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CHAPTER 7

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Contractual remuneration

2 (1) Subject to sub-paragraphs (2) and (3) below, any entitlement...

Incapacity benefit

- 3 (1) This paragraph and paragraph 4 below have effect to...
- 4 (1) Where a period of entitlement as between an employee...

Incapacity benefit for widows and widowers

5 Paragraph 1 above does not apply for the purpose of...

Unemployability supplement

6 Paragraph 1 above does not apply in relation to paragraph...

SCHEDULE 13 — Relationship of Statutory Maternity Pay with Benefits and Other Payments, etc.

The general principle

1 Except as may be prescribed, a day which falls within...

Incapacity benefit

2 (1) Regulations may provide that in prescribed circumstances a day...

Contractual remuneration

3 (1) Subject to sub-paragraphs (2) and (3) below, any entitlement...

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Note: 1. The following abbreviations are used in this Table:

- 2 The Table does not contain any entries in respect of...
- 3 The Table does not show the effect of transfer of...

Status:

Point in time view as at 24/07/2007.

Changes to legislation:

Social Security Contributions and Benefits (Northern Ireland) Act 1992 is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 14 June 2024. There are changes that may be brought into force at a future date. Changes that have been made appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.