STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1974 No. 1157

SOCIAL SECURITY

The National Insurance (Members of the Forces) Amendment Regulations 1974

Made - - - -	*8th July* 1974
Laid before Parliament	*15th July* 1974
Coming into Operation	*5th August* 1974

The Secretary of State for Social Services **(a)**, in exercise of powers conferred by sections 4(6) and (7) of the National Insurance Act 1965**(b)**, in conjunction with the Treasury **(c)**, in exercise of powers conferred by section 99 of that Act (as extended by section 1(1) of and paragraph 9 of Schedule 1 to the National Insurance Act 1966**(d)**), and of all other powers enabling her in that behalf, hereby makes the following regulations, which contain no provisions other than such as are made in consequence of the National Insurance Act 1974**(e)** and which accordingly by virtue of section 8(4) of and paragraph 2(1)(*a*) of Schedule 5 to that Act are exempt from the requirements of section 108 of the said Act of 1965 (reference to the National Insurance Advisory Committee):—

Citation, interpretation and commencement

1. These regulations, which may be cited as the National Insurance (Members of the Forces) Amendment Regulations 1974, shall be read as one with the National Insurance (Members of the Forces) Regulations 1968**(f)**, as amended **(g)** (hereinafter referred to as "the principal regulations"), and shall come into operation on the 5th August 1974.

Amendment of Schedules 3, 4, 5 *and* 5A *to the principal regulations*

2.—(1) For the table set out in Schedule 3 (reduction of weekly rates of flat-rate contributions) to the principal regulations there shall be substituted the table set out in Schedule A to these regulations.

(a) For transfer of functions from the Minister of Pensions and National Insurance to (eventually) the Secretary of State, see Ministry of Social Security Act 1966 (c. 20) and S.I. 1968/1699 (1968 III, p. 4585).

(b) 1965 c. 51.

(c) *See* section 106(5) of the National Insurance Act 1965.

(d) 1966 c. 6.

(e) 1974 c. 14.

(f) S.I. 1968/827 (1968 II, p. 2228).

(g) S.I. 1969/1508, 1971/1419, 1972/1363, 1973/776, 1973/1547 (1969 III, p. 4898; 1971 II, p. 3964; 1972 III, p. 4208; 1973 I, p. 2455; III, p. 4836).

(2) For the tables set out in Schedules 4 (statutory provisions applying to graduated contributions which are modified in their application to employment as a serving member of the forces), 5 (scale of graduated contributions in respect of employment which is not a non-participating employment) and 5A (scale of graduated contributions in respect of non-participating employment) to the principal regulations there shall be substituted the tables set out in Schedules B, C and D respectively to these regulations.

Barbara Castle,
Secretary of State for Social Services.

4th July 1974.

M. Cocks,
James A. Dunn,
Two of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

8th July 1974.

Regulation 2

SCHEDULE A

Schedule to be substituted for Schedule 3 to the principal regulations

Regulation 4

SCHEDULE 3

Reduction of Weekly Rates of Contributions

Description of employed persons who are serving members of the forces (1)	Reduction of weekly rate of contribution	
	Employed person (2)	Employer (3)
	£	£
Men over the age of 18	0·07	0·187
Women over the age of 18	0·05	0·141
Boys under the age of 18	0·05	0·11
Girls under the age of 18	0·04	0·08

SCHEDULE B

Regulation 2

Schedule to be substituted for Schedule 4 to the principal regulations

SCHEDULE 4

Regulation 5

Statutory Provisions applying to Graduated Contributions which are modified in their application to employment as a serving member of the forces

(1) Provision	(2) Subject matter	(3) Modifications
National Insurance Act 1965		
Section 4(1) (as amended by section 1(2) of the National Insurance Act 1969**(a)** and by section 2(2) of the National Insurance Act 1974**(b)**)	Graduated contributions by employed persons and employers	For paragraph (*c*), there shall be substituted the following paragraphs:— "(*c*) except where the employment is at the time of the payment a non-participating employment, the amount of the graduated contribution payable by each of them shall be the aggregate of— (i) 4·9 per cent. of any amount, up to £9, by which that payment exceeds £9 (or of the equivalent amount for remuneration not paid weekly); and (ii) 4·8 per cent. of any amount, up to £44, by which that payment exceeds £18 (or of the equivalent amount for remuneration not paid weekly); and (*d*) where the employment is at the time of the payment a non-participating employment, the amount of the graduated contribution payable by each of them shall be the aggregate of— (i) 0·65 per cent. of any amount, up to £9, by which that payment exceeds £9 (or the equivalent amount for remuneration not paid weekly); and (ii) 4·8 per cent. of any amount, up to £44, by which that payment exceeds £18 (or the equivalent amount for remuneration not paid weekly)."

