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## SCHEDULES

### SCHEDULE 7

#### REDUCED RATE ELECTIONS: BASIC AMOUNT OF STATE PENSION UNDER SECTION 12

2.—(1) A woman is entitled to a basic amount under this paragraph if she has reached pensionable age, and—

- (a) she is married to a person who has reached pensionable age, or
- (b) she is in a civil partnership with a person who has reached that age.

(2) The basic amount is the amount specified in paragraph 5 of Part 1 of Schedule 4 to the Contributions and Benefits Act on the day on which the woman became entitled under this paragraph.

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#### Commencement Information

- II** Sch. 7 para. 2 in operation at 6.4.2016, see s. 53(1)(3)

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

- specified provision(s) transitional provisions for effects of commencing S.I. 2017/297, art. 2 by [S.R. 2017/58](#) Order