STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

2015 No. 65

SOCIAL SECURITY

The Mesothelioma Lump Sum Payments (Conditions and Amounts) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2015

Made - - - - 17th February 2015

Coming into operation 1st April 2015

Approved by resolution of the Assembly on 23rd March 2015

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(1).

Citation, commencement and application

- 1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Mesothelioma Lump Sum Payments (Conditions and Amounts) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2015 and shall come into operation on 1st April 2015.
 - (2) In regulation 2—
 - (a) paragraph (a) applies only in relation to a person—
 - (i) first diagnosed with mesothelioma on or after 1st April 2015; 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 2015; and
 - (b) paragraph (b) applies only in relation to the dependant of a person who dies on or after 1st April 2015.

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(**2**)—
 - (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.

^{(1) 2008} c. 9 (N.L.)

⁽²⁾ S.R. 2008 No. 354; relevant amending Regulations are S.R. 2014 No. 63

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SCHEDULE

Regulation 2

Part 1
"Table 1

Age of person with mesothelioma at diagnosis,	Payment	
or, if unknown, at date of claim	£	
37 and under	86,607	
38	84,923	
39	83,243	
40	81,562	
41	79,878	
42	78,197	
43	77,358	
44	76,513	
45	75,675	
46	74,834	
47	73,992	
48	71,642	
49	69,288	
50	66,930	
51	64,578	
52	62,218	
53	60,539	
54	58,858	
55	57,179	
56	55,491	
57	53,811	
58	49,440	
59	45,065	
60	40,699	
61	36,324	
62	31,952	
63	29,259	
64	26,567	

Age of person with mesothelioma at diagnosis,	Payment	
or, if unknown, at date of claim	£	
65	23,881	
66	21,189	
67	18,499	
68	17,951	
69	17,402	
70	16,860	
71	16,314	
72	15,768	
73	15,303	
74	14,830	
75	14,375	
76	13,919	
77 and over	13,455"	

Part 2

"Table 2

Age of person with mesothelioma at death	Payment
	£
37 and under	45,071
38	44,102
39	43,135
40	42,168
41	41,202
42	40,235
43	39,310
44	38,376
45	37,457
46	36,533
47	35,610
48	34,474
49	33,337
50	32,204

Age of person with mesothelioma at death	Payment	
	£	
51	31,072	
52	29,939	
53	29,008	
54	28,086	
55	27,161	
56	26,230	
57	25,308	
58	22,749	
59	20,180	
60	17,618	
61	15,051	
62	12,484	
63	11,751	
64	11,024	
65	10,278	
66	9,545	
67 and over	7,462"	

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 1.2 per cent., rounded up or down to the nearest £1 as appropriate.