(a) 1969 c. 44.

(b) 1974 c. 14.

SCHEDULE B (*continued*)

(1) Provision	(2) Subject matter	(3) Modifications
Regulation 3 of the National Insurance (Assessment of Graduated Contributions) Regulations 1973(a), as amended (b)	Calculation of graduated contributions	For the first proviso to paragraph (3) there shall be substituted the following proviso:— "Provided that 4·9 per cent., 4·8 per cent., 4·5 per cent., 4·3 per cent., 4·25 per cent., 4·05 per cent., 3·95 per cent., 3·35 per cent., 2·5 per cent., 0·9 per cent., 0·85 per cent., 0·65 per cent., 0·6 per cent., 0·5 per cent., 0·4 per cent., 0·35 per cent., 0·3 per cent., 0·25 per cent., 0·2 per cent., and 0·05 per cent. of any amount (other than the amount of the graduated contribution), or of any equivalent amount, referred to in the provisions substituted for section 4(1)(*c*) of the Act (as amended) by the first entry in column (3) of Schedule 4 to the National Insurance (Members of the Forces) Regulations 1968 (as amended by the National Insurance (Members of the Forces) Amendment Regulations 1974), or of the total of more than any one such amount or equivalent amount, may be calculated to the nearest £0·01, any amount of £0·005 being disregarded." For paragraph (4) there shall be substituted the following paragraph:— "(4) In this regulation 'appropriate Schedule' means Schedule 5 to the National Insurance (Members of the Forces) Regulations 1968 (as amended by the National Insurance (Members of the Forces) Amendment Regulations 1974) in the case of an employment which is not a non-participating employment and means Schedule 5A to those regulations in the case of a non-participating employment."

(a) S.I. 1973/1417 (1973 II, p. 4348). (b) S.I. 1974/906. (1974 II, p. 3532).

SCHEDULE C

Regulation 2

Schedule to be substituted for Schedule 5 to the principal regulations

SCHEDULE 5

Regulation 5

Employment which is not a non-participating employment

PART I

Weekly Scale

Amount of payment	Amount of contribution
£	£
9·01	0·01
9·25	0·02
9·50	0·04
10·00	0·06
10·50	0·09
11·00	0·11
11·50	0·13
12·00	0·16
12·50	0·18
13·00	0·21
13·50	0·23
14·00	0·26
14·50	0·28
15·00	0·31
15·50	0·33
16·00	0·36
16·50	0·38
17·00	0·40
17·50	0·43
18·00	0·46
19·00	0·51
20·00	0·56
21·00	0·61
22·00	0·66
23·00	0·70
24·00	0·75
25·00	0·80
26·00	0·85
27·00	0·90
28·00	0·94
29·00	0·99
30·00	1·04
31·00	1·09
32·00	1·14
33·00	1·18
34·00	1·23
35·00	1·28
36·00	1·33
37·00	1·38
38·00	1·42
39·00	1·47

PART I (*continued*)

Amount of payment	Amount of contribution
£	£
40·00	1·52
41·00	1·57
42·00	1·62
43·00	1·66
44·00	1·71
45·00	1·76
46·00	1·81
47·00	1·86
48·00	1·90
49·00	1·95
50·00	2·00
51·00	2·05
52·00	2·10
53·00	2·14
54·00	2·19
55·00	2·24
56·00	2·29
57·00	2·34
58·00	2·38
59·00	2·43
60·00	2·48
61·00	2·53
62·00 or more	2·55

PART II

Monthly Scale

Amount of payment	Amount of contribution
£	£
39·03	0·03
40·00	0·10
42·00	0·20
44·00	0·29
46·00	0·39
48·00	0·49
50·00	0·59
52·00	0·69
54·00	0·78
56·00	0·88
58·00	0·98
60·00	1·08
62·00	1·18
64·00	1·27
66·00	1·37
68·00	1·47
70·00	1·57
72·00	1·67
74·00	1·76

