**1985 No. 218 (C. 6)**

## SOCIAL SECURITY

### The Social Security (1985 Order) (Commencement No. 1) Order (Northern Ireland) 1985

*Made . . . . . 14th August 1985*

The Department of Health and Social Services, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Article 1(3) of the Social Security (Northern Ireland) Order 1985(**a**), paragraph 2(1) of Schedule 1 to the Northern Ireland Act 1974(**b**) and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following order:

*Citation*

**1.** This order may be cited as the Social Security (1985 Order) (Commencement No. 1) Order (Northern Ireland) 1985.

*Appointed day*

**2.** The day appointed for the coming into operation of each provision of the Social Security (Northern Ireland) Order 1985 which is specified in column (1) of the Schedule to this order is the date specified in relation to that provision in column (3) of that Schedule.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Health and Social Services on 14th August 1985.

(L.S.) *A. N. Burns*
Assistant Secretary

(a) S.I. 1985/1209 (N.I. 16)
(b) 1974 c. 28

| *Provision of the Social Security (Northern Ireland) Order 1985* (1) | *Subject Matter* (2) | *Date of Coming into Operation* (3) |
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| Article 9 | Calculation of contributions | 6th October 1985 |
| Article 11 | Abatement of invalidity allowance, etc., where beneficiary entitled to additional component in pension or to guaranteed minimum pension | 16th September 1985 |
| Article 14 | Abolition of lower rate for Category D retirement pension | 25th November 1985 |
| Article 15(1) to (5) and (8) | Pension increases in respect of adult dependants — equal treatment for males and females, etc. | 16th September 1985 |
| Paragraphs 1, 3, 4, 5 and 7 of Schedule 4 and Article 21 so far as it relates to those paragraphs | Miscellaneous amendments relating to statutory sick pay | 16th September 1985 |
| Paragraphs 2 and 6 of Schedule 4 and Article 21 so far as it relates to those paragraphs | Miscellaneous amendments relating to statutory sick pay | 6th April 1986 |
| Paragraphs 1, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9 of Schedule 5 and Article 25(1) so far as it relates to those paragraphs | Minor and consequential amendments | 6th October 1985 |
| The following repeals in Schedule 6 and Article 25(2) so far as it relates to those repeals— | Repeals | |
| the repeal, so far as unrepealed, of section 28(2) of the Social Security (Northern Ireland) Act 1975(a) | | 14th August 1985 |
| the repeal of the words "or Category D" in section 39(2) of that Act | | 25th November 1985 |
| the repeal of section 45(3) and (4) of that Act | | 16th September 1985 |

(a) 1975 c. 15

| *Provision of the Social Security (Northern Ireland) Order 1985* (1) | *Subject Matter* (2) | *Date of Coming into Operation* (3) |
|---|---|---|
| the repeal of the words "or Category D" in paragraph 5 in Part III of Schedule 4 to that Act | | 25th November 1985 |
| the repeal of paragraph 18(*b*) of Schedule 5 to the Social Security Pensions (Northern Ireland) Order 1975(**a**) | | 6th October 1985 |
| the repeal of paragraph 11 of Schedule 1 to the Social Security (Northern Ireland) Order 1979(**b**) | | 14th August 1985 |
| the repeal of Article 3(5) of the Social Security (Contributions) (Northern Ireland) Order 1982(**c**) | | 6th October 1985 |
| the repeals in the Social Security (Northern Ireland) Order 1982(**d**) of Article 26 and paragraphs 7 to 11 of Schedule 2; and | | 16th September 1985 |
| all other repeals in that Order | | 6th April 1986 |

(**a**) S.I. 1975/1503 (N.I. 15)
(**b**) S.I. 1979/396 (N.I. 5)
(**c**) S.I. 1982/158 (N.I. 4)
(**d**) S.I. 1982/1084 (N.I. 16)

## EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This note is not part of the Order.)*

This order brings into operation the provisions of the Social Security (Northern Ireland) Order 1985 specified in column (1) of the Schedule on the dates specified in column (3) of the Schedule.

Article 1(3) of the Social Security (Northern Ireland) Order 1985 is one of the enabling provisions under which this commencement order is made. It is brought into operation on 14th August 1985 by Article 1(4) of the Social Security (Northern Ireland) Order 1985.