STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

2023 No. 27

SOCIAL SECURITY STATUTORY MATERNITY PAY; STATUTORY SICK PAY; EMPLOYMENT; HOUSING; RATES

The Social Security (2022 Benefits Uprating) Order (Northern Ireland) 2023

Made - - - - 8th March 2023
Coming into operation 27th March 2023

THE SOCIAL SECURITY (2022 BENEFITS UPRATING) ORDER (NORTHERN IRELAND) 2023

PART 1

INTRODUCTION

- 1. Citation and commencement
- 2. Interpretation

PART 2

SOCIAL SECURITY BENEFITS AND PENSIONS

- 3. Rates or amounts of certain benefits under the Contributions and Benefits Act
- 4. Rates or amounts of certain pensions and allowances under the Contributions and Benefits Act
- 5. Rates or amounts of certain benefits under the Pension Schemes Act
- Rates or amounts of certain pensions under Part 1 of the Pensions Act
- 7. Earnings limits
- 8. Statutory sick pay
- 9. Statutory maternity pay
- 10. Statutory paternity pay, statutory adoption payand statutory shared parental pay
- 11. Graduated retirement benefit

Status: This is the original version (as it was originally made).

- 12. Amount of Category C retirement pension under the Social Security (Widow's Benefit and Retirement Pensions) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1979
- 13. Maximum additional pension
- 14. Disability living allowance
- 15. Personal independence payment
- 16. Age addition to long-term incapacity benefit
- 17. Transitional invalidity allowanceinlong-term incapacity benefit cases
- 18. Bereavement benefits
- 19. Bereavement support payment

DADT 2

INCOME SUPPORT AND HOUSING BENEFIT

- 20. Applicable amounts for income support
- 21. Income support transitional protection
- 22. Relevant sum for income support
- 23. Housing benefit
- 24. Housing benefit for certain persons over the qualifying age for state pension credit

PART 4

JOBSEEKER'S ALLOWANCE

- 25. Age-related amounts of contribution-based jobseeker's allowance
- 26. Applicable amounts for jobseeker's allowance
- 27. Prescribed sum for the Jobseeker's Allowance Regulations 1996
- 28. Amounts for the Jobseeker's Allowance Regulations 2016

PART 5

STATE PENSION CREDIT

29. State pension credit

PART 6

EMPLOYMENT AND SUPPORT ALLOWANCE

- 30. Applicable amounts for the Employment and Support Allowance Regulations 2008
- 31. Prescribed amount for the Employment and Support Allowance Regulations 2016

PART 7

UNIVERSAL CREDIT

32. Universal credit

PART 8

REVOCATION

33. Revocation Signature

Status: This is the original version (as it was originally made).

SCHEDULE1 Provisions of Schedule 4 to the Contributions and Benefits Act as amended by this Order PART I — CONTRIBUTORY PERIODICAL BENEFITS PART III — NON-CONTRIBUTORY PERIODICAL BENEFITS PART IV — INCREASES FOR DEPENDANTS PART V — RATE OF INDUSTRIAL INJURIES BENEFIT **SCHEDULE** Part I of Schedule 2 to the Income Support Regulations as amended by this Order PART 1 — PERSONAL ALLOWANCES **SCHEDULE** Part IV of Schedule 2 to the Income Support Regulations as amended by this Order PART IV — WEEKLY AMOUNTS OF PREMIUMS SPECIFIED IN PART III **SCHEDULE** Part I of Schedule 4 to the Housing Benefit Regulations as amended by this Order PART I — PERSONAL ALLOWANCES **SCHEDULE** Part IV of Schedule 4 to the Housing Benefit Regulations as amended by this Order PART IV — AMOUNTS OF PREMIUMS SPECIFIED IN PART III **SCHEDULE** Paragraph 1 of Part I of Schedule 4 to the Housing Benefit (SPC) Regulations as amended by this Order PART I — PERSONAL ALLOWANCES **SCHEDULE** Part IV of Schedule 4 to the Housing Benefit (SPC) Regulations as amended by this Order PART IV — AMOUNTS OF PREMIUMS SPECIFIED IN PART III **SCHEDULE** Part I of Schedule 1 to the Jobseeker's Allowance Regulations 1996 as amended by this Order PART I — PERSONAL ALLOWANCES **SCHEDULE** Part IV of Schedule 1 to the Jobseeker's Allowance Regulations 1996 as amended by this Order PART IV — WEEKLY AMOUNTS OF PREMIUMS SPECIFIED IN PART III **SCHEDULE** Part IVB of Schedule 1 to the Jobseeker's Allowance Regulations 1996 as amended by this Order PART IVB — WEEKLY AMOUNTS OF PREMIUMS SPECIFIED IN PART IVA **SCHEDULE** Part 1 of Schedule 4 to the Employment and Support Allowance Regulations 2008 as amended by this Order PART 1 — PRESCRIBED AMOUNTS PART 1 — PRESCRIBED AMOUNTS **SCHEDULE** Part 3 of Schedule 4 to the Employment and Support Allowance Regulations 2008 as amended by this Order PART 3 — WEEKLY AMOUNT OF PREMIUMS SPECIFIED IN PART 2 Amounts of certain elements specified in the table in regulation 38 **SCHEDULE** 13 of the Universal Credit Regulations as amended by this Order **Explanatory Note**