



## SOCIAL SECURITY BENEFITS UPATING ORDER 2018

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## **SOCIAL SECURITY BENEFITS UP-RATING ORDER 2018**

*Approved by Tynwald: 20<sup>th</sup> February 2018*

*Coming into Operation in accordance with article 2*

The Treasury makes the following Order under sections 150<sup>1</sup> and 189 of, and paragraphs 1 to 3 of Schedule 4E<sup>2</sup> to, the Social Security Administration Act 1992<sup>3</sup> as it has effect in the Island<sup>4</sup>.

### **PART 1 – INTRODUCTION**

#### **1 Title**

This Order is the Social Security Benefits Up-rating Order 2018.

#### **2 Commencement**

- (1) If approved by Tynwald, and subject to article 3, this Order comes into operation as follows<sup>5</sup>.
- (2) This Part comes into operation on the day after it is approved by Tynwald.
- (3) Parts 2 to 7 (including Schedules 1 to 17) come into operation on 9 April 2018.
- (4) Part 8 comes into operation on 8 May 2018.

#### **3 Effect**

The changes made in the sums specified for rates or amounts of benefit, earnings limits, additions and prescribed sums in Parts 2 to 7 (including

<sup>1</sup> Section 150 substituted by SD 2017/0330.

<sup>2</sup> Schedule 4E inserted by SD 2017/0330.

<sup>3</sup> 1992 c.5.

<sup>4</sup> See SD 506/94.

<sup>5</sup> Under section 190 of the Social Security Administration Act 1992 as it has effect in the Island, this Order shall not have effect unless it is approved by Tynwald.

Schedules 1 to 17), insofar as they relate to a particular beneficiary, shall take effect on the first day of the first benefit week to commence for that beneficiary on or after 9 April 2018.

#### 4 Interpretation

(1) In this Order –

**“the Administration Act”** means the Social Security Administration Act 1992;

**“benefit week”** has the same meaning as in regulation 2(1) of the Computation of Earnings Regulations;

**“the Computation of Earnings Regulations”** means the Social Security Benefit (Computation of Earnings) Regulations 1996<sup>6</sup>;

**“the Contributions and Benefits Act”** means the Social Security Contributions and Benefits Act 1992<sup>7</sup>;

**“Employed Person’s Allowance Regulations”** means the Employed Person’s Allowance (General) Regulations 2011<sup>8</sup>;

**“the Income Support Regulations”** means the Income Support (General) (Isle of Man) Regulations 2000<sup>9</sup>;

**“the Jobseeker’s Allowance Regulations”** means the Jobseeker’s Allowance Regulations 1996<sup>10</sup>; and

**“the Pension Schemes Act”** means the Pension Schemes Act 1993<sup>11</sup>.

(2) In this Order (unless the context otherwise requires or it is expressly provided)–

(a) a reference in this Order to a provision of any legislation applied to the Island by an order under section 1 or 1A of the Social Security Act 2000 or section 1 of the Pension Schemes Act 1995 is a reference to that legislation as it has effect in the Island; and

(b) words and expressions appearing in this Order are to be construed according to the Interpretation Act 1978 (of Parliament).

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<sup>6</sup> S.I. 1996/2745 (see SD 123/00).

<sup>7</sup> 1992 c.4 (see SD 505/94).

<sup>8</sup> SD 431/11.

<sup>9</sup> SD 26/00.

<sup>10</sup> S.I. 1996/207 (see SD 634/96).

<sup>11</sup> 1993 c.48 (see SD 531/95).



## PART 2 – SOCIAL SECURITY BENEFITS AND PENSIONS

### 5 Rates or amounts of certain benefits under the Contributions and Benefits Act

- (1) The sums specified in paragraph (2) shall be increased so that Schedule 4 to the Contributions and Benefits Act (contributory periodical benefits, non-contributory periodical benefits, increases for dependants and rates of industrial injuries benefit) has effect as set out in Schedule 1 to this Order.
- (2) The sums mentioned in paragraph (1) are the sums specified in Parts I, III, IV and V of Schedule 4 to the Contributions and Benefits Act except in—
  - (a) Part I, the sums specified against column (2) of —
    - (i) paragraph 4(a) (maternity allowance: employed earners);
    - (ii) paragraph 4A (adoption allowance); and
    - (iii) paragraph 6 (child’s special allowance);
  - (b) Part III, the sum specified against column (2) of paragraph 8 (age addition);
  - (c) Part IV, the sums specified in column (2) (increase for qualifying child); and
  - (d) Part V<sup>12</sup>, the sums specified against column (2) of —
    - (i) paragraph 7 (increase in disablement pension for dependent children); and
    - (ii) paragraph 12 (death benefit allowance in respect of children and qualifying young persons).

