(iv) yn is-baragraff (4) yn lle "£36.00" rhodder "£36.85";

(v) yn is-baragraff (5) yn lle "£25.48", "£16.40" a "£23.55" rhodder "£26.04", "£16.80" a "£24.10" yn y drefn honno;

(c) yn Rhan 6 (symiau'r elfennau), ym mharagraff 24 (swm yr elfen gymorth), yn lle "£37.65" rhodder "£38.55".

8. Yn Atodlen 8 (symiau a ddiystyrir wrth gyfrifo enillion: personau nad ydynt yn bensiynwyr), ym mharagraff 18(2)(b), yn lle is-baragraff (iv) rhodder—

"(iv) y ceisydd, nad yw'n aelod o gwpl, yn ymgymryd â gwaith am dâl am ddim llai nag 16 awr yr wythnos ar gyfartaledd, a bod—

(aa) swm cymwysadwy'r ceisydd yn cynnwys premiwm anabledd o dan baragraff 9 o Atodlen 7 neu'r elfen gymorth o dan baragraff 22 o Atodlen 7; neu

(bb) y ceisydd yn aelod o'r grŵp gweithgaredd perthynol i waith; neu

(v) y ceisydd yn aelod o gwpl ac o leiaf un aelod o'r cwpl hwnnw yn ymgymryd â gwaith am dâl am ddim llai nag 16 awr yr wythnos ar gyfartaledd, a bod yr aelod hwnnw o'r cwpl—

(aa) yn bodloni'r amodau cymhwyso ar gyfer y premiwm anabledd o dan baragraff 9 o Atodlen 7 neu'r elfen gymorth o dan baragraff 22 o Atodlen 7; neu

(bb) yn aelod o'r grŵp gweithgaredd perthynol i waith."

9. Yn Atodlen 9 (symiau a ddiystyrir wrth gyfrifo incwm ac eithrio enillion: personau nad ydynt yn bensiynwyr)—

(ii) in sub-paragraph (2) for "£64.30" in each place in which it occurs substitute "£65.85" and for "£128.60" substitute "£131.70";

(iii) in sub-paragraph (3) for "£62.86" substitute "£64.19";

(iv) in sub-paragraph (4) for "£36.00" substitute "£36.85";

(v) in sub-paragraph (5) for "£25.48", "£16.40", and "£23.55" substitute "£26.04", "£16.80" and "£24.10" respectively;

(c) in Part 6 (amount of components), in paragraph 24 (amount of support component), for "£37.65" substitute "£38.55".

8. In Schedule 8 (sums disregarded in the calculation of earnings: persons who are not pensioners), in paragraph 18(2)(b), for sub-paragraph (iv) substitute—

"(iv) not being a member of a couple, is engaged in remunerative work for on average not less than 16 hours per week and—

(aa) the applicant's applicable amount includes a disability premium under paragraph 9 of Schedule 7 or the support component under paragraph 22 of Schedule 7; or

(bb) the applicant is a member of the work-related activity group; or

(v) is a member of a couple and at least one member of that couple is engaged in remunerative work for on average not less than 16 hours per week and that member of the couple—

(aa) satisfies the qualifying conditions for the disability premium under paragraph 9 of Schedule 7 or the support component under paragraph 22 of Schedule 7; or

(bb) is a member of the work-related activity group."

9. In Schedule 9 (sums disregarded in the calculation of income other than earnings: persons who are not pensioners)—

(a) ym mharagraff 46(2) ar ôl "Ysgrifennydd Gwladol dros Iechyd" mewnosoder "a Gofal Cymdeithasol";

(b) ar ôl paragraff 66 mewnosoder—

"**67.** Unrhyw daliad cymorth profedigaeth o dan adran 30 o Ddeddf Pensiynau 2014 (taliad cymorth profedigaeth) ac eithrio unrhyw daliad o'r fath a ddiystyrir fel cyfalaf o dan baragraff 12(1)(h) neu 65 o Atodlen 10."

