

I, the undersigned, hereby demand for the purposes of the Widows', Orphans' and Old Age Contributory Pensions Act (Northern Ireland), 1925, a Certificate of the Death of the person in relation to whom particulars are given below.

Name of Deceased person in full.....

Date of Death—The.....day of.....One thousand
.....hundred and.....

(The year to be written in words not figures).

Place of Death

Age at Death

Occupation of Deceased Person

Signature of Applicant

Address

Dated this.....day of.....19.....

Approved.

L. A. BULLWINKLE,
Registrar-General.

Existing Widows and Orphans.

MADE BY THE NATIONAL HEALTH INSURANCE JOINT COMMITTEE,
WITH THE CONSENT OF THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE, UNDER
SECTION 36 OF THE WIDOWS', ORPHANS' AND OLD AGE
CONTRIBUTORY PENSIONS ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1925.

1926. No. 59.

Whereas by Section 36 of the Widows', Orphans' and Old Age Contributory Pensions Act (Northern Ireland), 1925 (hereinafter referred to as "the Pensions Act"), it is enacted that if in any respect any difficulty arises in bringing into operation the Pensions Act the Ministry of Labour may with the consent of the Ministry of Finance by Order do anything which appears to be necessary or expedient for carrying the Pensions Act into operation, and any such Order may modify the provisions of the Pensions Act so far as may appear necessary or expedient for carrying the Order into effect:

And whereas by virtue of the Contributory Pensions (Joint Committee) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1925, it is provided that the National Health Insurance Joint Committee (hereinafter referred to as the "Joint Committee") shall exercise, either alone or jointly with the Ministry of Labour, as the case may require, the power of making Orders under Section 36 of the Pensions Act:

And whereas by Section 18 of the Pensions Act it is provided that a person whose husband, father or mother, as the case may be, had died before the commencement of the Pensions Act is

entitled to a pension in the like circumstances and under the like conditions as if the husband, father or mother, as the case may be, had died immediately after the commencement of the Pensions Act and the deceased husband, father or mother is deemed to have been insured at the time of his or her death for the purposes of the Pensions Act if he or she would have been or would have been deemed to have been so insured by virtue of any employment if the Pensions Act had then been in force :

And whereas by sub-section (2) of Section 2 of the Pensions Act a person insured under the National Health Insurance Act, 1924 (14 & 15 Geo. 5, c. 38) (hereinafter referred to as "the Insurance Act"), is deemed to continue to be so insured during any period during which he is by virtue of sub-section (4) of Section 12 of the Insurance Act entitled to sanatorium benefit :

And whereas by reason of the premises a difficulty has arisen in applying to persons who in fact died before the commencement of the Insurance Act but who for the purposes of the Pensions Act are to be treated as having died after the commencement of that Act the provisions of sub-section (4) of Section 12 of the Insurance Act so as to give effect to the intention of Parliament with regard to the pensions payable to persons who are at the commencement of the Pensions Act the widows or orphans of insured persons :

Now, therefore, the Joint Committee, in pursuance of the Pensions Act and of every other power enabling them in that behalf, with the consent of the Ministry of Finance, hereby order as follows :—

1. All persons who were at any time insured persons under the Acts repealed by the Insurance Act shall, for the purposes of the Pensions Act, be deemed to have continued to be insured until the expiration of the period during which they would have been entitled to sanatorium benefit, if the Insurance Act had then been in force.

2. This Order may be cited as the Contributory Pensions (Existing Widows and Orphans) Order (Northern Ireland), 1926.

Given under the Official Seal of the National Health Insurance Joint Committee this 27th day of April,
One thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

(L.S.)

W. F. Wackrill,
Secretary to the National Health
Insurance Joint Committee.

The Ministry of Finance hereby consents to this Order.

Given under the Official Seal of the Ministry of Finance,
this 27th day of April, One thousand nine hundred
and twenty-six.

(L.S.)

G. C. Duggan,
Assistant Secretary to the Ministry
of Finance.