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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**1996 No. 1632**

The Deregulation and Contracting  
Out (Northern Ireland) Order 1996

PART IV

SOCIAL SECURITY AND SUPPLEMENTARY

**Social security: amendments following certain orders**

17.—(1) Where the Secretary of State makes an order under Chapter I of Part I or Part II of the Deregulation and Contracting Out Act 1994 relating to any matter dealt with by or under any enactment specified in paragraph (2), the Department of Health and Social Services may make a corresponding order for Northern Ireland.

(2) Those enactments are—

- the Child Support Act 1991;
- the Social Security Contributions and Benefits Act 1992;
- the Social Security Administration Act 1992;
- the Social Security (Consequential Provisions) Act 1992;
- the Social Security Act 1993;
- the Pension Schemes Act 1993;
- the Social Security (Contributions) Act 1994;
- the Statutory Sick Pay Act 1994;
- the Social Security (Incapacity for Work) Act 1994;
- the Jobseekers Act 1995;
- the Pensions Act 1995;
- the Child Support Act 1995.

(3) An order under this Article may contain such incidental, consequential, supplemental and transitional provisions and such savings as may be necessary or expedient to give effect to the order or in consequence of any change in the law effected or to be effected by or under the order, including such provisions for the modification, application, adaptation or repeal of statutory provisions and for administration and enforcement as are specified in the order.

(4) Section 166(1) of the Social Security Administration (Northern Ireland) Act 1992 applies to an order made under this Article as it applies to an order made under section 129 of that Act.

**Amendments**

18. Schedule 5 (which contains amendments and other provisions for facilitating or otherwise in connection with the contracting out of particular functions, and a minor amendment) has effect.

## **Repeals**

**19.** The enactments set out in Schedule 6 are hereby repealed to the extent specified in column 3 of that Schedule.