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SOCIAL SECURITY

The State Scheme Premiums (Actuarial Tables) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1988

Made	*31st March 1988*
Coming into operation . .	*6th April 1989*

The Department of Health and Social Services, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Articles 46(7) and 46ZA(14) of the Social Security Pensions (Northern Ireland) Order 1975(**a**) and Article 7(15) of the Social Security (Northern Ireland) Order 1986(**b**) and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following regulations:

Citation and commencement

1. These regulations may be cited as the State Scheme Premiums (Actuarial Tables) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1988 and shall come into operation on 6th April 1989.

Amendment of the State Scheme Premiums (Actuarial Tables) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1987

2.—(1) The State Scheme Premiums (Actuarial Tables) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1987(**c**) shall be amended in accordance with paragraphs (2) to (5).

(2) After paragraph (3) of regulation 5 there shall be inserted the following paragraph—

> "(4) In a case where the person in question is a man who is entitled to receive a guaranteed minimum pension in respect of his late wife's service in contracted-out employment and to which regulation 30D of the Contracting-out Regulations(**d**) applies, the Department shall apply the actuarial tables in Schedule 5.".

(3) In regulation 6 the word "and" at the end of paragraph (*b*) shall be omitted and at the end of paragraph (*c*) for the full-stop there shall be substituted "; and".

(4) After paragraph (*c*) of regulation 6 there shall be inserted the following paragraph—

> "(*d*) in a case where the person in respect of whom the premium falls to be paid is a man who is entitled to receive a pension giving effect to his late wife's protected rights (not being a case to which

(a) S.I. 1975/1503 (N.I. 15); Article 46ZA was inserted by paragraph 8 of Schedule 2 to the Social Security (Northern Ireland) Order 1986 (S.I. 1986/1888 (N.I. 18). *See also* Article 2(3)
(b) S.I. 1986/1888 (N.I. 18)
(c) S.R. 1987 No. 175
(d) S.R. 1985 No. 259; relevant amending regulations are S.R. 1985 No. 357 and S.R. 1987 Nos. 278 and 281

either regulation 17(2A) of the Contracting-out Regulations(**a**) or regulation 3 of the Personal Pension Schemes (Personal Pension Protected Rights Premiums) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1987(**b**) applies), the actuarial tables in Schedule 5.".

(5) In Schedule 5 for the second table there shall be substituted the table set out in the Schedule to these regulations.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Health and Social Services on 31st March 1988.

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

(**a**) S.R. 1985 No. 259; relevant amending regulations are S.R. 1985 No. 357 and S.R. 1987 Nos. 278 and 281
(**b**) S.R. 1987 No. 289

SCHEDULE Regulation 2(5)

Table to be substituted for the second table of Schedule 5 to the State Scheme Premiums (Actuarial Tables) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1987

"SECOND TABLE

Age	*Females*	*Age*	*Males*	*Females*
	£		£	£
25 and below	4·92	60	—	11·66
26	5·28	61	—	11·49
27	5·63	62	—	11·29
28	5·96	63	—	11·07
29	6·27	64	—	10·85
30	6·59	65	7·59	10·62
31	6·93	66	7·44	10·38
32	7·29	67	7·28	10·13
33	7·68	68	7·12	9·88
34	8·07	69	6·96	9·62
35	8·44	70	6·76	9·34
36	8·80	71	6·57	9·06
37	9·12	72	6·38	8·77
38	9·43	73	6·17	8·47
39	9·73	74	5·98	8·16
40	10·03	75	5·79	7·85
41	10·33	76	5·61	7·54
42	10·63	77	5·44	7·23
43	10·89	78	5·25	6·93
44	11·12	79	5·09	6·63
45	11·31	80	4·92	6·33
46	11·46	81	4·75	6·05
47	11·58	82	4·59	5·77
48	11·70	83	4·44	5·50
49	11·82	84	4·28	5·24
50	11·93	85	4·13	4·99
51	12·02	86	3·99	4·76
52	12·09	87	3·86	4·53
53	12·13	88	3·71	4·31
54	12·13	89	3·57	4·09
55	12·12	90	3·45	3·88
56	12·08	91	3·32	3·67
57	12·01	92	3·17	3·46
58	11·92	93	3·02	3·25
59	11·81	94	2·85	3·05
		95 and over	2·64	2·84"

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations.)

These regulations amend regulations 5 and 6 of, and the second table of Schedule 5 to, the State Scheme Premiums (Actuarial Tables) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1987 so as to enable the Department to calculate the amount of any pensioner's rights premium payable or, in the case of a personal pension protected rights premium or contracted-out protected rights premium, the amount needed to restore fully rights in the State Scheme in respect of a widower. Hitherto the provisions for buying-back applied only to members and their widows. From 6th April 1989, under the provisions of the Social Security (Northern Ireland) Order 1986, they will apply also to widowers of women members in respect of rights attributable to pensionable service after 5th April 1988 if both husband and wife are over pensionable age (65 years for a man, 60 years for a woman) when the wife dies.

Articles 46ZA(14) of the Social Security Pensions (Northern Ireland) Order 1975 and 7(15) of the Social Security (Northern Ireland) Order 1986 are 2 of the enabling provisions under which these regulations are made. Article 46ZA(14) is brought into operation on 6th April 1988 and Article 7(15) was brought into operation on 4th January 1988 by virtue of the Social Security (1986 Order) (Commencement No. 5) Order (Northern Ireland) 1987 (S.R. 1987 No. 161 (C. 6)).