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STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

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**2007 No. 203**

**The Rate Relief (Qualifying Age)  
Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2007**

**PART 14**

**Decisions, Revisions and Appeals**

**Modification of the 2000 Act**

**40.** Schedule 7 to the 2000 Act shall apply for the purposes of these Regulations as it applies for the purposes of the Housing Benefit (State Pension Credit) Regulations with the following modifications—

- (a) as if for “housing benefit”, wherever it occurs, there were substituted “rate relief”;
- (b) as if for “benefit”, wherever it occurs except in paragraphs 13(4)(b), 16(7)(b) and 17(7)(b)(ii), there were substituted “rate relief”;
- (c) as if in paragraph 6—
  - (i) in sub-paragraph (1)(a) for “; or” there were substituted “.”;
  - (ii) sub-paragraph (1)(b) were omitted;
  - (iii) sub-paragraphs (2)(a) and (c) and (4) were omitted;
  - (iv) after sub-paragraph (2)(b) for “; or” there were substituted “.”;
  - (v) in sub-paragraph (6) for “section 73 of the Administration Act (overpayments of housing benefit)” there were substituted “Part 12 of these Regulations”;
- (d) as if paragraph 8(2)(a) were omitted;
- (e) as if in paragraph 14(3) for “section 5(1)(hh) of the Administration Act” there were substituted “regulation 45 of these Regulations”;
- (f) as if paragraph 19(3)(b) and (c) were omitted;
- (g) as if in paragraph 20(1)(b) the reference to the Department were a reference to the Department of Finance and Personnel;
- (h) as if paragraphs 21 and 22 were omitted.

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**Commencement Information**

**II** Reg. 40 in operation at 1.4.2007, see [reg. 1\(1\)](#)

**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Rate Relief (Qualifying Age) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2007, Section 40.