STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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SOCIAL SECURITY

The National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) (Benefit) Amendment Regulations 1972

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The Industrial Injuries Joint Authority, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 34(1) of the National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) Act 1965(**a**) and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, hereby make the following regulations which have been referred to the Industrial Injuries Advisory Council:—

Citation, interpretation and commencement

1. These regulations, which may be cited as the National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) (Benefit) Amendment Regulations 1972, shall be read as one with the National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) (Benefit) Regulations 1964(**b**) as amended (**c**) (hereinafter referred to as "the principal regulations") and shall come into operation on 14th April 1972.

Amendment of the principal regulations

2. After regulation 14 of the principal regulations there shall be inserted the following regulation:—

"*Deeming contributions for the maintenance of children or adult dependants of the amount of benefit under the Act abated under section* 16(1A) *of the Ministry of Social Security Act* 1966

14A. Where for any period a person (in this regulation referred to as A) is entitled to, or to an increase in the amount of, any benefit mentioned in section 16(1)(*b*) of the Ministry of Social Security Act 1966(**d**) (benefit under the National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) Acts 1965 to 1971) in respect of another person (in this regulation referred to as B) and the amount of, or of the increase in, any such benefit is abated under the provisions of section 16(1A) of the said Act of 1966 (further provision for pre-

(**a**) 1965 c. 52. (**b**) S.I. 1964/504 (1964 I, p. 833).
(**c**) There is no amendment which relates expressly to the subject matter of these regulations.
(**d**) 1966 c. 20.

venting duplication of supplementary and other benefits) then in determining for the purposes of Part II of the Act whether A is wholly or mainly maintaining, or is contributing at any weekly rate to the maintenance of, or is or has been contributing at any weekly rate to the cost of providing for, B, the amount by which such benefit for any week has been so abated shall be deemed to be a contribution of that amount for that week made by A for the maintenance of B.".

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

(L.S.)

N. Hanson,
Secretary,
Industrial Injuries Joint Authority.

10th March 1972.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Regulations.)

These Regulations are made in consequence of section 3 of the Social Security Act 1971 (c.73) (extension of the provisions of section 16 of the Social Security Act 1966 preventing duplication of social security payments) and provide that, where benefit under the National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) Acts 1965 to 1971 in respect of a child or adult dependant is abated pursuant to the provisions of section 3 of the Social Security Act 1971, the amount by which it is abated is to be deemed to be a contribution of that amount towards the maintenance of the child or adult dependant in question for the purposes of the said Acts of 1965 to 1971.

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