10. Yn Atodlen 10 (diystyriadau cyfalaf: personau nad ydynt yn bensiynwyr)—

(a) ym mharagraff 12(1)—

(i) ym mharagraff (g) yn lle "," rhodder ";";

(ii) ar ôl paragraff (g) mewnosoder—

"(h) taliad cymorth profedigaeth o dan adran 30 o Ddeddf Pensiynau 2014,";

(b) ym mharagraff 43(2) ar ôl "Ysgrifennydd Gwladol dros Iechyd" mewnosoder "a Gofal Cymdeithasol";

(c) ar ôl paragraff 64 mewnosoder—

"**65.** Unrhyw daliad cymorth profedigaeth mewn cysylltiad â'r gyfradd a bennir yn rheoliad 3(2) neu (5) o Reoliadau Cymorth Profedigaeth 2017 (cyfradd y taliad cymorth profedigaeth), ond am gyfnod o 52 o wythnosau yn unig o ddyddiad cael y taliad."

Diwygiadau i Reoliadau Cynlluniau Gostyngiadau'r Dreth Gyngor (Cynllun Diofyn) (Cymru) 2013

11. Mae'r cynllun a nodir yn yr Atodlen i Reoliadau Cynlluniau Gostyngiadau'r Dreth Gyngor (Cynllun Diofyn) (Cymru) 2013(**1**) wedi ei ddiwygio yn unol â rheoliadau 12 i 19.

12. Ym mharagraff 28 (didyniadau annibynyddion: pensiynwyr a phersonau nad ydynt yn bensiynwyr)—

(a) yn is-baragraff (1)(a) yn lle "£13.10" rhodder "£13.75";

(b) yn is-baragraff (1)(b) yn lle "£4.35" rhodder "£4.55";

(c) yn is-baragraff (2)(a) yn lle "£205.00" rhodder "£210.00";

(d) yn is-baragraff (2)(b) yn lle "£205.00", "£355.00" ac "£8.70" rhodder "£210.00", "£365.00" a "£9.15" yn y drefn honno;

(a) in paragraph 46(2) after "Secretary of State for Health" insert "and Social Care";

(b) after paragraph 66 insert—

"**67.** Any bereavement support payment under section 30 of the Pensions Act 2014 (bereavement support payment) except any such payment which is disregarded as capital under paragraph 12(1)(h) or 65 of Schedule 10."

10. In Schedule 10 (capital disregards: persons who are not pensioners)—

(a) in paragraph 12(1)—

(i) in paragraph (g) for "," substitute ";";

(ii) after paragraph (g) insert—

"(h) bereavement support payment under section 30 of the Pensions Act 2014,";

(b) in paragraph 43(2) after "Secretary of State for Health" insert "and Social Care";

(c) after paragraph 64 insert—

"**65.** Any bereavement support payment in respect of the rate set out in regulation 3(2) or (5) of the Bereavement Support Payment Regulations 2017 (rate of bereavement support payment), but only for a period of 52 weeks from the date of receipt of the payment."

Amendments to the Council Tax Reduction Schemes (Default Scheme) (Wales) Regulations 2013

11. The scheme set out in the Schedule to the Council Tax Reduction Schemes (Default Scheme) (Wales) Regulations 2013(**1**) is amended in accordance with regulations 12 to 19.

12. In paragraph 28 (non-dependant deductions: pensioners and persons who are not pensioners)—

(a) in sub-paragraph (1)(a) for "£13.10" substitute "£13.75";

(b) in sub-paragraph (1)(b) for "£4.35" substitute "£4.55";

(c) in sub-paragraph (2)(a) for "£205.00" substitute "£210.00";

(d) in sub-paragraph (2)(b) for "£205.00", "£355.00" and "£8.70" substitute "£210.00", "£365.00" and "£9.15" respectively;

(**1**) O.S. 2013/3035 (Cy. 303), a ddiwygiwyd gan O.S. 2014/66 (Cy. 6), O.S. 2014/825 (Cy. 83), O.S. 2014/852, O.S. 2015/44 (Cy. 3), O.S. 2015/971, O.S. 2016/50 (Cy. 21), O.S. 2017/46 (Cy. 20) ac O.S. 2018/14 (Cy. 7).

