STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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SOCIAL SECURITY

The Pensioners' Payments and National Insurance Act 1973 (Commencement) Order 1973

Made - - - 23rd November 1973

The Secretary of State for Social Services, in exercise of powers conferred by sections 8(1) and 9(3)(*a*) of the Pensioners' Payments and National Insurance Act 1973(**a**), and section 1(1) of the Northern Ireland (Temporary Provisions) Act 1972(**b**), and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby makes the following Order:—

Citation

1. This Order may be cited as the Pensioners' Payments and National Insurance Act 1973 (Commencement) Order 1973.

Appointed day

2. The day appointed for the coming into force in Great Britain and in Northern Ireland of section 5 of the Pensioners' Payments and National Insurance Act 1973 (increase in flat-rate contributions) shall be 21st January 1974.

Keith Joseph,
Secretary of State for Social Services.

23rd November 1973.

(a) 1973 c. 61. (b) 1972 c. 22.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This Order brings into operation in Great Britain and in Northern Ireland on 21st January 1974 section 5 of the Pensioners' Payments and National Insurance Act 1973 which provides for increases in the weekly rate of flat-rate national insurance contributions payable by employers, self-employed persons and non-employed persons.

The remaining provisions of the Act came into operation on the passing of the Act.

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