STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

2010 No. 420

The Health and Personal Social Services (Superannuation), Health and Social Care (Pension Scheme) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2010

PART 3

Amendment of the Health and Social Care (Pension Scheme) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2008

Amendment of regulation 161

- 17.—(1) Regulation 161 (Members' contribution rate) is amended as provided by paragraphs (2) to (4).
 - (2) For paragraphs (1) to (4), substitute—
 - "(1) Contributions under regulation 160(1) must be paid at the member's contribution rate for the scheme year in question.
 - (2) A member's contribution rate is the percentage specified in column 2 of the relevant table in paragraph (17) in respect of the corresponding pensionable earnings band specified in column 1 of that table into which the member's pensionable earnings falls.
 - (3) The pensionable earnings bands and contribution percentage rates shall be determined in accordance with the relevant table in respect of each scheme year.".
- (3) In paragraphs (5), (6), (8) and (9), for "the table in paragraph (2)" in each place substitute "the relevant table in paragraph (17)".
 - (4) After paragraph (16), add—
 - "(17) For the purposes of this regulation "the relevant table" means—
 - (a) in respect of the 2009-2010 scheme year, table 1;
 - (b) in respect of the 2010-2011 and any later scheme year, table 2.

Table 1: Scheme Year 2009-2010

Column 1 Pensionable earnings band	Column 2 Contribution percentage rate
Up to £20,709	5%
£20,710 to £68,392	6.5%
£68,393 to £107,846	7.5%
£107,847 to any higher amount	8.5%

Table 2: Scheme Year 2010-2011

Column 1	Column 2
Pensionable earnings band	Contribution percentage rate
Up to £21,175	5%
£21,176 to £69,931	6.5%
£69,932 to £110,273	7.5%
£110,274 to any higher amount	8.5%."