Section of the Act.	Subject Matter.	Whether for purposes of whole, or what part of the section.
116	Power to separate men's and women's funds	the whole section.
130	Position of men of forces who are members of approved societies	do.
. 133	General provisions relating to men of forces	paragraph (b) of subsection (1).
142	Investment Account	subsection (3).
143	Investment of funds by approved societies	the whole section.
150	Application of Reserve Suspense Fund towards making good appre- hended deficiencies	do.
151	Transfer from Reserve Suspense Fund in case of insured persons ceasing to reside in the United Kingdom	subsections (3) and (4).
155	Application of Central Fund in certain cases towards making good apprehended deficiencies	the whole section.
163	Decision of disputes	subsection (4).
174	Civil proceedings by employee against employer for non-compliance with Act	subsection (2).

Given under the Official Seal of the National Health Insurance Joint Committee this 19th day of August, nineteen hundred and thirty-nine.

(L.S.)

K. Curtis,

Deputy Secretary to the National Health Insurance Joint Committee.

Given under the Official Seal of the Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland this 19th day of August, nineteen hundred and thirty-nine.

(L.S.)

R. R. Bowman,

Assistant Secretary, Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland.

THE NATIONAL HEALTH INSURANCE (DEPOSIT CONTRIBUTORS)
REGULATIONS (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1939, DATED 26TH DAY OF
SEPTEMBER, 1939, MADE BY THE NATIONAL HEALTH INSURANCE
JOINT COMMITTEE AND THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR FOR NORTHERN
IRELAND WITH THE APPROVAL OF THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE FOR
NORTHERN IRELAND UNDER THE NATIONAL HEALTH INSURANCE
ACT, 1936. (26 GEO. 5 AND 1 EDW. 8, c. 32.)

1939. No. 150,

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The National Health Insurance Joint Committee and the Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland, acting jointly so far as regards regulations which the said Joint Committee are empowered to make jointly with the said Ministry, and acting separately so far as regards regulations which the said Joint Committee or the said Ministry are empowered to make alone, and with the approval of the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland, so far as regards matters with respect to which such approval is required, in exercise of the several powers conferred on them by the National Health Insurance Act, 1936, and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, hereby make the following regulations:-

PART T.

General.

1.—These regulations may be cited as the National Health and com-Insurance (Deposit Contributors) Regulations (Northern Ireland), mencement. 1939, and, except as otherwise expressly provided, shall come into operation forthwith.

2.—The regulations specified in the Schedule to these regulations Revocation are hereby revoked, but without prejudice to anything duly done regulations. or suffered, or to any right, privilege, obligation or liability acquired, accrued or incurred thereunder.

3.—(1) In these regulations, unless the context otherwise Interpretation. requires :-

"the Act "means the National Health Insurance Act, 1936,

as amended by any subsequent enactment;

"the Approved Societies Regulations" means the National Health Insurance (Approved Societies) Regulations, 1938(a);

"the Joint Committee" means the National Health Insur-

ance Joint Committee:

"the Ministry" means the Ministry of Labour for Northern

Ireland;

"benefit year," in relation to the medical benefit of a deposit contributor, means the period from the first day of April to the thirty-first day of March (both inclusive) in consecutive years; and "benefit half-year" means the period from the first day of April to the thirtieth day of September (both inclusive) in any year or the period from the first day of October to the thirty-first day of March (both inclusive) in consecutive vears:

"employment" means employment within the meaning of the Act, and "employed," "unemployed" and "unemploy-

ment " have the corresponding meanings;

"fund" means the Deposit Contributors Fund;

"proper proportion," in relation to the costs of the benefits of a deposit contributor and of the administration of those

⁽a) S.R. & O., 1938, No. 257,

benefits, means the proportion of the costs of benefits and of administration payable out of contributions paid by or in respect of the deposit contributor;

"society" means an approved society, and in relation to transfers from or to a society includes the Navy, Army and Air Force Insurance Fund;

"the Medical Benefit Account" means the account set up under that title in accordance with Section 212 of the Act;

- "the Collection of Contributions Regulations" means the National Health Insurance and Contributory Pensions (Collection of Contributions) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1938(a).
- (2) References in these regulations to any regulations shall be deemed to include references to such regulations as amended by any subsequent regulations or to the corresponding provisions of any regulations made in substitution therefor.
- (3) The Interpretation Act, 1921, applies to the interpretation of these regulations as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

Benefits of deposit contributor to depend on sum at his credit.

