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SCHEDULES

SCHEDULE 3

DEDUCTIONS BY EMPLOYER UNDER ATTACHMENT OF EARNINGS ORDER

Modifications etc. (not altering text)

- C1 [Sch. 3](#) modified by [S.I. 1989/438](#), [reg. 37\(2\)](#)
- C1 [Sch. 3](#) modified (1.4.1992) by [S.I. 1992/613](#), [reg. 42\(2\)\(b\)](#).

PART I

SCHEME OF DEDUCTIONS

Preliminary definitions

- [^{F14} (1) On any pay-day—
- (a) “the normal deduction” is arrived at by applying the normal deduction rate (as specified in the relevant attachment of earnings order) with respect to the relevant period; and
 - (b) “the protected earnings” are arrived at by applying the protected earnings rate (as so specified) with respect to the relevant period.
- (2) For the purposes of this paragraph the relevant period in relation to any pay-day is the period beginning—
- (a) if it is the first pay-day of the debtor’s employment with the employer, with the first pay day of the employment; or
 - (b) if on the last pay-day earnings were paid in respect of a period falling wholly or partly after that pay-day, with the first day after the end of that period; or
 - (c) in any other case, with the first day after the last pay-day, and ending—
 - (i) where earnings are paid in respect of a period falling wholly or partly after the pay-day, with the last day of that period; or
 - (ii) in any other case, with the pay-day.]

Textual Amendments

- F1 [Para. 4](#) substituted by [Administration of Justice Act 1982 \(c. 53, SIF 37\)](#), [s. 54](#)

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