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THE SOCIAL SECURITY CONTRIBUTIONS AND BENEFITS ACT 1992
THE SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION ACT 1992

**THE SOCIAL SECURITY BENEFITS UP-RATING
ORDER 2002**

Approved by Tynwald

19th March 2002

Coming into operation

8th April 2002

In exercise of the powers conferred on the Department of Health and Social Security by section 148 of the Social Security Contributions and Benefits Act 1992(a) and sections 150 and 189(1), (3) and (4) of the Social Security Administration Act 1992(b), and of all other enabling powers the following Order is hereby made:-

Citation and commencement

1. This Order may be cited as the Social Security Benefits Up-rating Order 2002 and shall, subject to section 176 of the Social Security Contributions and Benefits Act 1992 and section 190 of the Social Security Administration Act 1992, come into force on 8th April 2002.

Interpretation

2. In this Order, unless the context otherwise requires -

“the Disability Working Allowance Regulations” means the Disability Working Allowance (General) Regulations 1991(c);

“the Family Income Supplement Regulations” means the Family Income Supplement (General) Regulations 1998(d);

“the Income Support Regulations” means the Income Support (General) (Isle of Man) Regulations 2000(e);

“the Jobseeker’s Allowance Regulations” means the Jobseeker’s Allowance Regulations 1996(f);

“the Maternity and Funeral Expenses Regulations” means the Maternity and Funeral Expenses (General) (Isle of Man) Regulations 1987(g);

(a) 1992 c.4; (b) 1992 c.5; (c) S.I. 1991/2887; (d) SD 363/98; (e) SD 742/99;
(f) S.I. 1996/207; (g) GC 119/87.

“the Single Payments Regulations” means the Supplementary Benefit (Single Payments) Regulations 1981(h).

PART I

Income support, Family Income Supplement and Disability Working Allowance

Applicable amounts for income support

3. (1) The sums relevant to the calculation of an applicable amount as specified in the Income Support Regulations shall be the sums set out in the following provisions of this article and Schedules 1 to 6 to this Order; and for this purpose references in this article to a numbered regulation or Schedule are, unless the context otherwise requires, references to the regulation of, or the Schedule to, the Income Support Regulations bearing that number.

(2) In regulations 15(b), 16(1)(c) and 18(1) the sum specified in each case is £10,000.

(3) The sums specified in Part I of Schedule 2 (applicable amounts: personal allowances) shall be as set out in Schedule 1 to this Order.

(4) In regulation 70(2) (calculation of grant income) for “£26.20” substitute “£26.60”.

(5) In Schedule 7 (sums to be disregarded in the calculation of income other than earnings) -

(a) in the following paragraphs for “£25” and “£26.20” respectively, substitute “£26.60” -

(i) paragraph 11(1),

(ii) paragraph 13(1)(b) and (2), and

(iii) paragraph 33;

(b) in paragraph 15 for “£4” and “£9.25” substitute “£4.25” and “£9.80” respectively.

(6) The sums specified in Part IV of Schedule 2 (weekly amounts of premiums) shall be as set out in Schedule 2 to this Order.

(7) The sums specified in Parts I to III of Schedule 3 (housing costs) shall be as set out in Schedule 3 to this Order.

(8) The sums specified in Schedule 4 (applicable amounts for persons in residential care and nursing homes) shall be as set out in Schedule 4 to this Order.

(9) Those sums relevant to the calculation of an applicable amount which are specified in Schedule 5 (applicable amounts in special cases) shall be as set out in Schedule 5 to this Order.

(10) The sums specified in any provision of the Income Support Regulations set out in column (1) of Schedule 6 to this Order are the sums set out in column (2) of that Schedule.

Income Support Transitional Provision

4. Sums which are transitional additions to income support payable in accordance with Part VIII of the Income Support Regulations shall be increased by 1.6 per cent. of their amount apart from this Order.

The Relevant Sum for Income Support

5. In section 126(7) of the Contributions and Benefits Act (trade disputes: the relevant sum) the substituted sum is £29.00.

Family income supplement

6. In the Family Income Supplement Regulations -

- (a) in regulation 14(2) (calculation of income on a weekly basis) -
 - (i) in sub-paragraph (a) for "£66.60" substitute "£66.95",
 - (ii) in sub-paragraph (b) for "£108.10" substitute "£108.60";
- (b) in regulation 52(4) (determination of appropriate prescribed amount for families), the capital sum prescribed is £10,000;
- (c) in regulation 52(4), (5) and (6), the amount specified for the prescribed amount in respect of a child or young person is nil;
- (d) in Schedule 2 (sums to be disregarded in the calculation of income other than earnings) -
 - (i) in paragraphs 11(1), 12 and 12B for "£20" and "£25" respectively, substitute "£26.60",
 - (ii) in paragraph 33(1) for "£16.60" substitute "£16.90";
- (e) in Schedule 4 (prescribed amounts for adults and children), the amounts prescribed shall be as set out in Schedule 7 to this Order;
- (f) in Schedule 5 (housing costs), the amounts prescribed shall be as set out in Schedule 8 to this Order.

Disability working allowance

7. In regulation 52 of the Disability Working Allowance Regulations (applicable amounts) -

- (a) in sub-paragraph (1)(a), for the sum of "£146.70" there shall be substituted the sum of "£149.00";
- (b) in sub-paragraph (1)(b) -
 - (i) for the sum of "£218.50" substitute the sum of "£222.00";
 - (ii) for the sum of "£8.20" substitute the sum of "£8.30";
 - (iii) for the sum of "£24.50" substitute the sum of "£24.90";
- (c) in paragraph (1A) for the sum of "£21.90" substitute the sum of "£27.25";
- (d) in paragraph (1B) for the sum of "£17.50" substitute the sum of "£20.00".