4.—Save as otherwise expressly provided, nothing in these regulations shall be deemed to confer upon a deposit contributor the right to any benefit where at the time the deduction in respect of the benefit would otherwise be made the amount standing to his credit in the fund is exhausted or, in the case of medical benefit, is not sufficient to provide the proper proportion of the cost thereof and of administration.

PART II.

Application of the Act to deposit contributors.

Application of sections 6, 7, 8 and 9 of Act. (Position of insured person ceasing to be employed or to pay contributions as voluntary contributors.)

- 5.—(1) The provisions of sections 6, 7, 8 and 9 of the Act shall apply to deposit contributors as they apply to members of societies, subject however to the modifications set out in this regulation.
- (2) The times, periods, conditions and other matters prescribed by regulations made under sections 6, 7 and 9 of the Act shall apply to deposit contributors as they apply to members of societies.
- (3) The powers and duties exercisable by societies in the case of their members under the said sections 6, 7, 8 and 9, and the regulations made under any of those sections, shall in the case of deposit contributors be exercisable by the Ministry.
- (4) In the case of a deposit contributor becoming a member of a society, or of a member of a society becoming a deposit contributor, he shall for the purposes of the foregoing provisions of this regulation be treated as if he had been a member of the society or had been a deposit contributor, as the case may be, since his last entry into insurance.

⁽a) S,R, & O. of Northern Ireland, 1938, No. 143,

- (5) The provisions of this regulation shall, notwithstanding anything in section 126 of the Act, apply to every woman being an insured person and a deposit contributor who ceases to be employed or to pay contributions as a voluntary contributor, whether on marriage or at any other time, so, however, that, in the case of a woman who was an insured person at the date of her marriage, she shall be entitled to a maternity benefit in respect of her first confinement occurring within two years from the date of her marriage notwithstanding that she may at the date of such confinement have ceased to be an insured person.
- deposit contributors as set out and adapted and modified as (1) of Act.

 (Payment of 6.—(1) Subsection (1) of section 19 of the Act shall apply to Application

Where a deposit contributor who is insured as an employed during sickcontributor ceases to be employed, or where the employer of ness and unemploysuch a deposit contributor ceases to be liable to pay contributions ment in in respect of him, the deposit contributor shall, if he proves to the satisfaction of the Ministry that during any period he was either incapable of work or unable to obtain employment, be entitled up to and including the 30th day of November next succeeding the contribution year in which the incapacity or unemployment occurred, or such later date as the Ministry may in any particular case determine, to pay contributions at the employed rate in respect of the said period of incapacity or unemployment.

(2) In its application to deposit contributors paragraph (3) of regulation 11 of the Collection of Contributions Regulations shall be construed as if the reference therein to subsection (1) of section 19 of the Act was a reference to that subsection as applied to deposit contributors by this regulation.

7.—The provisions of sections 69, 90 (so far as that section Application relates to the execution of instruments and giving acquittances) 69, 90 and 153 and 153 of the Act shall apply to a deposit contributor as they apply of Act. to a member of a society, and the reference to a society in the said provisions.) section 69 shall be construed as a reference to the Ministry, and the reference in the said section 90 to the rules of the society shall be construed as a reference to the rules of the fund.

- 8.—Subsection (1) of section 89 of the Act (other than provisos (i), Application (ii), (iii), and (iv) to the said subsection) shall apply to deposit (1) of Act:

 contributors as adapted and modified as follows:

 (Transfer contributors as adapted and modified as follows:—
 - (1) Subject to the provisions of the Act, a deposit contributor society to another.) shall be entitled at any time to become a member of a society and, except as otherwise provided in these regulations, shall be treated as if he had become a member of the society at the commencement of the contribution half-year in which he is admitted a member of the society or if, having regard to the

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special circumstances of any case, the Ministry so determines, at such other date as the Ministry may direct, but nothing herein contained shall render the society liable for payment of any benefits in respect of any period prior to the date on which the insured person is actually admitted a member.

