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SOCIAL SECURITY

**The Discretionary Financial Assistance
(Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2017**

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Coming into operation in accordance with regulation 1

The Secretary of State for Work and Pensions makes the following Regulations in exercise of the powers conferred by section 60(1) to (4) and (6) of the Child Support, Pensions and Social Security Act (Northern Ireland) 2000⁽¹⁾.

These powers are exercisable by the Secretary of State by virtue of Article 4(1)(b) of the Welfare Reform (Northern Ireland) Order 2015⁽²⁾.

(1) 2000 c. 4 (N.I.); subsection (1) was amended by paragraph 44 of Schedule 2 to the Welfare Reform (Northern Ireland) Order 2015 (S.I. 2015 No. 2006 (N.I.1)). Section 60(6) is an interpretation provision and is cited for the meaning of “prescribed”
(2) S.I. 2015/2006 (N.I. 1)