PART II

Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance

Applicable amounts for income-based jobseeker's allowance

8. (1) The sums relevant to the calculation of an applicable amount as specified in the Jobseeker's Allowance Regulations shall be the sums set out in the following provisions of this article and Schedules 9 to 14 of this Order; and for this purpose, references in this article to a numbered regulation or Schedule are, unless the context otherwise requires, references to a regulation of, or a Schedule to, the Jobseeker's Allowance Regulations bearing that number.

(2) In regulations 83(1)(b), 84(1)(c) and 85(1) the sum specified is in each case £10,000.

(3) The sums specified in Schedule 1 (applicable amounts: personal allowances) shall be as set out in Schedule 9 to this Order.

(4) In regulation 131(2) (calculation of grant income) for "£26.20" substitute "£26.60".

(5) Those sums relevant to the calculation of housing costs, deductions relevant to housing costs and board and lodging cases which are specified in Schedule 2 (housing costs) shall be as set out in Schedule 10 to this Order.

(6) In Schedule 7 (sums to be disregarded in the calculation of income other than earnings) -

- (a) in the following paragraphs for “£25” and “£26.20” substitute “£26.60” -
 - (i) paragraph 15(1),
 - (ii) paragraph 17(b) and (c),
 - (iii) paragraph 38;
- (b) in paragraph 20 for “£4” and “£9.25” substitute “£4.25” and “£9.80” respectively.

(7) The sums specified in Schedule 3 (weekly amounts of premiums) shall be as set out in Schedule 11 to this Order.

(8) Subject to paragraph (2) of this article, those sums relevant to the calculation of an applicable amount which are specified in Schedule 4 (applicable amounts of persons in residential care and nursing homes) shall be as set out in Schedule 12 to this Order.

(9) Those sums relevant to the calculation of an applicable amount which are specified in Schedule 5 (applicable amounts in special cases) shall be as set out in Schedule 13 to this Order.

(10) The sums specified in any provision of the Jobseeker's Allowance Regulations set out in column (1) of Schedule 14 to this Order are the sums set out in column (2) of that Schedule.

(11) Those sums relevant to the payment of domestic assistance grants which are specified in Schedule 10 shall be as set out in Schedule 15 to this Order.

PART III

Payments for Maternity Expenses

Applicable amount for Maternity Expenses

9. In regulation 4(2) of the Maternity and Funeral Expenses Regulations for “£200.00” substitute “£210.00”.

PART IV

Social Security Benefits and Pensions

Sums specified for child benefit

10. (1) In regulation 2 of the Child Benefit and Social Security (Fixing and Adjustment of Rates) Regulations 1976(a) (weekly rates of child benefit) -

- (a) in paragraph (1)(a) the sum specified is £26.10;
- (b) in paragraph (1)(b) the sum specified is £17.75; and
- (c) in paragraph (1)(c) the sum specified is £17.75.

(2) In regulation 2A(1) the sum specified is £9.60.

Age addition for persons over age 80

11. The weekly increase payable to a person under section 79 of the Contributions and Benefits Act 1992 (age addition) shall be £2.00.

PART V

Increase in Benefit Payable Under Extra-statutory Schemes

Amount of retirement pension premium

12. The maximum weekly amount of retirement pension premium payable under the Retirement Pension (Premium) (No.2) Scheme 1999(b) shall be £11.20.

PART VI

Christmas Bonus

Amount of Christmas Bonus

13. The amount of Christmas bonus payable under Part X of the Contributions and Benefits Act 1992, in the week commencing 2nd December 2002, shall be £75.

(a) S.I. 1976/1267; (b) GC 26/99.

PART VII

Single Payments

Applicable amounts for single payments

14. The sums specified in Schedule 1A to the Single Payments Regulations shall be as set out in Schedule 15 to this Order.

PART VIII

Transitional Provisions and Revocations

Transitional provisions

15. Notwithstanding the increases in the sums payable in respect of family income supplement and disability working allowance made by articles 6 and 7 of this Order, where a period of entitlement to family income supplement or disability working allowance is running at 8th April 2002, the rate at which it is payable shall be the weekly rate in force for the period prior to 8th April 2002 until the end of the period of entitlement.

Revocation

16. The Social Security Benefits Up-rating Order 2001(a) is hereby revoked.

(a) SD 150/01.

SCHEDULE 1

Article 3(3)

PART I OF SCHEDULE 2 TO THE INCOME SUPPORT
REGULATIONS AS AMENDED BY THIS ORDER

SCHEDULE 2

APPLICABLE AMOUNTS

PART I

Personal Allowances

(1) <i>Person or couple</i>	(2) <i>Amount</i>
1. (a) couple;	1. (a) £102.25
(b) single and aged not less than 18 (or less than 18 with a dependant or responsible for housing costs);	(b) £66.50
(c) single and aged less than 18 without a dependant and not responsible for housing costs.	(c) £39.10
2. Children and young persons	
(a) young person aged 18 or over;	(a) £37.35
(b) young person aged 16 or 17;	(b) £25.50
(c) child aged 11 to 15;	(c) £19.20
(d) child aged under 11 but not less than 5;	(d) £8.45
(e) child aged less than 5.	(e) £13.40

SCHEDULE 2

Article 3(6)