(2) A transfer fee shall be payable in respect of every person who ceases to be a deposit contributor by reason of becoming a member of a society or who is transferred to the Deposit Contributors Insurance Section; and the total amount of transfer fees so payable in any year shall be ascertained by multiplying three shillings by the number of persons who cease to be deposit contributors by reason of becoming members of societies or who are so transferred in that year, which amount shall be deducted from the sum of the balances standing to the accounts of those persons and shall be applied towards the expenses incurred by or on behalf of the Ministry in the administration of benefits of deposit contributors:

Provided that no transfer fee shall be payable under this paragraph in the case of a person who is transferred to the Deposit Contributors Insurance Section under the provisions of regulation 19 of these regulations.

Application of section 89 (4) of Act. (Ceasing to be a member of a society on termination of insurance act.)

9.—Subsection (4) of section 89 of the Act shall apply to deposit contributors as set out and adapted and modified as follows:—

Any person being a deposit contributor to whom a certificate of exemption is granted under this Act or who otherwise ceases to be an insured person shall, upon the grant of the certificate or on so ceasing, as the case may be, cease to be a deposit contributor:

Provided that if any person within one year after so ceasing to be a deposit contributor becomes an employed contributor and before joining a society again becomes a deposit contributor, he shall be entitled to have placed to his credit in the fund the amount which was at the credit of his account in the fund on the date on which he ceased to be a deposit contributor.

Application of section 12 of Act. (Notice of Marriage.)

- 10.—Section 128 of the Act shall apply to women being insured persons and deposit contributors as set out and modified as follows:—
 - (1) It shall be the duty of every woman, being an insured person and a deposit contributor, who marries to give notice of her marriage to the Ministry within eight weeks thereof.
 - (2) If a woman has married but has failed to give notice of her marriage as required by the foregoing paragraph and by reason of such failure has received a sum by way of sickness

or disablement benefit in excess of the amount properly payable to her, the amount so paid in excess may be deducted from the amount of any benefits subsequently payable to her.

11.—Paragraph (a) of subsection (1) of section 146 of the Act shall Application of section 146 apply in the case of deposit contributors who cease to be insured (1) (a) of Act. persons, so, however, that instead of a transfer value being credited (Transfer of sums on to the Reserve Suspense Fund in the case of such a contributor, persons the amount of the balance in his account in the fund shall subject lapsing from the amount of the balance in his account in the fund shall, subject insurance.) to the provisions of paragraph (c) (ii) of subsection (2) of section 123 of the Act, and of the proviso to regulation 9 of these regulations, be transferred to the Reserve Suspense Fund.

12.—(1) Where a deposit contributor or a person who has ceased Right of to be a deposit contributor or a person claiming through such deposit decisions of contributor or person, notifies to the Ministry his dissatisfaction the Ministry. with any decision of the Ministry given, in accordance with paragraph (3) of regulation 5 of these regulations, in relation to that deposit contributor or person who has ceased to be a deposit contributor, it shall be open to the deposit contributor or person so dissatisfied to appeal without leave from that decision.

- (2) A person desiring to appeal in accordance with the provisions of this regulation shall give notice in writing to the Ministry within four weeks of the date on which he is notified of the decision against which he desires to appeal, but the Ministry may, if it thinks fit, extend the time within which such notice may be given.
- (3) (a) Any such appeal of which due notice is given shall be decided by a referee appointed in accordance with any regulations for the time being in force to determine appeals under section 163 of the Act, and the provisions of those regulations shall, so far as they may be appropriate, and subject to the necessary modifications, apply to any such appeal.
 - (b) The decision of the referee shall be final and conclusive.

PART III.

Accounts, benefits, administration expenses and miscellaneous provisions.

- 13.—The accounts of deposit contributors in the fund shall be Management under the control and management of the Ministry, and shall be of accounts. kept in such form as the Ministry may decide.
- 14.—(1) Sickness benefit and disablement benefit shall be paid in Provisions as respect of six days in a week, and shall not be paid in respect of a disablement and maternity Sunday... benefits.

(2) No payment on account of sickness, disablement or maternity benefit shall, unless the Ministry otherwise determines, be made to a deposit contributor out of the amount standing to his credit in the fund of an amount greater than the excess of the amount standing to his credit at the date of his claim over the sum, if any, required to provide the proper proportion of the cost of medical benefit and administration for the benefit half-year commencing next thereafter.

Provisions as to medical benefit.

