

SCHEDULE

Amendments of provisions of Acts relating to pensions and benefit payments, extending those provisions to civil partners and surviving civil partners

PART 2

Amendments of the Social Security Administration Act 1992 (c. 5)

10. In section 159B (effect of alterations affecting state pension credit)(**1**), in subsection (6), in the definition of “war widow’s or widower’s pension”—

- (a) in paragraph (a), for “any widow’s or widower’s” substitute “any widow’s, widower’s or surviving civil partner’s”; and
- (b) in paragraph (b), for “widow or widower” substitute “widow, widower or surviving civil partner”.

(1) Section 159B was inserted by paragraph 17 of Schedule 2 to the State Pension Credit Act 2002 (c. 16). The definition of “war widow’s or widower’s pension” in subsection (6) was amended by paragraph 188 of Schedule 6 to the Income Tax (Earnings and Pensions) Act 2003 (c. 1).