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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2003 No. 325**

**The Housing Benefit and Council Tax Benefit  
(State Pension Credit) Regulations 2003**

**PART 5**

**Consequential and Transitional Provisions**

**Transitional provision**

**29.** A claim for housing benefit or council tax benefit made after the day this regulation comes into force but before 6th October 2004 by a person who has attained or whose partner has attained the qualifying age for state pension credit shall be treated as made—

- (a) on 6th October 2003; or
- (b) on the day that person or, as the case may be, his partner attained the qualifying age for state pension credit,

whichever is the later, if the local authority is satisfied that, on that day, the claimant satisfied the conditions of entitlement to housing benefit or, as the case may be, council tax benefit.

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**Commencement Information**

**II** [Reg. 29](#) in force at 6.10.2003, see [reg. 1\(1\)\(b\)](#)

**Changes to legislation:**

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