

## 1974. No. 180

**SELECTIVE EMPLOYMENT PREMIUMS****Selective Employment Premium (Variation of Amounts)  
Order (Northern Ireland) 1974***Made* . . . . . 25th July 1974*Coming into Operation* . . . . . 4th August 1974*To be laid before Parliament under paragraph 3(3) of  
Schedule 1 to the Northern Ireland Act 1974*

The Department of Finance in exercise of the powers conferred on it by section 1(4) of the Selective Employment Payments (Amendment) Act (Northern Ireland) 1967(a), and of every other power enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following Order:—

*Citation and commencement*

1. This Order may be cited as the Selective Employment Premium (Variation of Amounts) Order (Northern Ireland) 1974, and shall come into operation on 4th August 1974.

*Amendment*

2. In relation to any contribution week beginning after 4th August 1974, section 1(1) of the Selective Employment Payments (Amendment) Act (Northern Ireland) 1967 (which specifies the amounts of selective employment premiums) shall be amended—

- (a) in paragraph (a), by the substitution, for the figures “£1.50”, of the figures “£3”;
- (b) in paragraph (b), by the substitution, for the figures “75p”, of the figures “£1.50”;
- (c) in paragraph (c), by the substitution, for the figures “75p”, of the figures “£1.50”; and
- (d) in paragraph (d), by the substitution, for the figures “47½p”, of the figures “95p”.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Finance for Northern Ireland this 25th day of July 1974.

(L.S.)

*W. I. Woods,*

Deputy Secretary.

**EXPLANATORY NOTE**

*(This note is not part of the Order, but is intended to indicate its general purport.)*

Section 1 of the Selective Employment Payments (Amendment) Act (Northern Ireland) 1967, as substituted by paragraph 4 of Schedule 3 to the Finance (Northern Ireland) Order 1972 (S.I. 1972, No. 1100 (N.I. 11)), provides that selective employment premium is payable in respect of persons employed in certain employments in Northern Ireland at the following weekly rates:—

- (a) for a man over 18, £1.50;
- (b) for a woman over 18, 75p;
- (c) for a boy under 18, 75p; and
- (d) for a girl under 18, 47½p.

This Order increases these amounts respectively to £3, £1.50, £1.50 and 95p.