



# Social Security (Additional Payments) Act 2023

## 2023 CHAPTER 7

### *Means-tested additional payments*

#### **2 Qualifying entitlements: social security benefits**

- (1) A person has a qualifying entitlement to a social security benefit in respect of a qualifying day if—
  - (a) in respect of universal credit, the person is entitled to a payment of at least 1p in respect of an assessment period ending during the period of one month ending with the qualifying day;
  - (b) in respect of state pension credit, an income-based jobseeker's allowance, an income-related employment and support allowance or income support, the person is entitled to a payment of at least 1p in respect of any day during the period of one month ending with the qualifying day.
- (2) For the purposes of subsection (1)(b), a person is considered to be entitled to a payment irrespective of whether that payment is not payable as a result of—
  - (a) regulation 13 of the State Pension Credit Regulations 2002 ([S.I. 2002/1792](#));
  - (b) regulation 13 of the State Pension Credit Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2003 (S.R. [\(N.I.\) 2003 No. 28](#));
  - (c) regulation 87A of the Jobseeker's Allowance Regulations 1996 ([S.I. 1996/207](#));
  - (d) regulation 87A of the Jobseeker's Allowance Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1996 (S.R. [\(N.I.\) 1996 No. 198](#));
  - (e) regulation 26(4) or 26C(6) of the Social Security (Claims and Payments) Regulations 1987 ([S.I. 1987/1968](#));
  - (f) regulation 26(4) or 26C(6) of the Social Security (Claims and Payments) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1987 (S.R. [\(N.I.\) 1987 No. 465](#)).

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**Commencement Information**

**II** S. 2 in force at Royal Assent, see [s. 12\(2\)](#)

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