STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

2016 No. 158

The Pensions (2015 Act) (Abolition of Contractingout for Salary Related Pension Schemes) (Consequential Amendments and Savings) Order (Northern Ireland) 2016

PART 2

Amendments coming into operation on 6th April 2016

Amendment of the Occupational Pension Schemes (Deficiency on Winding Up, etc.) Regulations

- **4.** In regulation 10(2) of the Occupational Pension Schemes (Deficiency on Winding Up, etc.) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1996(1) (disapplication of Article 75)—
 - (a) after the definition of "approved scheme" insert—
 - ""contracted-out" is to be construed in accordance with section 3B(2)(2) of the Pension Schemes Act (meaning of "contracted-out scheme" and "appropriate scheme" etc);";
 - (b) in the definition of "relevant lump sum retirement benefits scheme", in paragraph (b) for "is not contracted-out" substitute "was not contracted-out at any time before the second abolition date";
 - (c) after the definition of "relevant statutory scheme" insert—
 - ""the second abolition date" has the meaning given in section 176(1) of the Pension Schemes Act(3);".

⁽¹⁾ S.R. 1996 No. 585 to which there are amendments not relevant to this Order

⁽²⁾ Section 3B was inserted by paragraph 6 of Schedule 13 to the Pensions Act (Northern Ireland) 2015

⁽³⁾ The definition of "the second abolition date" was inserted by paragraph 42(2) of Schedule 13 to the Pensions Act (Northern Ireland) 2015