PART IV OF SCHEDULE 2 TO THE INCOME SUPPORT
REGULATIONS AS AMENDED BY THIS ORDER

PART IV

Weekly Amounts of Premiums Specified in Part III

<i>Premium</i>	<i>Amount</i>
20. (1A) Bereavement premium	(1A) £21.55
(1) Pensioner premium for persons aged under 75 -	(1)
(a) where the claimant satisfies the condition in paragraph 8(a);	(a) £31.95
(b) where the claimant satisfies the condition in paragraph 8(b).	(b) £42.10
(2) Pensioner premium for persons aged 75 and over -	(2)
(a) where the claimant satisfies the condition in paragraph 9(a);	(a) £50.35
(b) where the claimant satisfies the condition in paragraph 9(b);	(b) £60.50
(c) where the claimant satisfies the condition in paragraph 9(c).	(c) £71.50
(3) Incapacity premium -	(3)
(a) where the claimant satisfies the condition in paragraph 10(1)(a);	(a) £24.35
(b) where the claimant satisfies the condition in paragraph 10(1)(b).	(b) £34.75
(4) Disability premium -	(4)
(a) where the claimant satisfies the condition in paragraph 11(a);	(a) £11.25
(b) where the claimant satisfies the condition in paragraph 11(b).	(b) £16.25

<i>Premium</i>	<i>Amount</i>
<p>(5) Higher disability premium -</p> <p>(a) where the claimant satisfies the condition in paragraph 12(a);</p> <p>(b) where the claimant satisfies the condition in paragraph 12(b)</p>	<p>(5)</p> <p>(a) £35.60</p> <p>(b) £51.00</p>
<p>(6) Disabled child premium.</p>	<p>(6) £27.25 in respect of each child or young person in respect of whom the conditions specified in paragraph 13 are satisfied.</p>
<p>(7) Carer premium</p> <p>(7A) Higher carer premium</p>	<p>(7) £25.05 in respect of each person who satisfies the conditions in paragraph 14(1) to (4);</p> <p>(7A) £44.45.</p>
<p>(8) Blindness premium -</p>	<p>(8)</p> <p>(a) £22.45 where the condition in paragraph 15(1)(a) is satisfied;</p> <p>(b) £22.45 where the condition in paragraph 15(1)(b) is satisfied;</p> <p>(c) £10.50 in respect of each person who satisfies the condition in paragraph 15(1)(c).</p>

<i>Premium</i>	<i>Amount</i>
(9) Attendance premium	<p>(9) An amount equivalent to the amount of attendance allowance or disability living allowance, as the case may be, payable at the time if an adjudication officer is of the opinion that the claimant or his partner, or both of them, will ultimately be awarded one of those benefits on the determination of the claim referred to and for a period ending on the earlier of -</p> <p>(a) the date that entitlement to attendance allowance or disability living allowance, as the case may be, first arises in respect of the claim referred to; and</p> <p>(b) the date that an adjudication officer is no longer of the opinion that entitlement to attendance allowance or disability living allowance, as the case may be, will ultimately arise in respect of the claim referred to,</p> <p>in respect of each person who satisfies the condition in paragraph 16.</p>
(10) Mobility premium -	<p>(10)</p> <p>(a) £39.30 in respect of each person who satisfies the condition in paragraph 17(a);</p> <p>(b) £24.40 in respect of each person who satisfies the condition in paragraph 17(b).</p>

SCHEDULE 3

Article 3(7)

TABLES IN PARTS I TO III OF SCHEDULE 3 TO THE INCOME
SUPPORT REGULATIONS AS AMENDED BY THIS ORDER

Table

Column (1) <i>Housing Cost</i>	Column (2) <i>Amount</i>
<i>Public Sector Housing</i>	
(8) Where the claimant satisfies the condition in sub-paragraph (2) above.	(8) the full amount of rent under regulation 23 and any amount under regulation 28 for which he is liable in respect of that property.
<i>Private Sector Housing</i>	
(9) Where the claimant satisfies the conditions in sub-paragraph (3) above.	(9) the full amount of rent under regulation 23 and any amount under regulation 28 for which he is liable in respect of that property.
(10) Where the claimant satisfies the condition in sub-paragraph (4) above.	(10) the full amount of loan interest payments under regulation 24 or 26, or under both of those regulations, as the case may be, calculated in accordance with regulation 27, and any amount under regulation 28 for which he is liable in respect of that property.
(11) Where the claimant satisfies the condition in sub-paragraph (5) above.	(11) the full amount of costs under regulation 28 for which he is liable in respect of that property.
(12)	(12) The amount of housing costs under sub-paragraphs (9) to (11) of this column are subject to the following maxima: in the case of a single claimant or couple - (a) without children, £70.85; (b) with one dependent child, £78.75; (c) with two dependent children, £85.00; (d) with three or more dependent children, £90.00.

Column (1) <i>Housing Cost</i>	Column (2) <i>Amount</i>
<i>Maintenance and insurance</i>	
(13) Where the claimant satisfies the conditions in regulation 25.	(13) £7.90

PART II

Weekly Amount of Deductions Specified in Part V

2. -

- (1) The weekly amounts of deductions specified in column (2) below shall be the weekly amounts for the purposes of Part V of these Regulations.

Column (1) <i>Rent</i>	Column (2)
(2)(a) for heating, (b) for lighting, (c) for cooking, (d) for hot water.	(2)(a) £12.75 (b) £1.00 (c) £1.60 (d) £1.60
<i>Reduction in amounts applicable for certain occupants of the home</i> (3)	
(4) Where the conditions in regulation 31(4)(c) apply.	(4) £10.10
(5) Where the condition in regulation 31(4)(d) applies.	(5) £35.55

PART III

Weekly Amounts of Board and Lodging Specified in Part V

3. -

- (1) The weekly amounts specified in column (2) below in respect of each person or couple specified in column (1) shall be weekly amounts for the purposes of regulation 32 in Part V of these Regulations (modification of personal allowances of boarders).