(**1**) S.I. 2013/3035 (W. 303), amended by S.I. 2014/66 (W. 6), S.I. 2014/825 (W. 83), S.I. 2014/852, S.I 2015/44 (W. 3), S.I. 2015/971, S.I. 2016/50 (W. 21), S.I. 2017/46 (W. 20) and S.I. 2018/14 (W. 7).

(e) yn is-baragraff (2)(c) yn lle “£355.00”, “£440.00” a “£10.95” rhodder “£365.00”, “£450.00” ac “£11.50”.

13. Ym mharagraff 55(8)(k) (trin costau gofal plant) yn lle “Rheoliadau Gwasanaethau Maethu (Cymru) 2003” rhodder “Rheoliadau Gwasanaethau Maethu (Cymru) 2003 neu unrhyw reoliadau a wneir o dan adrannau 87 a 93 o Ddeddf Gwasanaethau Cymdeithasol a Llesiant (Cymru) 2014 sy’n gwneud darpariaeth ar gyfer cymeradwyo rhieni maeth awdurdodau lleol”.

14. Yn Atodlen 2 (symiau cymwysadwy: pensiynwyr)—

(a) yng ngholofn (2) o’r Tabl ym mharagraff 1 (lwfansau personol)—

(i) yn is-baragraff (1) yn lle “£163.00” a “£176.40” rhodder “£167.25” a “£181.00” yn y drefn honno;

(ii) yn is-baragraff (2) yn lle “£248.80” a “£263.80” rhodder “£255.25” a “£270.60” yn y drefn honno;

(iii) yn is-baragraff (3) yn lle “£248.80” ac “£85.80” rhodder “£255.25” ac “£88.00” yn y drefn honno;

(iv) yn is-baragraff (4) yn lle “£263.80” ac “£87.40” rhodder “£270.60” ac “£89.60” yn y drefn honno;

(b) yn y Tabl yn Rhan 4 (symiau’r premiymau a bennir yn Rhan 3), yn yr ail golofn—

(i) yn is-baragraff (1) yn lle “£64.30” ym mhob lle y mae’n digwydd rhodder “£65.85” ac yn lle “£128.60” rhodder “£131.70”;

(ii) yn is-baragraff (2) yn lle “£25.48” rhodder “£26.04”;

(iii) yn is-baragraff (3) yn lle “£62.86” rhodder “£64.19”;

(iv) yn is-baragraff (4) yn lle “£36.00” rhodder “£36.85”.

15. Yn Atodlen 3 (symiau cymwysadwy: personau nad ydynt yn bensiynwyr)—

(a) yng ngholofn (2) o’r Tabl ym mharagraff 1 (lwfansau personol)—

(i) yn is-baragraff (1) yn lle “£76.10” ym mhob lle y mae’n digwydd rhodder “£77.90” ac yn lle “£60.25” rhodder “£61.70”;

(ii) yn is-baragraff (2) yn lle “£76.10” rhodder “£77.90”;

(iii) yn is-baragraff (3) yn lle “£119.50” rhodder “£122.35”;

(e) in sub-paragraph (2)(c) for “£355.00”, “£440.00” and “£10.95” substitute “£365.00”, “£450.00” and “£11.50”.

13. In paragraph 55(8)(k) (treatment of child care charges) for “Fostering Services (Wales) Regulations 2003” substitute “Fostering Services (Wales) Regulations 2003 or any regulations made under sections 87 and 93 of the Social Services and Well-being (Wales) Act 2014 which make provision for the approval of local authority foster parents”.

