STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

2012 No. 124

The Pensions (2008 No. 2 Act) (Abolition of Protected Rights) (Consequential Provisions) Order (Northern Ireland) 2012

PART 2

Amendments coming into operation immediately before, or on, 6th April 2012

Amendment of the Contracting-out (Transfer and Transfer Payment) Regulations

13.—(1) The Contracting-out (Transfer and Transfer Payment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1996(**1**) are amended in accordance with paragraphs (2) and (3).

(2) In regulation 1(2) (interpretation)—

(a) after the definition of "the 1993 Act" insert—

> ""abolition date" means the day appointed for the commencement of section 13(1) of the Pensions Act (Northern Ireland) 2008;";

(b) in the definition of "section 5(2B) rights"(**2**) at the end of paragraph (b)(ii) add "where that transfer payment was made before the abolition date".

(3) In regulation 13A(**3**) (modification of section 8C where transfer payments are made to salary related contracted-out schemes) at the end of paragraph (b) add "where that transfer payment was made before the abolition date".

(**1**) S.R. 1996 No. 618; relevant amending Regulations are S.R. 1997 No. 160 and S.R. 1999 No. 486

(**2**) The definition of "section 5(2B) rights" was substituted by paragraph 10(2)(b) of the Schedule to S.R. 1997 No. 160 and amended by regulation 8 of S.R. 1999 No. 486

(**3**) Regulation 13A was inserted by paragraph 10(6) of the Schedule to S.R. 1997 No. 160