Column (1) <i>Person or couple</i>	Column (2) <i>Amount</i>
(2)(a) single claimant; (b) couple.	(2)(a) the full weekly amount of the charge for board and lodging subject to a maximum amount of £90.20 (b) the full weekly amount of the charge for board and lodging subject to a maximum of £133.85
(3) Personal allowances specified in regulation 32(1)(b) - (a) single claimant, (b) couple;	(3) (a) £20.70 (b) £41.40
(4) Meal allowance - (a) amount payable under regulation 32(3)(a); (b) weekly amount payable under regulation 32(3)(b) - (i) for breakfast, (ii) for midday meals, (iii) for evening meals.	(4) (a) the actual cost of such meals calculated on a weekly basis; (b) (i) £12.80 (ii) £17.80 (iii) £17.80
(5) The allowance for personal expenses for the claimant referred to in regulation 31(2)(b) where the family contains a dependant aged not less than 18.	(5) £6.60

- (6) The amounts specified in sub-paragraphs (2) to (4) above, when aggregated, are subject to an overall maximum of £110.90 in the case of a single claimant and £175.25 in the case of a couple.

PROVISIONS IN SCHEDULE 4 TO THE INCOME SUPPORT
REGULATIONS AS AMENDED BY THIS ORDER

SCHEDULE 4

*Applicable Amounts for Persons in Residential Care
and Nursing Homes*

1. The weekly amounts specified in column (2) below in respect of each person specified in column (1) shall be the weekly amounts specified for the purposes of regulation 16 (applicable amounts for persons in residential care and nursing homes).

Column (1) <i>Person</i>	Column (2) <i>Amount</i>
(a) in respect of a person in a home run by the Department,	(a) the actual weekly charge for the home subject to a maximum of £261.73,
(b) in respect of a person in a voluntary/charitable/commercial residential home,	(b) the actual weekly charge for the home subject to a maximum of £261.73,
(c) in respect of a person in a nursing home.	(c) the actual weekly charge for the home subject to a maximum of £452.48.

2. Notwithstanding the provisions specified in sub-paragraphs (a) to (c) above, an amount payable for persons in residential and nursing homes may be determined by the Department as being appropriate either generally or in the particular circumstances of any case.

Personal expenses

3. The allowance for personal expenses for the claimant and each member of his family referred to in paragraph 1 above shall be -
- (a) for the claimant, £22.35, and if he has a partner, for his partner, £22.35;
 - (b) for a young person aged 18, £15.75;
 - (c) for a young person aged under 18 but over 15, £10.95;
 - (d) for a child aged under 16 but over 11, £9.40;
 - (e) for a child aged under 11, £6.50.

SCHEDULE 5
PROVISIONS IN SCHEDULE 5 TO THE INCOME SUPPORT
REGULATIONS AS AMENDED BY THIS ORDER

Article 3(9)

SCHEDULE 5
Applicable Amounts in Special Cases

<i>Case</i> (1)	<i>Modified Amount</i> (2)
Patients	
<p>1. Subject to paragraphs 2 to 4 and 16, a person who has become a patient for a period of more than six weeks and who is -</p> <p>(a) a single claimant;</p> <p>(b) a lone parent;</p> <p>(c) a member of a couple -</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">(i) where only one of the couple is a patient or where both members of the couple are patients but only one has been a patient for that period;</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">(ii) where both members of the couple have been a patient for that period;</p> <p>(d) a member of a polygamous marriage -</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">(i) where at least one member of the polygamous marriage is not a patient or has not been a patient for more than that period;</p>	<p>1.</p> <p>(a) £17.80 (£22.85 where the claimant is living in accommodation prescribed by the Department) plus any amount applicable under regulation 15(e);</p> <p>(b) £17.80 plus any amounts applicable to him under regulation 15(b), (c) or (e);</p> <p>(c)</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">(i) the amount applicable in respect of both of them under regulation 15 reduced by £17.80;</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">(ii) £35.50 plus any amounts which may be applicable under regulation 15(b), (c) and (e) or under regulation 15(d) because of paragraph 13 of Schedule 2;</p> <p>(d)</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">(i) the applicable amount under regulation 16 (polygamous marriages) shall be reduced by £17.80 in respect of each such member who is a patient;</p>

Case (1)	Modified Amount (2)
<p>(ii) where all the members of the polygamous marriage have been patients for more than that period.</p> <p>2. A single claimant who has been a patient for a continuous period of more than 52 weeks, where -</p> <p>(a) the following conditions are satisfied -</p> <p>(i) a person has been appointed to act for him under regulation 33 of the Social Security (Claims and Payments) Regulations 1987 (persons unable to act); and</p> <p>(ii) his income support is payable to an administrative officer of the hospital or other institution either as or at the request of the person so appointed; and</p> <p>(iii) a registered medical practitioner treating him certifies that all or part of his income support cannot be used by him or on his behalf; or</p> <p>(b) those conditions are not satisfied.</p>	<p>(ii) the applicable amount shall be £17.80 in respect of each member plus any amounts applicable under regulation 16(1)(c) or (e) because of his satisfying the condition specified in paragraph 13 of Schedule 2.</p> <p>2.</p> <p>(a) such amount (if any) not exceeding £17.80 as is reasonable having regard to the views of the hospital staff and the patient's relatives if available as to the amount necessary for his personal use;</p> <p>(b) £17.80.</p>
<p>3. A single claimant who is detained under the provisions of the Mental Health Act 1974 (an Act of Tynwald) and who immediately before his detention under that Act was a prisoner.</p>	<p>3. £17.80</p>

