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STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

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**2022 No. 75**

**The Education (Student Support, etc.)  
(Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2022**

**PART 2**

**CHAPTER 4**

Citizens' Rights, residency and removal of references to grace period

**Amendments to the 2009 Regulations**

**25.** In regulation 2(1) (interpretation)—

- (a) omit the definition of “grace period”;
- (b) re-position the definition of “person with protected rights” in the appropriate place after the definition of “person with leave to enter or remain on the grounds of discretionary leave”;
- (c) in the newly positioned definition of “person with protected rights”(1)—
  - (i) re-number the existing text after “means—” as paragraph (1) of the definition;
  - (ii) in that paragraph as so numbered, omit sub-paragraph (a)(iii);
  - (iii) after sub-paragraph (a)(iv), insert—
    - “(v) otherwise has rights deemed to apply by virtue of any citizens’ rights deeming provisions; or”;
  - (iv) after that paragraph as so numbered, insert—
    - “(2) In paragraph (1)(a)(v), “citizens’ rights deeming provisions” means—
      - (a) Article 18(2) and (3) (issuance of residence documents) of the EU withdrawal agreement;
      - (b) Article 17(2) and (3) (issuance of residence documents) of the EEA EFTA separation agreement (as defined in section 39(1) of the European Union (Withdrawal Agreement) Act 2020(2)); or
      - (c) Article 16(2) and (3) (issuance of residence documents) of the Swiss citizens’ rights agreement.”.

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(1) Definition inserted by S.R. 2021 No. 85.

(2) 2020 c. 1.