STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1989 No. 1342

The Social Security(Northern Ireland) Order 1989

Benefits under the principal Act

Mobility allowance: increase of age limit to 80 years

- **10.**—(1) In section 37A of the principal Act (mobility allowance), in paragraphs (a) and (aa) of subsection (4) and in subsection (5A) (each of which refers to the age of 75) for "75" there shall be substituted "80".
 - (2) For subsection (5B) of that section there shall be substituted the following subsection—
 - "(5B) Where, before the coming into force of this subsection, a person has been awarded a mobility allowance for a specified period ending with—
 - (a) the date on which he will attain pensionable age, or
 - (b) the date on which he will attain the age of 75,

that award shall have effect as if it referred instead to a period ending with the date on which he will attain the age of 80.".