<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Case</i> (1)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Modified Amount</i> (2)</p>
<p>4. (a) A claimant who is not a patient and who is a member of a family of which another member is a child or young person who has been a patient for a period of more than 12 weeks; or</p> <p>(b) where the person is a member of a family and paragraph 1 applies to him and another member of the family who is a child or young person has been a patient for a period of more than 12 weeks.</p>	<p>4. (a) the amount applicable to him under regulation 15 or 16 except that the amount applicable under regulation 15(b) or 16(1)(c) in respect of the child or young person referred to in Column (1) of this paragraph shall be £17.80 instead of an amount determined in accordance with paragraph 2 of Schedule 2; or</p> <p>(b) the amount applicable to him under paragraph 1 except that the amount applicable under regulation 15(b) or 16(1)(c) in respect of the child or young person referred to in Column (1) of this paragraph shall be £17.80 instead of an amount determined in accordance with paragraph 2 of Schedule 2.</p>
<p>Persons in residential care or nursing homes who become patients</p> <p>18. Where a person has become a patient and is temporarily absent from residential or nursing accommodation for which he is liable to pay a retaining fee, and but for his temporary absence from that accommodation, his applicable amount would be calculated in accordance with regulation 17 (applicable amounts for persons in residential care and nursing homes), and he has been a patient for a period of six weeks or less.</p>	<p>18. £22.85 plus an amount not exceeding 80 per cent. of the applicable amount referred to in paragraph 1 of Schedule 4 (applicable amounts for persons in residential care and nursing homes).</p>

<i>Case</i> (1)	<i>Modified Amount</i> (2)
<p><i>Lone parents who are engaged in remunerative work, or are over compulsory school age and in relevant education, or are full-students or are attending training courses and who are subject to child minding costs</i></p> <p>19. In the case of a lone parent who is engaged in remunerative work, or is over compulsory school age and in relevant education or attending a training course approved by the Department who is subject to relevant child care charges as defined in regulation 15(2) of the Family Income Supplement (General) Regulations 1998</p>	<p>19. The actual cost of those child care charges subject to a maximum of -</p> <p>(a) where the lone parent family includes only one child in respect of whom the relevant child care charges are paid, £66.95 per week;</p> <p>(b) where the lone parent family includes more than one child in respect of whom relevant child care charges are paid, £108.60 per week.</p>

OTHER SUMS SPECIFIED IN SCHEDULE 5 TO THE
INCOME SUPPORT REGULATIONS

<i>Paragraph in Schedule 5</i>	<i>Specified Sum</i>
6. Members of religious orders.	Nil.
7. Prisoners.	Nil.
17. Persons temporarily absent from a residential care or nursing home.	80 per cent.

SCHEDULE 6

Article 3(10)

OTHER APPLICABLE AMOUNTS SPECIFIED IN
INCOME SUPPORT REGULATIONS

<i>Provision in Income Support Regulations</i>	<i>Specified sum</i>
Regulation 19(1).	Applicable amount to be reduced by a sum equivalent to 20 per cent. of the specified amount.
Regulation 27(1).	The weekly amount of housing costs is the amount calculated by the formula - $\frac{A \times B}{52}$

SCHEDULE 7

Article 6(e)

SCHEDULE 4 TO THE FAMILY INCOME SUPPLEMENT REGULATIONS
AS AMENDED BY THIS ORDER

SCHEDULE 4

Prescribed Amounts for Adult(s), Child(ren), Young Person(s) and Disabled Adult(s)

<i>(1) Family</i>	<i>(2) Amount</i>
1. Adult(s).	1. £185.00
2. In the case of an adult or adults to whom regulation 52(1)(b) applies (person working not less than 24 hours per week).	2. £20.00
3. (a) for the first child, young person or disabled adult; (b) for each child, young person or disabled adult additional to the first.	3.(a) £7.80 (b) £24.80
4. Additional amount for disabled child or young person	4. £27.25

SCHEDULE 5 TO THE FAMILY INCOME SUPPLEMENT REGULATIONS
AS AMENDED BY THIS ORDER

SCHEDULE 5

PART I

Prescribed amounts for housing costs specified in Part VI

1. The weekly prescribed amounts of housing costs specified in column (2) in the Table below shall be the weekly prescribed amounts for the purposes of Part VI of these Regulations.

Table

<i>Column (1)</i> <i>Housing cost</i>	<i>Column (2)</i> <i>Amount</i>
(1) Where the claimant satisfies the condition in regulation 54(2) (liable to local authority rent).	(1) the full amount of rent and rates
(2) Where the claimant satisfies the condition in regulation 54(3) (liable to private sector rent, rates, mortgage payments etc.) excluding those items specified in regulation 58 and 63 -	(2)
(a) in the case of a couple without children;	(a) £70.85
(b) in the case of a single claimant or couple with -	(b)
(i) one dependent child,	(i) £78.75
(ii) two dependent children,	(ii) £85.00
(iii) three or more dependent children.	(iii) £90.00
<i>Maintenance and insurance</i>	
(3) Where the claimant satisfies the conditions in regulation 58.	(3) £7.90
<i>Non-householder's contribution</i>	
(4) The amount payable under regulation 63(1).	(4) £10.10

<i>Board and lodging</i>	
(5) Where the claimant and any member of the family are in board and lodging accommodation specified in regulation 64.	(5) £33.80

PART II

Weekly prescribed amounts of deductions specified in Part VI

2. The weekly prescribed amounts of deductions specified in column (2) in the Table below shall be the weekly prescribed amounts for the purposes of regulations 56 and 62 of Part VI of these Regulations.

<i>Column (1)</i>	<i>Column (2)</i>
<i>Reduction in prescribed amounts for rent</i>	
(1)(a) for heating,	(1) (a) £12.75
(b) for lighting,	(b) £1.00
(c) for cooking,	(c) £1.60
(d) for hot water.	(d) £1.60
<i>Reduction in prescribed amounts applicable for certain occupants of the home</i>	
(2) Where the conditions in regulation 62(4) apply.	(2) £17.80

SCHEDULE 9

Article 8(3)

SCHEDULE 1 TO THE JOBSEEKER'S ALLOWANCE REGULATIONS
AS AMENDED BY THIS ORDER

SCHEDULE 1

PERSONAL ALLOWANCES

PART I

Single Claimant Or Couple

(1) <i>Person or couple</i>	<i>Amount</i>
1. (a) Couple	(a) £102.25
(b) single and aged not less than 18 (or less than 18 with a dependant or responsible for housing costs);	(b) £66.50
(c) single and aged less than 18 without a dependant and not responsible for housing costs	(c) £39.10

PART II

Child or Young Person

2. (a) under 5;	(a) £13.40
(b) under 11 but not less than 5;	(b) £8.45;
(c) 11 or over but under 16;	(c) £19.20;
(d) 16 or over but under 18;	(d) £25.50;
(e) 18 or over.	(e) £37.35.

