

SCHEDULE

Amendment of provisions of Acts and Orders relating to pensions and benefit payments, extending those provisions to civil partners and surviving civil partners

PART 2

Amendment of the Social Security Administration (Northern Ireland) Act 1992

10. In section 139B(6)(1) (effect of alterations affecting state pension credit), in the definition of “war widow’s or widower’s pension”—

- (a) in paragraph (a), for “any widow’s or widower’s” there shall be substituted “any widow’s, widower’s or surviving civil partner’s”; and
- (b) in paragraph (b), for “widow or widower” there shall be substituted “widow, widower or surviving civil partner”.

(1) Section 139B was inserted by paragraph 15 of Schedule 2 to the State Pension Credit Act (Northern Ireland) 2002 (c. 14 (N.I.)). The definition of “war widow’s or widower’s pension” in subsection (6) was amended by paragraph 205 of Schedule 6 to the Income Tax (Earnings and Pensions) Act 2003 (c. 1)