STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2004 No. 2600

SOCIAL SECURITY

The Social Fund Cold Weather Payments (General) Amendment Regulations 2004

Made - - - -	*5th October 2004*
Laid before Parliament	*11th October 2004*
Coming into force - -	*1st November 2004*

The Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, in exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 138(2) and (4) and 175(1), (3) and (4) of the Social Security Contributions and Benefits Act 1992(**a**) and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, after agreement by the Social Security Advisory Committee that proposals in respect of these Regulations should not be referred to it(**b**), makes the following Regulations:

Citation, commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Social Fund Cold Weather Payments (General) Amendment Regulations 2004 and shall come into force on 1st November 2004.

(2) In these Regulations "the principal Regulations" means the Social Fund Cold Weather Payments (General) Regulations 1988(**c**).

Amendment of regulation 1A of the principal Regulations

2. In regulation 1A(1) of the principal Regulations (prescribed description of persons), after sub-paragraph (ib), add—

"or

(ic) whose child tax credit includes an individual element referred to in regulation 7(4)(a), (b), (d) or (e) of the Child Tax Credit Regulations 2002(**d**); or".

Substitution of Schedule 1 to the principal Regulations

3. For Schedule 1(**e**) (identification of stations and postcode districts) to the principal Regulations, substitute the Schedule set out in the Schedule to these Regulations.

(**a**) 1992 c.4; section 138(4) is an interpretation provision and is cited because of the meaning ascribed to the word "prescribed".
(**b**) See sections 170 and 173(1)(b) of the Social Security Administration Act 1992 (c.5).
(**c**) S.I.1988/1724. Regulation 1A was inserted by S.I.1991/2448 and amended by S.I.1996/2544, 2002/3019 and 2003/1121. Other amendments not relevant to these Regulations have been made.
(**d**) S.I. 2002/2007. Relevant amendments were made by S.I. 2004/941.
(**e**) Schedule 1 was substituted by S.I. 2003/2605 and amended by S.I. 2003/3023 (Schedule 1 had previously been substituted and amended by other statutory instruments the most recent being S.I. 2000/2690, 2001/3368 and 2002/2524).

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions.

Malcolm Wicks
Minister of State,
5th October 2004 Department for Work and Pensions

SCHEDULE

Regulation 3

The following Schedule is substituted for Schedule 1 to the principal Regulations—

"

SCHEDULE 1

Regulation 2(1)(a) and (2)

IDENTIFICATION OF STATIONS AND POSTCODE DISTRICTS

Column (1)	*Column (2)*
Meteorological Office Station	*Postcode districts*
1. Aberporth	SA35-48, SA64-65. SY20, SY23-25.
2. Andrewsfield	AL1-10. CB10-11. CM1-9, CM11-24, CM77. CO9. RM14-20. SG1-2, SG9-14.
3. Aultbea	IV21-22, IV26, IV40, IV52-54.
4. Aviemore	AB31, AB33-34, AB36-37. PH18-26.
5. Bedford	LU1-7. MK1-19, MK40-46. NN1-16, NN29. PE19. SG3-7, SG15-19.
6. Bingley	BB4, BB8-12, BB18. BD1-24. DE4, DE45. HD1-9. HX1-7. LS21, LS27, LS29. OL1-5, OL12-16. S32-33, S35-36. SK13, SK17, SK22-23. ST13. WF15-17.
7. Bishopton	G1-5, G11-15, G20-23, G31-34, G40-46, G51-53, G60-62, G64-69, G71-78, G81-84. KA1-26, KA28-30. ML1-5. PA1-27, PA30, PA32.
8. Boltshope Park	DH8-9. DL8, DL11-17.