SCHEDULE 10

Article 8(5)

THE TABLE IN PART II, PARTS III AND V OF SCHEDULE 2 TO THE
JOBSEEKER'S ALLOWANCE REGULATIONS AS AMENDED BY THIS ORDER

TABLE

Weekly amounts of housing costs specified in Part I

Column (1) <i>Housing cost</i>	Column (2) <i>Amount</i>
<i>Public sector housing</i>	
(8) Where the claimant satisfies the condition in sub-paragraph (2) above	(8) The full amount of rent under paragraph 2 and any amount under paragraph 6 for which he is liable in respect of that property.
<i>Private sector housing</i>	
(9) Where the claimant satisfies the conditions in sub-paragraph (3) above	(9) The full amount of rent under paragraph 2 and any amount under paragraph 6 for which he is liable in respect of that property.
(10) Where the claimant satisfies the condition in sub-paragraph (4) above	(10) the full amount of loan interest payments under paragraph 3 or paragraph 5, or under both of those paragraphs, as the case may be, calculated in accordance with paragraph 5A, and any amount under paragraph 6 for which he is liable in respect of that property.
(11) Where the claimant satisfies the condition in sub-paragraph (5) above.	(11) The full amount of miscellaneous housing costs under paragraph 6 for which he is liable in respect of that property.

Column (1) <i>Housing cost</i>	Column (2) <i>Amount</i>
(12)	<p>(12) The amount of housing costs under sub-paragraphs (9) to (11) of this column are subject to the following maxima -</p> <p>in the case of a single claimant or couple</p> <p>(a) without a child or young person, £70.85;</p> <p>(b) with one dependent child or young person, £78.75;</p> <p>(c) with two dependent children or young persons, £85.00;</p> <p>(d) with three or more dependent children or young persons, £90.00</p>
<p><i>Maintenance and insurance</i></p> <p>(13) Where the claimant satisfies the conditions in paragraph 4 of this Schedule.</p>	<p>(13) £7.90.</p>

PART III

Weekly Amounts of Deductions Specified in Part I

13. -

- (1) The weekly amounts of deductions specified in column (2) below shall be the weekly amounts for the purposes of Part I of this Schedule.

Column (1) <i>Rent</i>	Column (2) <i>Amount</i>
(2)(a) for heating, (b) for lighting, (c) for cooking, (d) for hot water.	(2) (a) £12.75 (b) £1.00 (c) £1.60 (d) £1.60
<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Reduction in amounts applicable for certain occupants of the home</i></p> (3) (4) Where the conditions in paragraph 9(4)(c) apply. (5) Where the conditions in paragraph 9(4)(d) apply.	(4) £10.10 (5) £35.55

PART V

*Applicable Amounts of Board and Lodging
Specified in Part IV*

15. -

- (1) The weekly amounts specified in column (2) below in respect of each person or couple specified in column (1) shall be the weekly amounts specified for the purposes of Part IV of this Schedule (board and lodging).

Column (1) <i>Person or couple</i>	Column (2) <i>Amount</i>
(2)(a) single claimant; (b) couple.	(2)(a) the full weekly amount of the charge for board and lodging subject to a maximum amount of £90.20; (b) the full weekly amount of the charge for board and lodging subject to a maximum amount of £133.85.
(3) Personal Allowances specified in paragraph 14(1)(b) - (a) single claimant; (b) couple;	(3) (a) £20.70; (b) £41.40;
(4) Meal Allowance - (a) amount payable under paragraph 14(3)(a); (b) weekly amount payable under paragraph 14(3)(b) - (i) for breakfast; (ii) for midday meals; (iii) for evening meals.	(a) the actual cost of such meals calculated on a weekly basis; (b) (i) £12.80; (ii) £17.80; (iii) £17.80.
(5) The allowance for personal expenses for the claimant referred to in paragraph 14(1)(b) where the family contains a dependant aged not less than 18.	(5) £6.60

- (6) The amounts specified in sub-paragraphs (2) to (4) above, when aggregated, are subject to an overall maximum of £110.90 in the case of a single claimant and £175.25 in the case of a couple.

SCHEDULE 11

Article 8(7)

THE TABLE TO SCHEDULE 3 TO THE JOBSEEKER'S ALLOWANCE
REGULATIONS AS AMENDED BY THIS ORDER

SCHEDULE 3

PART III

Premiums

Table

<i>Premium</i>	<i>Amount</i>
20. -	
(1A) Bereavement Premium where the claimant satisfies the conditions in paragraph 9A.	(1A) £21.55
(1) Pensioner premium for persons aged under 75 -	(1)
(a) where the claimant satisfies the condition in paragraph 10(a);	(a) £31.95
(b) where the claimant satisfies the condition in paragraph 10(b).	(b) £42.10
(2) Pensioner premium for persons aged 75 or over -	(2)
where the claimant satisfies the condition in paragraph 11;	£60.50
(3) Incapacity premium -	(3)
where the claimant satisfies the condition in paragraph 13;	£34.75
(4) Disability premium -	(4)
(a) where the claimant satisfies the condition in paragraph 15(a);	(a) £11.25;
(b) where the claimant satisfies the condition in paragraph 15(b).	(b) £16.25
(5) Higher disability premium -	(5)
where the claimant satisfies the condition in paragraph 15A.	£51.00

<i>Premium</i>	<i>Amount</i>
(6) Disabled child premium.	(6) £27.25 in respect of each child or young person in respect of whom the conditions specified in paragraph 16 are satisfied.
(7) Carer premium.	(7) £25.05 in respect of each person who satisfies the condition in paragraph 17.
(8) Blindness premium - (a) where the claimant satisfies the condition in paragraph 17A(1)(a); (b) where the claimant satisfies the condition in paragraph 17A(1)(b); (c)	(8) (a) £22.45, (b) £22.45, (c) £10.50 in respect of each person who satisfies the condition in paragraph 17A(1)(c).
(10) Mobility premium - (a) where the claimant satisfies the conditions in paragraph 17B(a); (b) where the claimant satisfies the conditions in paragraph 17B(b).	(9) (a) £39.30; (b) £24.40.

