STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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SOCIAL SECURITY

The Social Security (Advisory Committees) Transitional Regulations 1980

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The Secretary of State for Social Services, in exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 9(5) of the Social Security Act 1980(**a**) and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby makes the following regulations:—

Citation, commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) These regulations may be cited as the Social Security (Advisory Committees) Transitional Regulations 1980, and shall come into operation on 15th December 1980.

(2) In these regulations, "the relevant enactments" has the same meaning as in section 9(7) of the Social Security Act 1980.

Transitional provisions

2. Where—

(*a*) after 23rd April 1980 the Secretary of State has under section 139(1) of the Social Security Act 1975(**b**) referred to the National Insurance Advisory Committee proposals to make regulations under any of the relevant enactments, and

(*b*) the National Insurance Advisory Committee have under section 139(3) of that Act considered those proposals and made to the Secretary of State a report on them containing recommendations with regard to their subject-matter, but

(*c*) no regulations have been made in pursuance of those proposals before 24th November 1980,

the Secretary of State's reference to the National Insurance Advisory Committee shall be treated as a reference to the Social Security Advisory Committee under section 10(1) of the Social Security Act 1980 and the consideration by, and the report and recommendations of, the National Insurance Advisory Committee shall be treated as consideration by, and a report and recommendations of, the Social Security Advisory Committee under section 10(3) of the Social Security Act 1980.

(**a**) 1980 c. 30. (**b**) 1975 c. 14.

Repeal

3. Section 11(1) of the Social Security Act 1980 is hereby repealed.

Patrick Jenkin,
Secretary of State for Social Services.

5th December 1980.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Regulations.)

These Regulations make transitional provision in connection with the abolition, by section 9(1) of the Social Security Act 1980, of the National Insurance Advisory Committee and the establishment, also by section 9(1), of the Social Security Advisory Committee. In cases where after 23rd April 1980 but before 24th November 1980 (the latter being the date of abolition of the former and establishment of the latter Committee) the Secretary of State has referred proposals to make regulations to the former Committee and that Committee have considered the proposals and made a report and recommendations on them, but the regulations proposed have not been made, the reference is to be treated as a reference to the latter Committee, and the consideration, report and recommendations are to be treated as consideration by, and a report and recommendations of, the latter Committee.

The Regulations also repeal section 11(1) of the Social Security Act 1980, which exempted certain proposals to make regulations from reference to the National Insurance Advisory Committee.

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