### 6 Increase in rates or amounts of certain pensions and allowances under the Contributions and Benefits Act

- (1) The sums falling to be calculated under paragraph 13(4) of Schedule 7 to the Contributions and Benefits Act (calculation of weekly rate of a beneficiary’s retirement allowance) shall be increased by 3.0 per cent.
- (2) In section 44(4) of the Contributions and Benefits Act<sup>13</sup> (basic pension in a Category A retirement pension)—
  - (a) for “£102.10” substitute ~~£~~£105.15 ~~£~~; and
  - (b) for “£122.30” substitute ~~£~~£125.95 ~~£~~.

<sup>12</sup> Part V of Schedule 4 to the Contributions and Benefits Act was amended by Schedule 1 to the Child Benefit Act 2005 (c. 6) (“the 2005 Act”) (see SD 29/07).

<sup>13</sup> Section 44(4) was substituted by section 68 of the Social Security Act 1998 (c.14) (“the 1998 Act”) (see SD 92/00).

- (3) The sums which are—
- (a) additional pensions in long-term benefits calculated by reference to any final relevant year earlier than the tax year 2017-2018;
  - (b) increases in the rates of retirement pensions under Schedule 5 to the Contributions and Benefits Act<sup>14</sup> (pension increase or lump sum where entitlement to retirement pension is deferred);
  - (c) lump sums to which surviving spouses or civil partners will become entitled under paragraph 7A of that Schedule<sup>15</sup> on becoming entitled to a Category A or Category B retirement pension (entitlement to lump sum where pensioner's deceased spouse or civil partner has deferred entitlement); and
  - (d) payable to a pensioner as part of their Category A or Category B retirement pension by virtue of an order made under section 150(1)(e)(ii) of the Social Security Administration Act 1992 (as that section has effect in Great Britain) computed as if that person were in Great Britain,

shall in each case be increased by 3.0 per cent.

- (4) The sums which, under—
- (a) section 55A of the Contributions and Benefits Act<sup>16</sup>, are shared additional pensions; and
  - (b) paragraph 2 of Schedule 5A to the Contributions and Benefits Act<sup>17</sup>, are increases in the rates of such pensions,

shall in each case be increased by 3.0 per cent.

## **7 Increase in rates or amount of certain benefits under the Pension Schemes Act**

Sums which are payable by virtue of section 15(1) of the Pension Schemes Act (which provides for increases in a person's guaranteed minimum pension if payment of their occupational pension is postponed after they attain pensionable age) to a person who is also entitled to a Category A or Category B retirement pension (including sums payable by virtue of section 17(2) and (3) of that Act) shall be increased by 3.0 per cent. where the increase under section

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<sup>14</sup> Schedule 5 was omitted by SD 2016/0011 in relation to persons reaching pensionable age on or after 6 April 2016.

<sup>15</sup> Paragraph 7A was inserted by paragraph 11 of Schedule 11 to the Pensions Act 2004 (see SD 68/05).

<sup>16</sup> Section 55A was inserted by paragraph 3 of Schedule 6 to the Welfare Reform and Pensions Act 1999 ("the 1999 Act") (see SD 291/01).

<sup>17</sup> Schedule 5A was inserted by paragraph 15 of Schedule 11 to the Pensions Act 2004 (see SD 68/05) and omitted by SD 2016/0011 in relation to persons reaching pensionable age on or after 6 April 2016.



15(1) is attributable to earnings factors for the tax year 1987-88 and earlier tax years.

## 8 Earnings Limits

In section 80(4) of the Contributions and Benefits Act<sup>18</sup> (earnings limits in respect of child dependency increases)—

- (a) for “£230.00 substitute ~~£~~£235.00~~”; and~~”; and
- (b) for “£30.00” substitute ~~£~~£31.00~~”.~~”.

