## STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

# 1999 No. 3147

# The Welfare Reform and Pensions (Northern Ireland) Order 1999

## PART VI

## WELFARE CHAPTER I SOCIAL SECURITY BENEFITS

### Disability benefits

#### Attendance allowance

**63.**—(1) After subsection (3) of section 64 of the Contributions and Benefits Act (entitlement to attendance allowance) there shall be added—

"(4) Circumstances may be prescribed in which a person is to be taken to satisfy or not to satisfy such of the conditions mentioned in subsections (2) and (3) above as may be prescribed."  $\cdot$ 

- (2) In subsection (1) of section 66 of that Act (attendance allowance for the terminally ill)—
  - (a) in paragraph (a)(i), for the words from "for the remainder of his life" to "terminally ill" there shall be substituted "for so much of the period for which he is terminally ill as does not fall before the date of the claim";
  - (b) in paragraph (a)(ii), for "that date", in the first place where those words occur, there shall be substituted "the date of the claim or, if later, the first date on which he is terminally ill"; and
  - (c) in paragraph (b), for "the remainder of the person's life, beginning with that date" there shall be substituted "so much of the period for which he is terminally ill as does not fall before the date of the claim".

**Changes to legislation:** There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Welfare Reform and Pensions (Northern Ireland) Order 1999, Section 63.