

---

STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

---

**2000 No. 404**

**The Social Security (Incapacity Benefit) (Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2000**

**Part V**

**Reduction or Abatement of Incapacity Benefit  
for Occupational or Other Pension Payments**

**Priority of deductions of pension payments taken as payable for the purposes of reduction of incapacity benefit**

**24.** Where a reduction in the rate of incapacity benefit payable to a person falls to be made in accordance with section 30DD(1) the reduction shall be made, so far as is necessary—

- (a) initially against so much of the benefit as falls to be paid at the personal rate;
- (b) then against any increase in the benefit payable for adult dependants; and
- (c) finally against any increase in the benefit payable for dependent children.