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STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

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The Statutory Paternity Pay and Statutory  
Adoption Pay (Parental Orders and Prospective  
Adopters) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2015

PART 3

APPLICATION AND MODIFICATION OF THE PAY  
REGULATIONS IN PARENTAL ORDER CASES

**Application of the Pay Regulations to intended parents and parental order parents**

**24.** In regulation 40 (normal weekly earnings) of the Pay Regulations as they apply to an intended parent or a parental order parent, in paragraph (2), the definition of “the appropriate date” shall read—

““the appropriate date” means in relation to statutory paternity pay (adoption) and statutory adoption pay, the first day of the 14th week before the expected week of the child’s birth or the first day in the week in which the child is born, whichever is earlier;”.