Column (1)	*Column (2)*
Meteorological Office Station	*Postcode districts*
	NE19, NE44, NE47-48.
9. Boscombe Down	BA12. RG28. SP1-5, SP7, SP9-11.
10. Boulmer	NE22, NE24, NE61-71. TD12, TD15.
11. Braemar	AB35.
12. Brize Norton	CV36. GL54-56. OX1-8, OX10-18, OX20, OX25-29, OX33, OX39, OX44, OX49. SN 7
13. Capel Curig	LL24-25, LL41.
14. Cardinham (Bodmin)	PL13-17, PL22-35. TR2, TR9.
15. Carlisle	CA1-11, CA16-17. DG12, DG16. LA6-10, LA22-23. NE49.
16. Cassley	IV27-28. KW11, KW13.
17. Charlwood	BN5-6, BN44. GU5-8, GU26-33, GU35. ME14-20. RH1-20. TN1-20, TN22, TN27.
18. Chivenor	EX22-23, EX31-34, EX39.
19. Coleshill	B1-21, B23-38, B40, B42-50, B60-80, B90-98. CV1-12, CV21-23, CV31-35, CV37, CV47. DY1-14. LE10. WS1-15. WV1-16.
20. Coltishall	NR1-35.
21. Crosby	BB1-3, BB5-7. CH1-8, CH41-49, CH60-66. FY1-8. L1-40. LL11-14. PR1-9, PR25-26. SY14. WA1-2, WA4-12. WN1-6, WN8.
22. Culdrose	TR1, TR3-6, TR10-20, TR26-27.
23. Dundrennan	DG1-2, DG5-7.
24. Dunkeswell Aerodrome	DT6-8. EX1-15, EX24. TA21. TQ1-6, TQ9-14.
25. Dyce	AB10-16, AB21-25, AB30, AB32, AB39, AB41-43, AB51-54.

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Meteorological Office Station	*Postcode districts*
	DD8-11.
26. Edinburgh Gogarbank	EH1-42, EH47-49, EH51-55. FK1-21. G63. KY3, KY11-13. PH3-6. TD5, TD11, TD13-14.
27. Eskdalemuir	DG3-4, DG10-11, DG13-14. ML12. TD1-4, TD6-10.
28. Fylingdales	TS13. YO11-18, YO21-22, YO25.
29. Great Malvern	GL1-6, GL10-20, GL50-53. HR1-9. NP15, NP25. SY8. WR1-15.
30. Heathrow	BR1-8. CR0, CR2-8. DA1-2, DA4-8, DA14-18. E1-18. E1W. EC1-4. EN1-11. HA0-9. IG1-11. KT1-24. N1-22. NW1-11. RM1-13. SE1-28. SL0, SL3. SM1-7. SW1-20. TW1-20. UB1-10. W1-14. WC1-2. WD1-7, WD17-19, WD23-25.
31. Herstmonceux, West End	BN7-8, BN20-24, BN26-27. TN21, TN31-40.
32. High Wycombe	HP1-23, HP27. OX9. RG9. SL7-9.
33. Hurn (Bournemouth Airport)	BH1-25, BH31. DT1-2, DT11. SP6.
34. Isle of Portland	DT3-5.
35. Kinloss	AB38, AB44-45, AB55-56. IV1-3, IV5, IV7-20, IV30-32, IV36.
36. Kirkwall	KW15-17.

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Meteorological Office Station	*Postcode districts*
37. Lake Vyrnwy	LL20-21, LL23. SY10, SY15-17, SY19, SY21-22.
38. Lerwick	ZE1-3.
39. Leuchars	DD1-7. KY1-2, KY4-10, KY14-16. PH1-2, PH7, PH12-14.
40. Linton on Ouse	DL1-7, DL9-10. HG1-5. LS1-20, LS22-26, LS28. S62-64, S70-75. TS1-12, TS14-26. WF1-14. YO1, YO7-8, YO10, YO19, YO23-24, YO26, YO30-32, YO41-43, YO51, YO60-62.
41. Liscombe	EX16-21, EX35-38. PL19-20. TA22, TA24.
42. Loch Glascarnoch	IV4, IV6, IV23-24, IV63.
43. Lusa	IV41-49, IV51, IV55-56.
44. Lyneham	BA1-3, BA11, BA13-15. GL7-9. RG17. SN1-6, SN8-16, SN25-26.
45. Machrihanish	KA27. PA28-29, PA31, PA34, PA37, PA41-49, PA60-76. PH36, PH38-41.
46. Manston	CM0. CT1-21. DA3, DA9-13. ME1-13. SS0-17. TN23-26, TN28-30.
47. Marham	IP24-28. PE12-14, PE30-38.
48. Newcastle	DH1-7. NE1-13, NE15-18, NE20-21, NE23, NE25-43, NE45-46. SR1-8. TS27-29.
49. Nottingham	CV13. DE1-3, DE5-7, DE11-15, DE21-24, DE55-56, DE65, DE72-75. LE1-9, LE11-14, LE16-19, LE65, LE67. NG1-22, NG25, NG31-34. S1-14, S17-18, S20-21, S25-26, S40-45, S60-61, S65-66, S80-81. ST10, ST14.
50. Pembrey Sands	SA1-8, SA10-18, SA31-34, SA61-63, SA66-73.
51. Plymouth	PL1-12, PL18, PL21.

