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SOCIAL SECURITY

The Mesothelioma Lump Sum Payments (Conditions and Amounts) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2014

Made - - - - 3rd March 2014

Coming into operation - 1st April 2014

Approved by resolution of the Assembly on 31st March 2014

The Department for Social Development makes the following Regulations in exercise of the powers conferred by section 1(3) of the Mesothelioma, etc., Act (Northern Ireland) 2008(a).

Citation, commencement and application

1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Mesothelioma Lump Sum Payments (Conditions and Amounts) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2014 and shall come into operation on 1st April 2014.

(2) In regulation 2—

(a) paragraph (a) applies only in relation to a person—

(i) first diagnosed with mesothelioma on or after 1st April 2014; or

(ii) where the date of the first diagnosis with mesothelioma is unknown, if a claim is made by that person on or after 1st April 2014; and

(b) paragraph (b) applies only in relation to the dependant of a person who dies on or after 1st April 2014.

Amendment of the Mesothelioma Lump Sum Payments (Conditions and Amounts) Regulations

2. In the Schedule to the Mesothelioma Lump Sum Payments (Conditions and Amounts) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2008(b)—

(a) for Table 1 substitute the Table set out in Part 1 of the Schedule to these Regulations; and

(b) for Table 2 substitute the Table set out in Part 2 of the Schedule to these Regulations.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department for Social Development on 3rd March 2014

(L.S.)

Anne McCleary

A senior officer of the Department for Social Development

(a) 2008 c. 9 (N.I.)

(b) S.R. 2008 No. 354; relevant amending Regulations are S.R. 2013 No. 57

SCHEDULE

Regulation 2

Part 1

“Table 1

Amount of lump sum payment to person with mesothelioma

<i>Age of person with mesothelioma at diagnosis, or, if unknown, at date of claim</i>	<i>Payment £</i>
37 and under	85,580
38	83,916
39	82,256
40	80,595
41	78,931
42	77,270
43	76,441
44	75,606
45	74,778
46	73,947
47	73,115
48	70,792
49	68,466
50	66,136
51	63,812
52	61,480
53	59,821
54	58,160
55	56,501
56	54,833
57	53,173
58	48,854
59	44,531
60	40,216
61	35,893
62	31,573
63	28,912
64	26,252
65	23,598
66	20,938
67	18,280
68	17,738
69	17,196
70	16,660
71	16,121
72	15,581
73	15,122
74	14,654
75	14,205
76	13,754
77 and over	13,295”

Part 2

“Table 2

Amount of lump sum payment to dependant

<i>Age of person with mesothelioma at death</i>	<i>Payment £</i>
37 and under	44,537
38	43,579
39	42,624
40	41,668
41	40,713
42	39,758
43	38,844
44	37,921
45	37,013
46	36,100
47	35,188
48	34,065
49	32,942
50	31,822
51	30,704
52	29,584
53	28,664
54	27,753
55	26,839
56	25,919
57	25,008
58	22,479
59	19,941
60	17,409
61	14,873
62	12,336
63	11,612
64	10,893
65	10,156
66	9,432
67 and over	7,374”

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations)

These Regulations amend the Mesothelioma Lump Sum Payments (Conditions and Amounts) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2008 to increase amounts of lump sums payable to people with mesothelioma or to their dependants under the Mesothelioma, etc., Act (Northern Ireland) 2008. The increase in each case is 2.7 per cent., rounded up or down to the nearest £1 as appropriate.

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