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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2015 No. 1537**

**The Welfare Reform Act 2012 (Commencement  
No. 24 and Transitional and Transitory Provisions  
and Commencement No. 9 and Transitional and  
Transitory Provisions (Amendment)) Order 2015**

**Amendment of the No. 9 Order and cases to which the amendment applies**

**5.—**(1) This article applies in relation to a case where a claim for universal credit, an employment and support allowance or a jobseeker's allowance is made or treated as made on or after 21st July 2015.

(2) Where this article applies—

- (a) in paragraph 7(e) (other requirements)<sup>(1)</sup> of Schedule 5 to the No. 9 Order, at the end insert “or, in the case of joint claimants<sup>(2)</sup>, either member of the couple must have such an account”; and
- (b) any reference to Schedule 5 to the No. 9 Order in the No. 11 Order, the No. 13 Order, the No. 14 Order, the No. 16 Order, the No. 17 Order or the No. 19 Order is a reference to that Schedule as amended by sub-paragraph (a).

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(1) Paragraph 7(e) was substituted by [S.I. 2015/32 \(C. 3\)](#).

(2) See section 40 of the Welfare Reform Act 2012.

**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Welfare Reform Act 2012 (Commencement No. 24 and Transitional and Transitory Provisions and Commencement No. 9 and Transitional and Transitory Provisions (Amendment)) Order 2015, Section 5.