

SCHEDULES

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SOCIAL SECURITY, CHILD SUPPORT AND TAX CREDITS

PART 5

AMENDMENTS OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY CONTRIBUTIONS AND BENEFITS (NORTHERN IRELAND) ACT 1992 (C. 7)

- 105 (1) Amend Schedule 7 (industrial injuries benefits) as follows.
- (2) For paragraph 4(3)(a) of Part 1 substitute—
- “(a) a beneficiary is one of two persons who are—
- (i) spouses or civil partners residing together,
 - (ii) a man and woman who are not married to each other but are living together as if they were husband and wife, or
 - (iii) two people of the same sex who are not civil partners of each other but are living together as if they were civil partners, and”.
- (3) In paragraph 5(2)(a)(ii) of Part 1, after “spouses” insert “or civil partners”.
- (4) In Part 1—
- (a) in paragraph 6(1), (3) and (4), after “spouse” (in each place) insert “or civil partner”, and
 - (b) in paragraph 6(4)(a), after “spouse's” insert “or civil partner's”.
- (5) In paragraph 15 of Part 6—
- (a) in sub-paragraph (2), after “remarries” insert “or forms a civil partnership”, and
 - (b) at the end of sub-paragraph (3), insert “or is living together with a person of the same sex as if they were civil partners”.