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Meteorological Office Station	*Postcode districts*
	TQ7-8.
52. Rhyl	LL15-19, LL22, LL26-32.
53. St. Athan	BS1-11, BS13-16, BS20-24, BS29-32, BS34-37, BS39-41, BS48-49. CF3, CF5, CF10-11, CF14-15, CF23-24, CF31-36, CF61-64, CF71-72. NP10, NP16, NP18-20, NP26.
54. St. Catherine's Point	PO30, PO38-41.
55. St. Mawgan	TR7-8.
56. Salsburgh	EH43-46. ML6-11.
57. Scilly, St. Mary's	TR21-25.
58. Sennybridge	CF37-48, CF81-83. LD1-8. NP4, NP7-8, NP11-13, NP22-24, NP44. SA9, SA19-20. SY7, SY9, SY18.
59. Shawbury	ST1-9, ST11-12, ST15-21. SY1-6, SY11-13. TF1-13.
60. South Farnborough	GU1-4, GU9-25, GU46-47, GU51-52. RG1-2, RG4-8, RG10, RG12, RG14, RG18-27, RG29-31, RG40-42, RG45. SL1-2, SL4-6.
61. Stornoway Airport	HS1-9.
62. Thorney Island	BN1-3, BN9-18, BN25, BN41-43, BN45. GU34. PO1-22, PO31-37. SO14-24, SO30-32, SO40-43, SO45, SO50-53.
63. Tiree	PA77-78. PH42-44.
64. Tulloch Bridge	PA33, PA35-36, PA38, PA40. PH8-11, PH15-17, PH30-35, PH37, PH49-50.
65. Valley	LL33-40, LL42-49, LL51-78.
66. Waddington	DN1-22, DN31-41. HU1-20. LN1-13. NG23-24. PE10-11, PE20-25.
67. Walney Island	CA12-15, CA18-28. LA1-5, LA11-21.
68. Wattisham	CB9. CO1-8, CO10-16. IP1-23, IP29-33.
69. West Freugh	DG8-9.
70. Wick Airport	IV25. KW1-3, KW5-10, KW12, KW14.
71. Wittering	CB1-8. LE15. NN17-18.

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Meteorological Office Station	*Postcode districts*
	PE1-9, PE15-17, PE26-29. SG8.
72. Woodford	BL0-9. CW1-12. M1-9, M11-35, M38, M40-41, M43-46, M50, M90. OL6-11. SK1-12, SK14-16. WA3, WA13-16. WN7.
73. Yeovilton	BA4-10, BA16, BA20-22. BS25-28. DT9-10. SP8. TA1-20, TA23.”

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations)

These Regulations amend the Social Fund Cold Weather Payments (General) Regulations 1988 (S.I.1988/1724) ("the 1988 Regulations") to extend the prescribed description of persons who may receive cold weather payments. They also amend the 1988 Regulations in relation to the lists of weather stations and applicable postcode districts in Schedule 1 to those Regulations.

Regulation 2 adds to the persons to whom payment may be made under the 1988 Regulations, persons awarded income support, state pension credit or income-based jobseeker's allowance who are also entitled under the Child Tax Credit Regulations 2002 to an individual amount of child tax credit for a child or qualifying young person who is disabled or severely disabled.

Regulation 3 replaces Schedule 1 to the principal Regulations with the Schedule to these Regulations. The new Schedule largely re-enacts the list contained in the former Schedule 1, but it links S21 to Nottingham instead of to Linton-on-Ouse; assigns postcodes from Ringway weather station (which is being closed) to other weather stations, adds Woodford as a new weather station to the scheme; and provides for certain other changes to the postcode and weather station linkages.

The Postcode Atlas of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the postcode maps may be obtained from their publishers. A person may establish the current postcode for their address by contacting the Royal Mail Postcode Enquiries Office (telephone 08457 111222) or by logging on to the Royal Mail website at *www.royalmail.com.*

A full regulatory impact assessment has not been produced for this instrument as it has no impact on the costs of business.

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