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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**1997 No. 1182**

The Social Security Administration  
(Fraud) (Northern Ireland) Order 1997

*Reviews and medical examinations*

**<sup>F1</sup>Medical examinations of persons awarded certain benefits**

17. After section 55 of the Administration Act insert—

*“Medical examinations*

**Medical examinations of persons awarded attendance allowance or disability living allowance.**

**55A.** Regulations may make provision—

- (a) enabling the Department to require a person to whom attendance allowance or disability living allowance has been awarded to submit to medical examination in prescribed circumstances;
- (b) for withholding payments of benefit in prescribed circumstances where a person has failed to submit himself to a medical examination to which he has been required to submit in accordance with regulations under paragraph (a) above; and
- (c) for the subsequent making in prescribed circumstances of payments withheld in accordance with regulations under paragraph (b) above.”.

<p><b>F1</b> prosp. in pt. rep. by 1998 NI 10</p>
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**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Social Security Administration (Fraud) (Northern Ireland) Order 1997, Section 17.