- 15.—(1) A deposit contributor shall, subject to the payment of contributions having commenced in respect of him, be entitled to medical benefit as from the date on which he enters into insurance or transfers from a society, and (subject to his continuing to be an insured person under these regulations) he shall continue entitled to medical benefit until the commencement of the benefit half-year next succeeding the end of the contribution half-year in which he enters into insurance or transfers from a society, and thereafter he shall be entitled to that benefit only in accordance with the provisions of these regulations.
- (2) A deposit contributor who as at the end of a contribution half-year has standing to his credit in the fund an amount sufficient to provide the proper proportion of the cost of medical benefit and administration for the benefit year or benefit half-year first commencing thereafter or, where he ceases to be an insured person prior to the expiration of that benefit year or benefit half-year, for the portion of that year or half-year until he ceases to be an insured person, shall be entitled to medical benefit for that benefit year or benefit half-year or the portion thereof as the case may be; and save as otherwise expressly provided a deposit contributor who has not then standing to his credit in the fund an amount sufficient for the purpose aforesaid shall be suspended from medical benefit as from the first day of the benefit half-year first commencing thereafter unless the proper proportion of the cost of medical benefit and administration for that half-year has already been deducted:

Provided that a deposit contributor insured as an employed contributor who is entitled to medical benefit up to the end of the benefit half-year immediately preceding that in which he attains the age of sixty-five shall (subject to his continuing to be an insured person under these regulations) not be suspended from medical benefit before the end of the benefit half-year in which that age is reached.

(3) Subject to the provisions of the next succeeding paragraph, a deposit contributor, being an employed contributor by or in respect of whom any contributions were paid during a contribution half-year and (except in the case of a person insured under the provisions of section 129 of the Act, relating to members of the forces of the Crown, or in respect of whom contributions are paid under section

137 of the Act relating to masters and seamen) whose relative contribution card is surrendered to the Ministry, shall, if he continues to be an insured person under these regulations, be entitled to medical benefit during the benefit half-year commencing next after the end of that contribution half-year, whether or not there is standing to his credit in the fund an amount sufficient to provide the proper proportion of the cost of medical benefit and administration for that half-year:

Provided that nothing in this paragraph shall confer a title to medical benefit for any benefit half-year commencing after that in which a deposit contributor attains the age of sixty-five.

- (4) Where the amount to the credit of a deposit contributor in the fund is not sufficient to provide for the appropriate deduction in respect of the cost of medical benefit and administration for any period, the Ministry may, on subsequently crediting contributions to his account in the fund, apply such contributions in or towards meeting the proper proportion of the cost of medical benefit and administration for the said period; and if at the end of the contribution half-year next but one commencing after the date on which such deduction would ordinarily have been made there is still not sufficient to his credit to provide for the deduction, the deposit contributor shall be suspended from medical benefit until the amount to his credit is sufficient to meet any deficiency in his account in respect of the cost of medical benefit or administration and to provide the proper proportion of the cost of medical benefit and administration for the next benefit half-year, and thereupon he shall be entitled to medical benefit from the commencement of that benefit halfyear.
- (5) A deposit contributor who is being treated as insured under the Act by virtue of regulation 5 of these regulations shall not be entitled to medical benefit for the concluding portion (being less than a benefit half-year) of the period during which he is so treated if he was not entitled to medical benefit for the immediately preceding benefit half-year.
- 16.—(1) Where by the provisions of these regulations a deposit Deductions contributor is entitled to medical benefit for a benefit year or benefit benefit and half-year or other period, there shall be deducted at such times as administration. the Ministry may determine from the amount standing to his credit in the fund the proper proportion of the cost of that benefit and of administration for the said year or half-year or other period as the case may be:

(2) In the case of a deposit contributor becoming insured or having ceased to be insured under the provisions of section 129 of the Act, or of a person having ceased to be a member of a society and becoming a deposit contributor, and in any other case in which

the Ministry considers it proper, such adjustments shall be made in respect of the cost of medical benefit and administration as appear to the Ministry to be just and necessary.

- (3) Where a contribution card has not been surrendered by a deposit contributor to the Ministry until after the proper time, and by reason of the absence of such card the necessary deduction on account of the cost of medical benefit and administration for any benefit year or half-year was not made, a deduction in respect thereof shall, unless in any particular case the Ministry otherwise determines, be made on the surrender of the card, and the amount of such deduction shall be determined in accordance with the provisions of the next succeeding paragraph.
- (4) Where a sum is required to be debited to the account of a deposit contributor or credited by way of rebate to his account in respect of a past period in which the rate of charge was different from the rate current at the date on which the debit or credit is made, such sum shall be calculated at the current rate, and the debit or credit shall be made accordingly and apportioned as between the cost of medical benefit and administration on the basis applicable at the date on which the debit or credit is made.