## 9 Increase in rate of graduated retirement benefit

- (1) In section 35(1) of the National Insurance (Isle of Man) Act 1971<sup>19</sup> (graduated retirement benefit)—
  - (a) the sum of 13.43 pence shall be increased by 3.0 per cent.; and
  - (b) from and including 9 April 2018 the reference to that sum shall have effect as a reference to 13.83 pence.
- (2) The sums which are the increases of graduated retirement benefit under Schedule 2 to the Social Security (Graduated Retirement Benefit) (No. 2) Regulations 1978<sup>20</sup> (increases for deferred retirement) shall be increased by 3.0 per cent.
- (3) The sums which are lump sums to which surviving spouses or civil partners will become entitled under Schedule 1 to the Social Security (Graduated Retirement Benefit) Regulations 2005<sup>21</sup> (increases of graduated retirement benefit and lump sums) shall be increased by 3.0 per cent.
- (4) The sums which are the additions under section 36(1) of the National Insurance (Isle of Man) Act 1971 (additions for widows and widowers) shall be increased by 3.0 per cent.

## 10 Increase in rates of Disability Living Allowance

In regulation 4 of the Social Security (Disability Living Allowance) Regulations 1991<sup>22</sup> (rate of benefit)—

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<sup>18</sup> Section 80 was repealed by Schedule 6 to the Tax Credits Act (see SD 120/03). Article 3 of S.I. 2003/938 (see SD 355/03) saves the repealed provision in certain circumstances.

<sup>19</sup> 1971 c.29. Sections 35 and 36 were repealed by the Social Security (Consequential Provisions) Act 1975 c.18 (see modified Schedule 1 to that Act as it has effect in the Island by virtue of GC154/75) but are continued in force by regulation 3 of the Social Security (Graduated Retirement Benefit) (No. 2) Regulations 1978 (SI 1978/393 see GC 17/79) in the modified form set out in Schedule 1 to those Regulations.

<sup>20</sup> S.I. 1978/393 (see GC 17/79).

<sup>21</sup> S.I. 2005/454 (see SD 438/05).

<sup>22</sup> S.I. 1991/2890 (see GC 129/92).

- (a) in paragraph (1)(a) for “£76.40” substitute **£78.90**;
- (b) in paragraph (1)(b) for “£51.20” substitute **£52.90**;
- (c) in paragraph (1)(c) for “£20.30” substitute **£20.95**;
- (d) in paragraph (2)(a) for “£58.00” substitute **£59.75**; and
- (e) in paragraph (2)(b) for “£20.30” substitute **£20.95**.

## 11 Rates of age addition

- (1) Subject to paragraph (2), in regulation 10(2) of the Social Security (Incapacity Benefit) Regulations 1994<sup>23</sup> (increase in rate of incapacity benefit where beneficiary is under prescribed age on the qualifying date)—
  - (a) in sub-paragraph (a) for “£21.70” substitute **£22.35**; and
  - (b) in sub-paragraph (b) for “£10.90” substitute **£11.25**.
- (2) In the case of a claimant entitled to long-term incapacity benefit the sums specified in regulation 10(2)(a) and (b) of those Regulations shall be increased to **£11.60** and **£6.45** respectively.

## 12 Rates of transitional invalidity allowance

- (1) Subject to paragraph (2), in regulation 18(2) of the Social Security (Incapacity Benefit) (Transitional) Regulations 1995<sup>24</sup> (rate of long-term incapacity benefit in transitional cases)—
  - (a) in sub-paragraph (a) for “£21.70” substitute **£22.35**;
  - (b) in sub-paragraph (b) for “£14.00” substitute **£14.40**; and
  - (c) in sub-paragraph (c) for “£7.00” substitute **£7.20**.
- (2) In the case of a claimant entitled to long-term incapacity benefit the sums specified in regulation 18(2)(a), (b) and (c) of those Regulations shall be increased to **£11.60**, **£6.45** and **£6.45** respectively.

## 13 Rates of bereavement benefits, etc.

- (1) In the Rate of Bereavement Benefits Regulations 2010<sup>25</sup>—
  - (a) in regulation 2 (rate of widowed mother’s allowance and widow’s pension) for “£113.70” substitute **£117.10**; and
  - (b) in regulation 3 (rate of widowed parent’s allowance and bereavement allowance) for “£113.70” substitute **£117.10**.

