# STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

# 2014 No. 150

# **HOUSING; RATES; SOCIAL SECURITY**

The Jobseeker's Allowance (Schemes for Assisting Persons to Obtain Employment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2014

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# THE JOBSEEKER'S ALLOWANCE (SCHEMES FOR ASSISTING PERSONS TO OBTAIN EMPLOYMENT) REGULATIONS (NORTHERN IRELAND) 2014

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Schemes for Assisting Persons to Obtain Employment

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### PART 2

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- 8. Failure to participate in the Scheme
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# PART 3

### Hardship

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Status: This is the original version (as it was originally made).

# PART 4

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- 16. Capital to be disregarded
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# Contracting Out

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