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# SOCIAL SECURITY TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF EMPLOYMENT

The Social Security Benefits Up-rating Order 2005

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Coming into force in accordance with article 1

### THE SOCIAL SECURITY BENEFITS UP-RATING ORDER 2005

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Explanatory Note