<sup>23</sup> S.I. 1994/2946 (see GC 123/95).

<sup>24</sup> S.I. 1995/310 (see SD 123/95).

<sup>25</sup> S.I. 2010/2818 (see SD 436/11).

- (2) In regulation 3(1) of the Bereavement Support Payment Regulations 2017<sup>26</sup> for “£113.70” substitute ~~£~~£117.10~~£~~.

## PART 3 – INCOME SUPPORT

### 14 Applicable amounts for income support

- (1) The sums that are relevant to the calculation of an applicable amount as specified in the Income Support Regulations shall be the sums set out in this article and Schedules 2 to 7 to this Order; and unless stated otherwise, any reference in this article to a numbered Schedule is a reference to the Schedule to the Income Support Regulations bearing that number.
- (2) In regulation 17ZA<sup>27</sup> (applicable amounts for claimants residing in care accommodation provided or secured by the Department of Health and Social Care other than by reason of their age) in paragraph (3) –
- (a) in sub-paragraph (a) for “£121.00”<sup>28</sup> substitute ~~£~~£125.01~~£~~; and
- (b) in sub-paragraph (b) for “£242.00”<sup>29</sup> substitute ~~£~~£250.02~~£~~.
- (3) In regulation 25 (maintenance and insurance) in paragraph (1)<sup>30</sup>, for “£13.40” substitute ~~£~~£13.85~~£~~.
- (4) The sums specified in Part I of Schedule 2 (personal allowances) shall be as set out in Schedule 2 to this Order.
- (5) The sums specified in Part IV of Schedule 2 (weekly amounts of premiums specified in Part III) shall be as set out in Schedule 3 to this Order.
- (6) In Schedule 3, in Part I (maximum amount of housing costs under Part V), in paragraph 1 –
- (a) in sub-paragraph (4) for “£160.00” substitute ~~£~~£165.50~~£~~;
- (b) in sub-paragraph (5) for “£173.00” substitute ~~£~~£178.50~~£~~; and
- (c) in sub-paragraph (6) for “£190.50” substitute ~~£~~£197.00~~£~~.
- (7) The sums specified in Part II of Schedule 3 (weekly amount of deductions specified in Part V) shall be as set out in Schedule 4 to this Order.
- (8) The sums specified in Schedule 4 (applicable amounts for claimants in an adult care home) shall be as set out in Schedule 5 to this Order.

<sup>26</sup> S.I. 2017/410 (see SD 2017/0140).

<sup>27</sup> Regulation 17ZA substituted by SD 851/10.

<sup>28</sup> Amount substituted by SD 2017/0038.

<sup>29</sup> Amount substituted by SD 2017/0038.

<sup>30</sup> Paragraph (1) amended by SD 2015/044.

- (9) The sums specified in Schedule 4A (weekly amounts of board and lodging specified in Part IV) shall be as set out in Schedule 6 to this Order.
- (10) The sums specified in Schedule 4B (applicable amounts for persons with a mental or physical disability or illness living in certain accommodation free of charge) shall be as set out in Schedule 7 to this Order.
- (11) In Schedule 5 (special cases), in paragraph 18, in column (2) in sub-paragraphs (a) and (b), for “£33.30” substitute ~~£33.30~~ £34.40~~00~~.
- (12) In Schedule 7 (sums to be disregarded in the calculation of income other than earnings) in paragraph 27 —
  - (a) in sub-paragraph (a) for “£6.05” substitute ~~£6.05~~ £6.25~~00~~; and
  - (b) in sub-paragraph (b) for “£14.05” substitute ~~£14.05~~ £14.50~~00~~.