Application of section 212 (medical benefit, etc.) 17.—The provisions of section 212 of the Act shall apply as respects deposit contributors in like manner as they apply as respects members of societies, subject to the modifications set out in the immediately succeeding regulation.

Cost of medical benefit, administration expenses, etc.

- 18.—(1) The annual sum which may be charged to the account of each deposit contributor for each benefit year in respect of the cost of medical benefit and the expenses of administering benefits shall be the proper proportion of the following amounts:—
 - (a) in the case of a person aged sixty-five years or upwards at the commencement of a benefit half-year, twelve shillings and six pence;
 - (b) in the case of a voluntary contributor to whom subsection (2) of Section 34 of the Act applies, five shillings;
 - (c) in the case of a person who is under the age of sixty-five at the commencement of a benefit half-year, and is insured under the Act or treated as insured by virtue of regulation 5 of these regulations, but is suspended from medical benefit under the provisions of regulation 15 of these regulations, three shillings and six pence;
 - (d) in the case of any other person, seventeen shillings and six pence:

Provided that :-

- (a) nothing shall be charged to the account of a person of the age of sixty-five or upwards who is not entitled to medical benefit;
- (b) where in the case of a deposit contributor to whom subparagraph (c) of this paragraph applies, the amount to his credit in the fund is not sufficient to provide for the appropriate charge for any period, the Ministry may, on subsequently crediting contributions to his account in the fund, apply such contributions in or towards meeting the appropriate charge;

This paragraph shall be deemed to have come into operation on the first day of October, 1938.

- (2) There shall be payable to the Medical Benefit Account in respect of each person to whom subparagraph (a) or (d) of paragraph (1) of this regulation applies a sum at the rate of twelve shillings per annum, and after deducting the proper proportion of these sums from the amount charged to the fund under paragraph (1) of this regulation, the balance shall, subject to such adjustments as may be necessary, be paid to the Ministry towards the expenses of administering benefits of deposit contributors.
- (3) For the purpose of determining the amounts payable out of the fund in any year on account of medical benefit and administration, the number of deposit contributors and the number of such contributors entitled to medical benefit in any year shall be determined in such manner as the Ministry thinks fit.
- 19.—(1) The conditions under which, under the provisions of Conditions section 124 of the Act, a deposit contributor shall, on attaining the for life title age of sixty-five, become entitled to medical benefit for the remainder benefit for of his life shall be as follows:—
- deposit contributors
 - (a) that he is insured as an employed contributor at the date sixty-five. on which he attains the age of sixty-five and had been continuously insured for a period of not less than one hundred and four weeks immediately prior to that date;
 - (b) that he has been employed for not less than twenty-six weeks and not less than twenty-six weekly contributions have been paid in respect of such employment since the date of his last entry into insurance.
- (2) Deposit contributors who satisfy the conditions specified in the foregoing paragraph shall be transferred to the Deposit Contributors Insurance Section.

Duty of notifying change of address and furnishing information.

- 20.—(1) A deposit contributor shall give notice to the Ministry of any change of address.
- (2) A deposit contributor shall furnish such information as the Ministry may require for the purpose of being satisfied as to his age, employment and otherwise as to his title to benefits.

Arrears of deposit contributor joining society.

21.—Where a deposit contributor becomes a member of a society, no arrears shall, for the purpose of any regulations with respect to the benefits of persons in arrears, be deemed to have accrued prior to the date on which he is, under the provisions of regulation 8 of these regulations, treated as becoming a member of the society:

Provided that a person who has at any time within two years prior to the date aforesaid been a member of a society other than the Navy, Army and Air Force Insurance Fund and has since then continued in insurance shall, for the purpose of ascertaining any reduction or suspension of benefits on account of arrears, be treated as if he had been a member of a society since the date of his entry into insurance.

Notification of advances of benefit.

22.—The provisions of Part XV of the Approved Societies Regulations relating to the notification of advances of benefit shall apply as respects deposit contributors in like manner as they apply as respects members of societies, and for that purpose references therein to a society shall be construed as references to the Ministry.

Sums payable on death.

