
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2013 No. 380

SOCIAL SECURITY

**The Universal Credit, Personal Independence Payment,
Jobseeker's Allowance and Employment and Support
Allowance (Claims and Payments) Regulations 2013**

Made - - - - 25th February 2013

Laid before Parliament 4th March 2013

*Coming into force in accordance with regulation 1(2)
and (3)*

The Secretary of State, in exercise of the powers conferred upon him by the provisions set out in Schedule 1 to these Regulations, makes the following Regulations.

In accordance with section 172(1)(1) of the Social Security Administration Act 1992, the Secretary of State has referred the proposals for these Regulations to the Social Security Advisory Committee.

The Secretary of State has consulted with organisations representing qualifying lenders likely to be affected by the fee specified in paragraph 9(2) of Schedule 5 to the Regulations (direct payment to lender of deductions in respect of interest on secured loans)(2).

In accordance with section 176(2)(b) of the Social Security Administration Act 1992 and in so far as these Regulations relate to housing benefit, the Secretary of State has obtained the agreement of organisations appearing to him to be representative of the authorities concerned that proposals in respect of these Regulations should not be referred to them.

(1) 1992 c.5.

(2) See section 15A(2) of the Social Security Administration Act 1992 ("the Administration Act").