PART IIIB

WEEKLY AMOUNTS OF PREMIUMS SPECIFIED IN PART IIIA

<i>Premium</i>	<i>Amount</i>
20M. -	
(1) Pensioner premium where one member of a joint-claim couple is aged under 75 but not less than 60 and the condition in paragraph 20E is satisfied.	(1) £42.10
(2) Pensioner premium where one member of a joint claim couple is aged not less than 75 and the condition in paragraph 20F is satisfied.	(2) £60.50
(3) Incapacity premium where one member of a joint claim couple satisfies the condition in paragraph 20G.	(3) £34.75
(4) Disability Premium where one member of a joint claim couple satisfies the conditions in paragraph 20I.	(4) £16.25
(4A) Higher Disability Premium	(4A) £51.00
(5) Carer Premium.	(5) £25.05 in respect of each person who satisfied the condition specified in paragraph 20J.
(5A) Blindness Premium	(5A) £22.45 in respect of each person who satisfied the condition specified in paragraph 20JA.
(5B) Mobility Premium -	
(a) where one member of the joint-claim couple satisfies the conditions in paragraph 20JAA(a),	(a) £39.30
(b) where one member of the joint-claim couple satisfies the conditions in paragraph 20JAA(b).	(b) £24.40

PROVISIONS IN SCHEDULE 4 TO THE JOBSSEEKER'S ALLOWANCE
REGULATIONS AS AMENDED BY THIS ORDER

SCHEDULE 4

*Applicable Amounts for Persons in
Residential Care and Nursing Homes*

1. The weekly amounts specified in Column (2) below in respect of each person specified in column (1) shall be the weekly amounts specified for the purposes of regulation 86 (applicable amounts for persons in residential care and nursing homes).

<i>Column (1) Person</i>	<i>Column (2) Amount</i>
(a) in respect of a person in a home run by the Department;	(a) the actual weekly charge for the home subject to a maximum of £261.73;
(b) in respect of a person in a voluntary/charitable/commercial residential home;	(b) the actual weekly charge for the home subject to a maximum of £261.73;
(c) in the case of a person in a nursing home.	(c) the actual weekly charge for the home subject to a maximum of £452.48.

2. Notwithstanding the provisions specified in paragraphs (a) to (c) above, an amount payable for persons in residential and nursing homes may be determined by the Department as being appropriate either generally or in the particular circumstances of any case.

Personal expenses

3. The allowance for personal expenses for the claimant and each member of his family referred to in paragraph 1 above shall be -
- (a) for the claimant, £22.35, and if he has a partner, for his partner, £22.35;
 - (b) for a young person aged 18, £15.75;
 - (c) for a young person aged under 18 but over 16, £10.95;
 - (d) for a child aged under 16 but over 11, £9.40;
 - (e) for a child aged under 11, £6.50.

PROVISIONS IN SCHEDULE 5 TO THE JOBSEEKER'S ALLOWANCE
REGULATIONS AS AMENDED BY THIS ORDER

SCHEDULE 5

Applicable Amounts in Special Cases

<i>Column (1)</i>	<i>Column (2)</i>
<p><u>Person other than claimant who is a patient</u></p> <p>1. Subject to paragraphs 2 and 16, a person who has been a patient for more than 6 weeks and who is -</p> <p>(a) a member of a couple and the other member is the claimant, or</p> <p>(b) a member of a polygamous marriage and the claimant is a member of the marriage but not a patient.</p> <p>2. (a) A claimant who is not a patient and who is a member of a family of which another member is a child or young person who has been a patient for a period of more than 12 weeks; or</p> <p>(b) where the person is a member of a family and paragraph 1 applies to him and another member of the family who is a child or young person has been a patient for a period of more than 12 weeks.</p>	<p>1.</p> <p>(a) the applicable amount for a couple under regulation 83 (applicable amounts) reduced by £15.10;</p> <p>(b) the applicable amount under regulation 84 (polygamous marriages) reduced by £15.10 in respect of each member who is a patient.</p> <p>2. (a) The amount applicable to him under regulation 83 or 84 except that the amount applicable under regulation 83(1)(b) or 84(1)(c) in respect of the child or young person referred to in Column (1) of this paragraph shall be £15.10 instead of an amount determined in accordance with paragraph 2 of Schedule 1; or</p> <p>(b) the amount applicable to him under paragraph 1 except that the amount applicable under regulation 83(1)(b) or 84(1)(c) in respect of the child or young person referred to in Column (1) of this paragraph shall be £15.10 instead of an amount determined in accordance with paragraph 2 of Schedule 1.</p>

