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**HEALTH SERVICE CONTRIBUTIONS ACT (Northern Ireland) 1970****Appointed Day**

ORDER, DATED 26TH JUNE 1970, MADE BY THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES, UNDER SECTION 2(3) OF THE HEALTH SERVICE CONTRIBUTIONS ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1970.

I, the Right Honourable William Kennedy Fitzsimmons, Minister of Health and Social Services, in exercise of the powers conferred on me by Section 2(3) of the Health Service Contributions Act (Northern Ireland) 1970(a) do hereby order as follows:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Health Service Contributions Act (Appointed Day) Order (Northern Ireland) 1970.

2. The Health Service Contributions Act (Northern Ireland) 1970 shall come into force on 6th July 1970.

Dated this 26th day of June 1970.

*W. K. Fitzsimmons,*  
Minister of Health and Social Services  
for Northern Ireland.

**EXPLANATORY NOTE**

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

This Order brings into force from 6th July 1970 the Health Service Contributions Act (Northern Ireland) 1970, which provides for the increase of the health service contributions payable by employers from 8d. a week to 1s. 8d. a week.