- 23.—(1) The provisions of Part XVI of the Approved Societies Regulations relating to sums payable on death shall, so far as may be, apply to deposit contributors and to the sums payable on death in like manner as they apply to members of societies and the sums payable on death, and for that purpose references therein to a society shall be construed as references to the Ministry, and the Ministry shall, as respects the sums payable on the death of a deposit contributor, have the same protection and privileges as a society has as respects the sums payable on the death of a member.
- (2) Any nomination or variation of a nomination made under the National Health Insurance (Deposit Contributors, Payment on Death) Regulations (Ireland), 1913, and still subsisting at the date when these regulations come into force, shall have effect as if made in accordance with the provisions hereof.

Persons of unsound mind. 24.—The provisions of regulation 231 of the Approved Societies Regulations, relating to appointing persons to exercise rights of election and to receive payments of benefit on behalf of persons of unsound mind, shall apply as respects deposit contributors in like manner as they apply as respects members of societies and for that purpose references to a society or the committee of management thereof shall be construed as references to the Ministry.

25. The provisions of regulation 9 of the National Health Allocation of Insurance (Arrears) Regulations, 1937(a), shall apply to deposit contributions. contributors as they apply to members of societies.

26.—Proviso (1) to regulation 4 of the Collection of Contributions Payment of Regulations shall apply to a deposit contributor as if he were a by an member of a society, and any reference in the regulation (as employed amended) mentioned in that proviso to the provision now incoron voluntary porated in section 6, 7 or 9 of the Act shall, in relation to a deposit contributor contributor, be construed as a reference to that section as applied to deposit contributors by these regulations.

SCHEDULE.

Regulations Revoked.

Regulation 2

The National Health Insurance (Deposit Contributors) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1930 (S.R. & O. of Northern Ireland. 1930. No. 171).

The National Health Insurance (Deposit Contributors) Amendment Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1932 (S.R. & O. of Northern Ireland. 1932. No. 43).

The National Health Insurance (Deposit Contributors) Amendment (No. 2) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1932 (S.R. & O. of Northern Ireland. 1932. No. 66).

The National Health Insurance (Deposit Contributors) Amendment Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1933 (S.R. & O. of Northern Ireland. 1933. No. 87)

The National Health Insurance (Deposit Contributors) Amendment Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1934 (S.R. & O. of Northern Ireland. 1934. No. 104).

The National Health Insurance (Deposit Contributors) Amendment Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1936 (S.R. & O. of Northern Ireland: 1936. No. 21).

Given under the Official Seal of the National Health Insurance Joint Committee this 26th day of September, in the year One thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine.

(L.S.)

H. N. Howorth,

Secretary to the National Health Insurance Joint Committee.

Given under the Official Seal of the Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland this 26th day of September, in the year One thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine.

(L.S.)

William Allen,

Assistant Secretary to the Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland.

³a) S.R. & O. 1937 (No. 1023).

The Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland approves of regulation 18 of the foregoing regulations in witness whereof the Official Seal of the Ministry has been affixed this 26th day of September, in the year One thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine, in the presence of

(L.S.)

C. H. Petherick,

Assistant Secretary to the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland.

Juvenile Deposit Contributors.

THE NATIONAL HEALTH INSURANCE (JUVENILE DEPOSIT CONTRIBUTORS) REGULATIONS (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1939, DATED DECEMBER 13, 1939, MADE BY THE NATIONAL HEALTH INSURANCE JOINT COMMITTEE AND THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR FOR NORTHERN IRELAND UNDER THE NATIONAL HEALTH INSURANCE ACTS (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1936 AND 1937.

1939. No. 197.

The National Health Insurance Joint Committee and the Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland, acting jointly or separately, in exercise of the powers conferred on them by the National Health Insurance Acts (Northern Ireland), 1936 and 1937, and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, hereby make the following regulations:—

- 1.—These regulations may be cited as the National Health Insurance (Juvenile Deposit Contributors) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1939, and shall be deemed to have come into operation on the fourth day of April, 1938.
- 2.—(1) In these regulations, unless the context otherwise requires:—
 - "the Act" means the National Health Insurance Act, 1936, as amended by any subsequent enactment;
 - "the Act of 1937" means the National Health Insurance (Juvenile Contributors and Young Persons) Act, 1937, as extended to Northern Ireland by the National Health Insurance (Juvenile Contributors and Young Persons) Act (Northern Ireland), 1937, and the National Health Insurance (Extension of Enactments) Order (Northern Ireland), 1938;
 - "the Ministry" means the Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland:
 - "employment" means employment within the meaning of the Act;