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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2015 No. 448**

**CHILDCARE  
PAYMENT SCHEME**

**The Childcare Payments (Eligibility) Regulations 2015**

*Made - - - - 4th March 2015*

*Coming into force in accordance with regulation 1*

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**Changes to legislation:**

The Childcare Payments (Eligibility) Regulations 2015 is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 27 March 2024. There are changes that may be brought into force at a future date. Changes that have been made appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.

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**Changes and effects yet to be applied to :**

- reg. 13(1)(b)(vii) word substituted by [S.I. 2024/266 reg. 8\(2\)](#)

**Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Instrument associated Parts and Chapters:**

Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Instrument (including any effects on those provisions):

- reg. 13(1)(b)(vii)(c) inserted by [S.I. 2024/266 reg. 8\(2\)](#)