## PART 4 – JOBSEEKER’S ALLOWANCE

### 15 Applicable amounts for jobseeker’s allowance

- (1) The sums that are relevant to the calculation of an applicable amount as specified in the Jobseeker’s Allowance Regulations shall be the sums set out in this article and Schedules 8 to 15 to this Order; and unless stated otherwise, any reference in this article to a numbered Schedule is a reference to the Schedule to the Jobseeker’s Allowance Regulations bearing that number.
- (2) In regulation 84A<sup>31</sup> (applicable amounts for boarders), in paragraph (1C)(b)(i), for “£205.00” substitute ~~£205.00~~ £212.50~~00~~.
- (3) In regulation 86ZA<sup>32</sup> (applicable amounts for claimants residing in care accommodation provided or secured by the Department of Health and Social Care other than by reason of their age), in paragraph (3)<sup>33</sup> —
  - (a) in sub-paragraph (a) for “£121.00” substitute ~~£121.00~~ £125.01~~00~~; and
  - (b) in sub-paragraph (b) for “£242.00” substitute ~~£242.00~~ £250.02~~00~~.
- (4) The sums specified in Parts I to 1E of Schedule 1 (personal allowances) shall be as set out in Schedule 8 to this Order.
- (5) The sums specified in Part II of Schedule 1 (personal allowances: child or young person) shall be as set out in Schedule 9 to this Order.
- (6) In Schedule 2 —

<sup>31</sup> Regulation 84A substituted by SD 226/04.

<sup>32</sup> Regulation 86ZA inserted by SD 0082/12.

<sup>33</sup> Amounts in paragraph (3) amended by SD 2017/0038.

- (a) in Part I (housing costs), in paragraph 4(1)<sup>34</sup> for “£13.40” substitute ~~“£13.85”~~; and
- (b) in Part II<sup>35</sup> (maximum amount of housing costs under Part I of Schedule 2), in paragraph 12 –
  - (i) in sub-paragraph (5) for “£160.00” substitute ~~“£165.50”~~;
  - (ii) in sub-paragraph (6) for “£173.00” substitute ~~“£178.50”~~; and
  - (iii) in sub-paragraph (7) for “£190.50” substitute ~~“£197.00”~~.
- (7) The sums specified in Part III of Schedule 2 (weekly amounts of deductions specified in Part I) shall be as set out in Schedule 10 to this Order.
- (8) The sums specified in Part III of Schedule 3 (weekly amounts of premiums specified in Part II) shall be as set out in Schedule 11 to this Order.
- (9) The sums specified in Part IIIB of Schedule 3 (weekly amounts of premiums specified in Part IIIA) shall be as set out in Schedule 12 to this Order.
- (10) The sums specified in Schedule 4 (applicable amounts for claimants in an adult care home) shall be as set out in Schedule 13 to this Order.
- (11) The sums specified in Schedule 4A (weekly amounts of board and lodging specified in Part IV) shall be as set out in Schedule 14 to this Order.
- (12) The sums specified in Schedule 4B (applicable amounts for persons with a mental or physical disability or illness living in certain accommodation free of charge) shall be as set out in Schedule 15 to this Order.
- (13) In Schedule 7 (sums to be disregarded in the calculation of income other than earnings) in paragraph 26 –
  - (a) in sub-paragraph (a) for “£6.05” substitute ~~“£6.25”~~; and
  - (b) in sub-paragraph (b) for “£14.05” substitute ~~“£14.50”~~.

## PART 5 – EMPLOYED PERSON’S ALLOWANCE

### 16 Prescribed amounts for employed person’s allowance

- (1) The sums that are relevant to the calculation of an applicable amount as specified in the Employed Person’s Allowance Regulations shall be the sums set out in this article and Schedules 16 and 17 to this Order; and

<sup>34</sup> Paragraph 4(1) amended by SD 2015/0045.

<sup>35</sup> Part II substituted by SD 2015/0045.

unless stated otherwise, any reference in this article to a numbered Schedule is a reference to the Schedule to the Employed Person's Allowance Regulations bearing that number.

- (2) In regulation 80 (maintenance and insurance costs), in paragraph (1)<sup>36</sup>, for "£13.40" substitute ~~£~~£13.85.
- (3) In regulation 85 (applicable amount for non-householder's contribution), in paragraph (1)<sup>37</sup> for "£14.80" substitute ~~£~~£15.00.
- (4) In regulation 86<sup>38</sup> (applicable amounts of housing costs of boarders) for "£55.20" substitute ~~£~~£57.00.
- (5) In Schedule 3 (sums disregarded in the calculation of income other than earnings) —
  - (a) in paragraph 22(1) for "£24.20" substitute ~~£~~£25.00; and
  - (b) in paragraph 33(a) —
    - (i) for "£6.05" substitute ~~£~~£6.25; and
    - (ii) for "£14.05" substitute ~~£~~£14.50.
- (6) In Schedule 6 in Part 1<sup>39</sup> (maximum amount of housing costs applicable under Part 7), in paragraph 1 —
  - (a) in sub-paragraph (4) for "£160.00" substitute ~~£~~£165.50;
  - (b) in sub-paragraph (5) for "£173.00" substitute ~~£~~£178.50; and
  - (c) in sub-paragraph (6) for "£190.50" substitute ~~£~~£197.00.
- (7) The sums specified in Part 2 of Schedule 6 (weekly applicable amounts of deductions specified in Part 7) shall be as set out in Schedule 16 to this Order.
- (8) The sums specified in Schedule 7 (applicable amounts for adults, children and young persons) shall be as set out in Schedule 17 to this Order.