14. In Schedule 2 (applicable amounts: pensioners)—

(a) in column (2) of the Table in paragraph 1 (personal allowances)—

(i) in sub-paragraph (1) for “£163.00” and “£176.40” substitute “£167.25” and “£181.00” respectively;

(ii) in sub-paragraph (2) for “£248.80” and “£263.80” substitute “£255.25” and “£270.60” respectively;

(iii) in sub-paragraph (3) for “£248.80” and “£85.80” substitute “£255.25” and “£88.00” respectively;

(iv) in sub-paragraph (4) for “£263.80” and “£87.40” substitute “£270.60” and “£89.60” respectively;

(b) in the Table in Part 4 (amounts of premiums specified in Part 3), in the second column—

(i) in sub-paragraph (1) for “£64.30” in each place in which it occurs substitute “£65.85” and for “£128.60” substitute “£131.70”;

(ii) in sub-paragraph (2) for “£25.48” substitute “£26.04”;

(iii) in sub-paragraph (3) for “£62.86” substitute “£64.19”;

(iv) in sub-paragraph (4) for “£36.00” substitute “£36.85”.

15. In Schedule 3 (applicable amounts: persons who are not pensioners)—

(a) in column (2) of the Table in paragraph 1 (personal allowances)—

(i) in sub-paragraph (1) for “£76.10” in each place in which it occurs substitute “£77.90” and for “£60.25” substitute “£61.70”;

(ii) in sub-paragraph (2) for “£76.10” substitute “£77.90”;

(iii) in sub-paragraph (3) for “£119.50” substitute “£122.35”;

(b) yn y Tabl yn Rhan 4 (symiau'r premiymau a bennir yn Rhan 3), yn yr ail golofn—

(i) yn is-baragraff (1) yn lle "£33.55" a "£47.80" rhodder "£34.35" a "£48.95" yn y drefn honno;

(ii) yn is-baragraff (2) yn lle "£64.30" ym mhob lle y mae'n digwydd rhodder "£65.85" ac yn lle "£128.60" rhodder "£131.70";

(iii) yn is-baragraff (3) yn lle "£62.86" rhodder "£64.19";

(iv) yn is-baragraff (4) yn lle "£36.00" rhodder "£36.85";

(v) yn is-baragraff (5) yn lle "£25.48", "£16.40" a "£23.55" rhodder "£26.04", "£16.80" a "£24.10" yn y drefn honno;

(c) yn Rhan 6 (symiau'r elfennau), ym mharagraff 24 (swm yr elfen gymorth), yn lle "£37.65" rhodder "£38.55".

16. Yn Atodlen 6 (symiau a ddiystyrir wrth gyfrifo enillion: personau nad ydynt yn bensiynwyr), ym mharagraff 18(2)(b), yn lle is-baragraff (iv) rhodder—

"(iv) y ceisydd, nad yw'n aelod o gwpl, yn ymgymryd â gwaith am dâl am ddim llai nag 16 yr wythnos ar gyfartaledd, a bod—

(aa) swm cymwysadwy'r ceisydd yn cynnwys premiwm anabledd o dan baragraff 9 o Atodlen 3 neu'r elfen gymorth o dan baragraff 22 o Atodlen 3; neu

(bb) y ceisydd yn aelod o'r grŵp gweithgaredd perthynol i waith; neu

(v) y ceisydd yn aelod o gwpl ac o leiaf un aelod o'r cwpl hwnnw yn ymgymryd â gwaith am dâl am ddim llai nag 16 awr yr wythnos ar gyfartaledd, a bod yr aelod hwnnw o'r cwpl—

(aa) yn bodloni'r amodau cymhwyso ar gyfer y premiwm anabledd o dan baragraff 9 o Atodlen 3 neu'r elfen gymorth o dan baragraff 22 o Atodlen 3; neu

(bb) yn aelod o'r grŵp gweithgaredd perthynol i waith."

(b) in the Table in Part 4 (amount of premiums specified in Part 3), in the second column—

(i) in sub-paragraph (1) for "£33.55" and "£47.80" substitute "£34.35" and "£48.95" respectively;

(ii) in sub-paragraph (2) for "£64.30" in each place in which it occurs substitute "£65.85" and for "£128.60" substitute "£131.70";

(iii) in sub-paragraph (3) for "£62.86" substitute "£64.19";

(iv) in sub-paragraph (4) for "£36.00" substitute "£36.85";

(v) in sub-paragraph (5) for "£25.48", "£16.40" and "£23.55" substitute "£26.04", "£16.80" and "£24.10" respectively;

(c) in Part 6 (amount of components), in paragraph 24 (amount of support component), for "£37.65" substitute "£38.55".