PART II (*continued*)

Amount of payment	Amount of contribution
£	£
76·00	1·86
78·00	2·01
82·00	2·20
86·00	2·39
90·00	2·58
94·00	2·77
98·00	2·97
102·00	3·16
106·00	3·35
110·00	3·54
114·00	3·73
118·00	3·93
122·00	4·12
126·00	4·31
130·00	4·50
134·00	4·69
138·00	4·89
142·00	5·08
146·00	5·27
150·00	5·46
154·00	5·65
158·00	5·85
162·00	6·04
166·00	6·23
170·00	6·42
174·00	6·61
178·00	6·81
182·00	7·00
186·00	7·19
190·00	7·38
194·00	7·57
198·00	7·77
202·00	7·96
206·00	8·15
210·00	8·34
214·00	8·53
218·00	8·73
222·00	8·92
226·00	9·11
230·00	9·30
234·00	9·49
238·00	9·69
242·00	9·88
246·00	10·07
250·00	10·26
254·00	10·45
258·00	10·65
262·00	10·84
266·00	11·00
268·67 or more	11·06

Regulation 2

SCHEDULE D

Schedule to be substituted for Schedule 5A to the principal regulations

Regulation 5

SCHEDULE 5A

Non-participating employment

PART I

Weekly Scale

Amount of payment	Amount of contribution
£	£
9·01	0·01
12·00	0·03
15·00	0·05
18·00	0·08
19·00	0·13
20·00	0·18
21·00	0·23
22·00	0·27
23·00	0·32
24·00	0·37
25·00	0·42
26·00	0·47
27·00	0·51
28·00	0·56
29·00	0·61
30·00	0·66
31·00	0·71
32·00	0·75
33·00	0·80
34·00	0·85
35·00	0·90
36·00	0·95
37·00	0·99
38·00	1·04
39·00	1·09
40·00	1·14
41·00	1·19
42·00	1·23
43·00	1·28
44·00	1·33
45·00	1·38
46·00	1·43
47·00	1·47
48·00	1·52
49·00	1·57
50·00	1·62
51·00	1·67
52·00	1·71
53·00	1·76
54·00	1·81
55·00	1·86
56·00	1·91
57·00	1·95
58·00	2·00
59·00	2·05
60·00	2·10
61·00	2·15
62.00 or more	2·17

PART II
Monthly Scale

Amount of payment	Amount of contribution
£	£
39·02	0·02
45·00	0·06
50·00	0·10
60·00	0·17
70·00	0·23
78·00	0·35
82·00	0·54
86·00	0·73
90·00	0·93
94·00	1·12
98·00	1·31
102·00	1·50
106·00	1·69
110·00	1·89
114·00	2·08
118·00	2·27
122·00	2·46
126·00	2·65
130·00	2·85
134·00	3·04
138·00	3·23
142·00	3·42
146·00	3·61
150·00	3·81
154·00	4·00
158·00	4·19
162·00	4·38
166·00	4·57
170·00	4·77
174·00	4·96
178·00	5·15
182·00	5·34
186·00	5·53
190·00	5·73
194·00	5·92
198·00	6·11
202·00	6·30
206·00	6·49
210·00	6·69
214·00	6·88
218·00	7·07
222·00	7·26
226·00	7·45
230·00	7·65
234·00	7·84
238·00	8·03
242·00	8·22
246·00	8·41
250·00	8·61
254·00	8·80
258·00	8·99
262·00	9·18
266·00	9·34
268·67 or more	9·41

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Regulations.)

These Regulations contain no provisions other than such as are made in consequence of the National Insurance Act 1974 and accordingly they are, by virtue of section 8(4) of and paragraph 2 of Schedule 5 to that Act, exempt from reference to the National Insurance Advisory Committee and no such reference has been made.

The Regulations amend the provisions of the National Insurance (Members of the Forces) Regulations 1968 relating to flat-rate and graduated contributions payable by serving members of the forces and substitute new tables prescribing the reduction in flat-rate contributions and the rates of graduated contributions payable from 5th August 1974.

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