STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1965 No. 1804

NATIONAL INSURANCE (INDUSTRIAL INJURIES)

The National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) (Benefit) Amendment Regulations 1965

Made - - - -	18*th October* 1965
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Coming into Operation	1*st November* 1965

The Industrial Injuries Joint Authority, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 18 of the National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) Act 1965(**a**) and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf and after reference to the Industrial Injuries Advisory Council hereby make the following regulations:—

Citation, interpretation and commencement

1. These regulations, which may be cited as the National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) (Benefit) Amendment Regulations 1965, shall be read as one with the National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) (Benefit) Regulations 1964(**b**) (hereinafter referred to as "the principal regulations") as amended(**c**) and shall come into operation on 1st November 1965.

Amendment of regulation 9 of the principal regulations

2. The following sub-paragraph shall be added after sub-paragraph (*c*) of regulation 9(2) of the principal regulations (computation of earnings):—

"(*d*) no account shall be taken (where it would be apart from this sub-paragraph) of any sums of money, in so far as such sums do not in total exceed ten pounds, or of any remuneration in kind, received in December of any year on or after the first Monday of that month by way of Christmas bonus:

Provided that a sum shall not be treated as received by the wife by way of Christmas bonus if—

(i) it is one of a series of sums paid to her at regular intervals of less than one year; or

(ii) it accrues to her as overtime pay or incentive payment or is otherwise directly related to the hours of work or the amount of work performed by her."

Given under the official seal of the Industrial Injuries Joint Authority.

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D. J. Carter,
Secretary,
Industrial Injuries Joint Authority.

18th October 1965.

(**a**) 1965 c. 52. (**b**) S.I. 1964/504 (1964 I, p. 833).
(**c**) The relevant amending instrument is 1965/36 (1965 I, p. 40).

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Regulations.)

These Regulations provide for disregarding Christmas bonuses in calculating or estimating the earnings of dependants in cases where they have to be considered for the purpose of determining title to benefit under the National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) Act 1965.