16. In Schedule 6 (sums disregarded in the calculation of earnings: persons who are not pensioners), in paragraph 18(2)(b), for sub-paragraph (iv) substitute—

"(iv) not being a member of a couple, is engaged in remunerative work for on average not less than 16 hours per week and—

(aa) the applicant's applicable amount includes a disability premium under paragraph 9 of Schedule 3 or the support component under paragraph 22 of Schedule 3; or

(bb) the applicant is a member of the work-related activity group; or

(v) is a member of a couple and at least one member of that couple is engaged in remunerative work for on average not less than 16 hours per week and that member of the couple—

(aa) satisfies the qualifying conditions for the disability premium under paragraph 9 of Schedule 3 or the support component under paragraph 22 of Schedule 3; or

(bb) is a member of the work-related activity group."

17. Yn Atodlen 7 (symiau a ddiystyrir wrth gyfrifo incwm ac eithrio enillion: personau nad ydynt yn bensiynwyr)—

(a) ym mharagraff 46(2) ar ôl "Ysgrifennydd Gwladol dros Iechyd" mewnosoder "a Gofal Cymdeithasol";

(b) ar ôl paragraff 66 mewnosoder—

"**67.** Unrhyw daliad cymorth profedigaeth o dan adran 30 o Ddeddf Pensiynau 2014 (taliad cymorth profedigaeth) ac eithrio unrhyw daliad o'r fath a ddiystyrir fel cyfalaf o dan baragraff 12(1)(h) o Atodlen 9 neu baragraff 65 o Atodlen 9."

18. Yn Atodlen 8 (diystyriadau cyfalaf: pensiynwyr)—

(a) ym mharagraff 21(2)—

(i) ym mharagraff (p) hepgorer "neu;";

(ii) ym mharagraff (q) yn lle "." rhodder "; neu";

(iii) ar ôl paragraff (q) mewnosoder—

"(r) taliad cymorth profedigaeth o dan adran 30 o Ddeddf Pensiynau 2014.";

(b) ar ôl paragraff 28B mewnosoder—

"**28C.** Unrhyw daliad cymorth profedigaeth mewn cysylltiad â'r gyfradd a bennir yn rheoliad 3(2) neu (5) o Reoliadau Taliad Cymorth Profedigaeth 2017 (cyfradd y taliad cymorth profedigaeth), ond am gyfnod o 52 o wythnosau yn unig o ddyddiad cael y taliad."

19. Yn Atodlen 9 (diystyriadau cyfalaf: personau nad ydynt yn bensiynwyr)—

(a) yn lle paragraff 12(1) rhodder—

"(1) Yn ddarostyngedig i is-baragraff (2), unrhyw ôl-ddyled o'r canlynol, neu unrhyw daliad consesiynol a wneir i ddigolledu am ôl-ddyled oherwydd methiant i dalu'r canlynol, ond am gyfnod o 52 o wythnosau yn unig o ddyddiad cael yr ôl-ddyled neu'r taliad consesiynol—

(a) unrhyw daliad a bennir ym mharagraffau 11, 13 neu 14 o Atodlen 7;

(b) budd-dal ar sail incwm o dan Ran 7 o DCBNC(**1**);

17. In Schedule 7 (sums disregarded in the calculation of income other than earnings: persons who are not pensioners)—

(a) in paragraph 46(2) after "Secretary of State for Health" insert "and Social Care";

(b) after paragraph 66 insert—

"**67.** Any bereavement support payment under section 30 of the Pensions Act 2014 (bereavement support payment) except any such payment which is disregarded as capital under paragraph 12(1)(h) of Schedule 9 or paragraph 65 of Schedule 9."

