

the Umpire may direct that in dealing with the appeal or any part thereof he shall have the assistance of an assessor or assessors.

(9) The Umpire may, if he thinks fit, refer any question arising for his decision to a registered medical practitioner for examination and report.

(10) The decision of the Umpire shall be in writing and signed by him, and he shall cause a copy thereof to be sent as soon as may be practicable to every person to or by whom notice of appeal was given and to any other person appearing to the Umpire to be interested."

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Labour and National Insurance for Northern Ireland this 7th day of October, 1958, in the presence of

(L.S.)

H. A. Lowry,

Assistant Secretary to the Ministry of Labour and National Insurance for Northern Ireland.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the regulations, but is intended to indicate their general purport.)

These regulations amend the National Insurance (Determination of Claims and Questions) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1948, so as to provide for hearings by local tribunals and the Umpire to be held in private only if the chairman of the tribunal or the Umpire, as the case may be, is of the opinion that intimate personal or financial circumstances may have to be disclosed or that considerations of public security are involved. The regulations permit legal representation at hearings by local tribunals, and provide for appeal without leave to the Umpire from decisions of local tribunals.

Mariners Amendment Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1958

REGULATIONS, DATED 24TH JANUARY, 1958, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND NATIONAL INSURANCE, IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE, UNDER THE NATIONAL INSURANCE ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1946.

1958. No. 10

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The Ministry of Labour and National Insurance, in conjunction with the Ministry of Finance, in exercise of powers conferred by section 55 of the National Insurance Act (Northern Ireland), 1946(a), and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following regulations:

Citation, interpretation and commencement

1. These regulations, which may be cited as the National Insurance (Mariners) Amendment Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1958, shall be read as one with the National Insurance (Mariners) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1948(a), (hereinafter referred to as "the principal regulations") and shall come into operation on the 3rd February, 1958.

Amendment of regulation 2 of the principal regulations

2. In sub-paragraph (b) of paragraph (2) of regulation 2 of the principal regulations (which paragraph relates to contributions payable by employers in respect of mariners who neither are domiciled nor have a place of residence in the United Kingdom), for the words "three-fifths" there shall be substituted the words "one-half".

Amendment of regulation 5 of the principal regulations

3.—(1) Paragraph (1) of regulation 5 of the principal regulations shall be amended in accordance with the provisions of the following paragraph and shall accordingly have effect as set out in the Schedule.

(2) In paragraph (1) of the said regulation 5, for the words "fivepence halfpenny" in sub-paragraph (a) there shall be substituted the word "eightpence" and for the words "three-pence halfpenny" in sub-paragraph (b) there shall be substituted the words "fourpence halfpenny".

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Labour and National Insurance for Northern Ireland this 23rd day of January, 1958, in the presence of

(L.S.)

H. A. Lowry,

Assistant Secretary to the Ministry of Labour and National Insurance for Northern Ireland.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland this 24th day of January, 1958, in the presence of

(L.S.)

D. C. B. Holden,

Assistant Secretary to the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland.

SCHEDULE

Regulation 3

PARAGRAPH (1) OF REGULATION 5 OF THE PRINCIPAL REGULATIONS AS AMENDED *

(1) In the case of a mariner employed as master or a member of the crew of any ship or vessel other than a home-trade ship, the weekly rate of the employer's contributions payable in respect of him in accordance with subsection (2) of section 2 of, and Part II of the First Schedule to, the Act shall be reduced—

(a) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1948, No. 236 as amended by S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1949, No. 50; S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1951, No. 174; S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1953, No. 72.

* The words substituted by these regulations are shown in italics.

- (a) by *eightpence*, in the case of men and women over the age of eighteen; and
- (b) by *fourpence halfpenny*, in the case of boys and girls under the age of eighteen.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the regulations, but is intended to indicate their general purport.)

These regulations, which are made in consequence of the National Insurance (No. 2) Act (Northern Ireland), 1957, amend the National Insurance (Mariners) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1948. They reduce from three-fifths to one-half the proportion of the ordinary employer's contributions which is payable in respect of mariners employed as masters or members of crews who neither are domiciled nor have a place of residence in the United Kingdom. They also increase the reduction, which was authorised by those regulations, in the weekly rate of employer's contributions payable in respect of mariners employed as masters or members of crews of foreign-going ships.

Mariners Amendment (No. 2) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1958

REGULATIONS, DATED 29TH JULY, 1958, MADE BY THE NATIONAL INSURANCE JOINT AUTHORITY AND THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND NATIONAL INSURANCE, IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE, UNDER THE NATIONAL INSURANCE ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1946.

1958. No. 132

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The National Insurance Joint Authority, in exercise of powers conferred by section 10(2)(a) of the National Insurance Act (Northern Ireland), 1946(a), and the Ministry of Labour and National Insurance, in conjunction with the Ministry of Finance, in exercise of powers conferred by section 28 of that Act, and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, hereby make the following regulations:—

Citation, interpretation and commencement

1. These regulations, which may be cited as the National Insurance (Mariners) Amendment (No. 2) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1958, shall be read as one with the National Insurance (Mariners) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1948(b), (hereinafter referred to as "the principal regulations") and shall come into operation on the 11th August, 1958.

(a) 1946. c. 23.

(b) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1948, No. 236 as amended by S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1949, No. 50; S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1951, No. 174; S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1953, No. 72 and S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1958, No. 10.