1963. No. 109 **[C]**

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION

Supplementation

REGULATIONS, DATED 22ND MAY 1963, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND NATIONAL INSURANCE, WITH THE CONSENT OF THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE, UNDER THE WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION (SUPPLEMENTATION) ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1951.

The Ministry of Labour and National Insurance, with the consent of the Ministry of Finance, in exercise of powers conferred by the Workmen's Compensation (Supplementation) Act (Northern Ireland) 1951(**a**) as amended and extended by section 1(2) and (3) of, and Schedule 1 to, the Family Allowances and National Insurance and Assistance Act (Northern Ireland) 1962(**b**) (as amended by section 1(2) of the Workmen's Compensation (Supplementation) Act (Northern Ireland) 1963(**c**)) and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following regulations:

Citation

1. These regulations may be cited as the Workmen's Compensation (Supplementation) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1963.

Scheme varying earlier scheme

2. The scheme set out in the Schedule, being a scheme varying the scheme made by the Workmen's Compensation (Supplementation) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1951(**d**), shall have effect for the purposes of the Workmen's Compensation (Supplementation) Act (Northern Ireland) 1951.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Labour and National Insurance for Northern Ireland this 22nd day of May, nineteen hundred and sixty-three.

(L.S.) *H. A. Lowry,*
Assistant Secretary.

The Ministry of Finance hereby consents to these regulations.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland this 22nd day of May, nineteen hundred and sixty-three.

(L.S.) *W. W. Arthur,*
Assistant Secretary.

(**a**) 1951. c. 16. (**b**) 1962. c. 9. (**c**) 1963. c. 14 (N.I.).
(**d**) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1951, No. 136.

SCHEDULE

Workmen's Compensation (Supplementation) Amendment Scheme

Citation, interpretation and commencement

1. This Scheme, which may be cited as the Workmen's Compensation (Supplementation) Amendment Scheme, shall be read as one with the Scheme made by the Workmen's Compensation (Supplementation) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1951(**a**) (hereinafter referred to as "the principal Scheme") as amended(**b**), and shall come into operation on 27th May 1963.

Amendment of Articles 2(3A), 7, 7A(1) *and* 7E *of the principal Scheme*

2.—(1) In Article 2(3A) of the principal Scheme(**c**) (allowances payable under the Scheme in cases of pre-1924 accidents) for the words "50 shillings" there shall be substituted the words "70 shillings" and for the words "2 shillings and 6 pence" there shall be substituted the words "7 shillings and 6 pence".

(2) In Article 7 of the principal Scheme (allowances payable in cases of two or more pre-1924 accidents) for the words "50 shillings" there shall be substituted the words "70 shillings".

(3) In Article 7A(1) of the principal Scheme(**c**) (allowances payable in cases of post-1923 accidents) for the words "10 shillings" there shall be substituted the words "30 shillings".

(4) In Article 7E of the principal Scheme(**c**) (allowances payable in cases of two or more post-1923 accidents) there shall be made the following amendments:

(*a*) in paragraph (1) for the words "10 shillings" there shall be substituted the words "30 shillings";

(*b*) in paragraph (2) for the words "2 shillings and 6 pence" there shall be substituted the words "7 shillings and 6 pence";

(*c*) in paragraph (3) for the words "10 shillings" there shall be substituted the words "30 shillings".

Transitional provisions

3.—(1) Subject to the provisions of paragraph (2), where an allowance has been awarded to a person under the principal Scheme before 27th May 1963 at the weekly rate of 50 shillings less the amount of his workmen's compensation, or of 10 shillings, or of 2 shillings and 6 pence, the allowance shall, as from that day and without any claim being made therefor, become payable at the weekly rate of 70 shillings less the amount of his workmen's compensation, or of 30 shillings, or of 7 shillings and 6 pence as the case may be, and the award shall have effect accordingly.

(2) Where a question arises as to the amount by which the weekly rate of allowance awarded to a person under the principal Scheme before 27th May 1963 falls to be increased by virtue of this Scheme, the allowance shall continue to be payable at the weekly rate specified in the award until the said question shall have been determined in accordance with the provisions of the principal Scheme.

(3) Where an award of an allowance is made under the principal Scheme before 27th May 1963, the award may provide for the allowance to be paid, as from that day, at any higher rate payable by virtue of this Scheme.

(**a**) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1951, No. 136. (**b**) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1962, No. 23.
(**c**) Inserted by S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1962, No. 23.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations, but is intended to indicate their general purport.)

These Regulations make a Scheme varying the provisions of the Workmen's Compensation (Supplementation) Scheme (contained in the Schedule to the Workmen's Compensation (Supplementation) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1951) in consequence of the Workmen's Compensation (Supplementation) Act (Northern Ireland) 1963, to improve the allowances payable out of the Industrial Injuries Fund in respect of injury or disease arising out of employment before 5th July 1948, when the National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) Act (Northern Ireland) 1946 came into force.

The Scheme does not apply to persons entitled to the allowances for total incapacity or disablement provided by the Workmen's Compensation (Supplementation) Act (Northern Ireland) 1956, the rates of these having been increased by the 1963 Act.

1963. No. 110 **[NC]**

COUNTY COURTS ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1959

Date of Commencement

ORDER, DATED 23RD MAY, 1963, MADE BY THE MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS UNDER SECTION 154(2) OF THE COUNTY COURTS ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1959.

I, the Right Honourable William Craig, Minister of Home Affairs, in exercise of the powers conferred on me by Section 154(2) of the County Courts Act (Northern Ireland) 1959(a) (hereinafter referred to as "the Act") do hereby order as follows:—

Citation

1. This Order may be cited as the County Courts Act (Northern Ireland) 1959 Date of Commencement Order (Northern Ireland) 1963.

Appointed day for certain provisions of the Act

2. The provisions of the Act specified in the first column of the Schedule (which relate to matters specified in the second column of the Schedule) shall come into operation on the 1st June, 1963.

Dated this 23rd day of May, 1963.

Wm. Craig,
Minister of Home Affairs.

SCHEDULE

Provisions of the Act	*Subject matter of Provisions*
Section 60	Arbitration
Section 62	Assessors

(a) 1959. c. 25.