<i>Column (1)</i>	<i>Column (2)</i>
<p><u>Persons in residential care or nursing homes who become patients</u></p> <p>16. Where a person has become a patient and is temporarily absent from residential or nursing accommodation for which he is liable to pay a retaining fee, and but for his temporary absence from that accommodation, his applicable amount would be calculated in accordance with regulation 86 (applicable amounts for persons in residential care and nursing homes), and he has been a patient for a period of six weeks or less.</p>	<p>16. £15.10 plus an amount not exceeding 80 per cent. of the applicable amount referred to in paragraph 1 of Schedule 4 (applicable amounts for persons in residential care and nursing homes).</p>
<p><u>Child minding</u></p> <p>16A. In the case of a lone parent, who is over compulsory school age and in relevant education or attending a training course approved by the Department, who is subject to relevant child care charges as defined in regulation 15(2) of the Family Income Supplement (General) Regulations 1998.</p>	<p>16A. The actual cost of those child care charges subject to a maximum of -</p> <p>(a) where the lone parent family includes only one child in respect of whom the relevant child care charges are paid, £66.95 per week;</p> <p>(b) where the lone parent family includes more than one child in respect of whom relevant child care charges are paid, £108.60 per week.</p>

OTHER SUMS SPECIFIED IN SCHEDULE 5 TO THE JOBSEEKER'S
ALLOWANCE REGULATIONS

<i>Paragraph in Schedule 5</i>	<i>Specified Sum</i>
4. Members of religious orders.	Nil.
15. Persons temporarily absent from a residential care or nursing home.	80 per cent.

SCHEDULE 14

Article 8(10)

OTHER APPLICABLE AMOUNTS SPECIFIED IN THE
JOBSEEKER'S ALLOWANCE REGULATIONS

<i>Provision in Jobseeker's Allowance Regulations</i>	<i>Specified sum</i>
Regulation 145(1).	Weekly applicable amount to be reduced by a sum equivalent to 40 per cent. or, as the case may be, 20 per cent. of the specified sum.

SCHEDULE 15

Article 8(11)

PROVISIONS IN SCHEDULE 10 TO THE JOBSEEKER'S ALLOWANCE
REGULATIONS AS AMENDED BY THIS ORDER

"SCHEDULE 10

APPLICABLE AMOUNTS FOR DOMESTIC ASSISTANCE GRANTS
PAYABLE UNDER SCHEDULE 9

PART I

Essential furniture and household equipment

<i>Column (1)</i> Item	<i>Column (2)</i> Amount £
Bed base (single)	50.00
Bed base (double)	60.00
Mattress (single)	80.00
Mattress (double)	85.00
Waterproof protective sheet	10.00
Cooker	125.00
Space-heating appliance	20.00
Fire-guard	20.00
Refrigerator	80.00
Washing machine	140.00
Vacuum cleaner	35.00
Hot water cylinder jacket	10.00
Safety gates	20.00
Pushchair	20.00
High chair	33.00

SCHEDULE 16

Article 14

SCHEDULE 1A OF SINGLE PAYMENTS REGULATIONS
AS AMENDED BY THIS ORDER

“SCHEDULE 1A

Essential furniture and household equipment

<i>Column (1)</i> Item	<i>Column (2)</i> Amount £
Bed base (single)	50.00
Bed base (double)	60.00
Mattress (single)	80.00
Mattress (double)	85.00
Waterproof protective sheet	10.00
Cooker	125.00
Space-heating appliance	20.00
Fire-guard	20.00
Refrigerator	80.00
Washing machine	140.00
Vacuum cleaner	35.00
Hot water cylinder jacket	10.00
Safety gates	20.00
Pushchair	20.00
High chair	33.00

Made 18th February 2002



Minister for Health and Social Security

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order)

This Order is made as a consequence of a review under section 150B of the Social Security Administration Act 1992 ("the Administration Act") and includes details of the sums mentioned in that section.

Part I of the Order relates to the citation, commencement and interpretation.

Article 3 states the amount of the sums relevant to the applicable amount for the purposes of income support. Article 3(3) and Part I of Schedule 1 set out the personal allowances; Article 3(4) sets out the weekly disregard of a student's grant income; Article 3(6) and Schedule 2 set out the premiums; Article 3(7) and Schedule 3 set out the relevant amounts payable by way of housing costs; Article 3(8) and Schedule 4 set out the amounts relevant to beneficiaries in residential care and nursing homes; Article 3(9) and Schedule 5 set out the amounts relevant to special cases and Article 3(10) and Schedule 6 set out other miscellaneous amounts.

Article 4 provides for the percentage increase of sums payable by way of special transitional additions to income support.

Article 5 states the sum by which any income support of a person involved in a trade dispute is reduced.

Article 6 and Schedules 7 and 8 specify the applicable amounts for family income supplement.

Article 7 specifies the applicable amounts for disability working allowance.

Article 8 states the amount of the sums relevant to the applicable amount for the purposes of income-based jobseeker's allowance. Article 8(3) and Schedule 9 set out the personal allowances; Article 8(4) sets out the weekly disregard of a student's grant income; Article 8(5) and Schedule 10 set out the relevant amounts payable by way of housing costs; Article 8(6) sets out those sums which are to be disregarded when calculating any income other than earnings received by a claimant Article 8(7) and Schedule 11 set out the premiums; Article 8(8) and Schedule 12 set out the amounts relevant to beneficiaries in residential care and nursing homes; Article 8(9) and Schedule 13 set out the amounts relevant to special cases, Article 8(10) and Schedule 14 set out other miscellaneous amounts and Article 8(11) sets out certain sums payable by way of domestic assistance grants for certain items.

Article 9 sets out the amount of Maternity Expenses payable.

Article 10 increases the weekly rates of child benefit.

Article 11 specifies the amount of over 80 age addition payable under section 79 of the Contributions and Benefits Act 1992.

Article 12 sets out the maximum weekly amount payable by way of retirement pension premium.

Article 13 provides for the payment of and the amount of the Christmas Bonus, which is payable in the first week in December each year.

Article 14 sets out certain sums payable by way of a single payment for certain items.

Article 15 contains transitional provisions relating to family income supplement and disability working allowance.

Article 16 revokes the Order relating to the up-rating of benefits from April 2001.