18. In Schedule 8 (capital disregards: pensioners)—

(a) in paragraph 21(2)—

(i) in paragraph (p) omit "or";

(ii) in paragraph (q) for "." substitute "; or";

(iii) after paragraph (q) insert—

"(r) bereavement support payment under section 30 of the Pensions Act 2014.";

(b) after paragraph 28B insert—

"**28C.** Any bereavement support payment in respect of the rate set out in regulation 3(2) or (5) of the Bereavement Support Payment Regulations 2017 (rate of bereavement support payment), but only for a period of 52 weeks from the date of receipt of the payment."

19. In Schedule 9 (capital disregards: persons who are not pensioners)—

(a) for paragraph 12(1) substitute—

"(1) Subject to sub-paragraph (2), any arrears of, or any concessionary payment made to compensate for arrears due to the non-payment of the following, but only for a period of 52 weeks from the date of the receipt of the arrears or of the concessionary payment—

(a) any payment specified in paragraphs 11, 13 or 14 of Schedule 7;

(b) an income-related benefit under Part 7 of the SSCBA(**1**);

(**1**) Ystyr "DCBNC" yw Deddf Cyfraniadau a Budd-daliadau Nawdd Cymdeithasol 1992 (p. 4); *gweler* y diffiniad yn rheoliad 2 o Reoliadau Cynlluniau Gostyngiadau'r Dreth Gyngor a Gofynion Rhagnodedig (Cymru) 2013 ac ym mharagraff 2 o'r cynllun a nodir yn yr Atodlen i Reoliadau Cynlluniau Gostyngiadau'r Dreth Gyngor (Cynlluniau Diofyn) (Cymru) 2013.

(**1**) The "SSCBA" means the Social Security Contributions and Benefits Act 1992 (c. 4); *see* definition in regulation 2 of the Council Tax Reduction Schemes and Prescribed Requirements (Wales) Regulations 2013 and in paragraph 2 of the scheme set out in the Schedule to the Council Tax Reduction Schemes (Default Scheme) (Wales) Regulations 2013.

(c) lwfans ceisio gwaith ar sail incwm;

(d) unrhyw daliad tai disgresiynol a delir yn unol â rheoliad 2(1) o Reoliadau Cymorth Ariannol Disgresiynol 2001(**1**);

(e) credyd treth gwaith a chredyd treth plant;

(f) lwfans cyflogaeth a chymorth ar sail incwm;

(g) credyd cynhwysol;

(h) taliad cymorth profedigaeth o dan adran 30 o Ddeddf Pensiynau 2014.";

(b) ym mharagraff 43(2) ar ôl "Ysgrifennydd Gwladol dros Iechyd" mewnosoder "a Gofal Cymdeithasol";

(c) ar ôl paragraff 64 mewnosoder—

"**65.** Unrhyw daliad cymorth profedigaeth mewn cysylltiad â'r gyfradd a nodir yn rheoliad 3(2) neu (5) o Reoliadau Taliad Cymorth Profedigaeth 2017 (cyfradd y taliad cymorth profedigaeth), ond am gyfnod o 52 o wythnosau yn unig o ddyddiad cael y taliad."

(c) an income-based jobseeker's allowance;

(d) any discretionary housing payment paid pursuant to regulation 2(1) of the Discretionary Financial Assistance Regulations 2001(**1**);

(e) working tax credit and child tax credit;

(f) an income-related employment and support allowance;

(g) universal credit;

(h) bereavement support payment under section 30 of the Pensions Act 2014.";

(b) in paragraph 43(2) after "Secretary of State for Health" insert "and Social Care";

(c) after paragraph 64 insert—

"**65.** Any bereavement support payment in respect of the rate set out in regulation 3(2) or (5) of the Bereavement Support Payment Regulations 2017 (rate of bereavement support payment), but only for a period of 52 weeks from the date of receipt of the payment."

Rebecca Evans

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8 Ionawr 2019

Minister for Finance and Trefnydd, one of the Welsh Ministers
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