## PART 6 – CHILD BENEFIT

### 17 Rates of child benefit

- (1) The Child Benefit (Rates) Regulations 2013<sup>40</sup> are amended as follows.
- (2) In regulation 8 (enhanced rate) in paragraph (2) —
  - (a) in sub-paragraph (a) for "£20.80" substitute ~~£~~£21.50;

<sup>36</sup> Paragraph (1) amended by SD 2015/0043.

<sup>37</sup> Paragraph (1) amended by SD 2015/0043.

<sup>38</sup> Regulation 86 amended by SD 2015/0043.

<sup>39</sup> Part 1 substituted by SD 2015/0043. Amounts in Part 1 amended by SD 2016/0010.

<sup>40</sup> SD 0421/13.

- (b) in sub-paragraph (b) for “£15.60” substitute ~~“£15.60”~~ **“£16.13”**;
  - (c) in sub-paragraph (c) for “£10.40” substitute ~~“£10.40”~~ **“£10.75”**; and
  - (d) in sub-paragraph (d) for “£5.20” substitute ~~“£5.20”~~ **“£5.38”**.
- (3) In regulation 10 (rate for any other child or qualifying young persons) in paragraph (2) —
- (a) in sub-paragraph (a) for “£13.75” substitute ~~“£13.75”~~ **“£14.20”**;
  - (b) in sub-paragraph (b) for “£10.32” substitute ~~“£10.32”~~ **“£10.65”**;
  - (c) in sub-paragraph (c) for “£6.88” substitute ~~“£6.88”~~ **“£7.10”**; and
  - (d) in sub-paragraph (d) for “£3.44” substitute ~~“£3.44”~~ **“£3.55”**.

## PART 7 — NURSING CARE CONTRIBUTION

### 18 Amount of nursing care contribution

In paragraph 7<sup>41</sup> of the Nursing Care Contribution Scheme 2008<sup>42</sup> (amount of nursing care contribution) —

- (a) in sub-paragraph (a) for “£137.10” substitute ~~“£137.10”~~ **“£150.80”**; and
- (b) in sub-paragraph (b) for “£19.59” substitute ~~“£19.59”~~ **“£21.55”**.

## PART 8 – REVOCATIONS

### 19 Revocations

The following are revoked —

- (a) the Social Security Benefits Upating Order 2017<sup>43</sup>; and
- (b) the Social Security Legislation (Benefits) (Application) (No. 2) Order 2017<sup>44</sup>.

MADE 25<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY 2018

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*Minister for the Treasury*

<sup>41</sup> Paragraph 7 substituted by SD347/10.

<sup>42</sup> GC 30/08.

<sup>43</sup> SD 2017/0038.

<sup>44</sup> SD 2017/0166.





## SCHEDULE 1

## PROVISIONS OF SCHEDULE 4 TO THE CONTRIBUTIONS AND BENEFITS ACT AS AMENDED BY THIS ORDER

[Article 5(1)]

## PART I - CONTRIBUTORY PERIODICAL BENEFITS

<i>Description of benefit</i>	<i>Weekly rate</i>	
<sup>45</sup> 2. Short-term incapacity benefit	(a) lower rate	£82.65
	(b) higher rate	£97.85
2A. Long-term incapacity benefit.		£109.60
4. Maternity Allowance:		
(a) Employed earners		£179.85
(b) Self-employed earners		£145.18
<sup>46</sup> 4A. Adoption allowance		£179.85
5. Category B retirement pension where section 48A(4) applies.		£75.50
6. Child's special allowance.		£11.35

## PART II - BEREAVEMENT PAYMENT

Bereavement payment <sup>47</sup> .	£2,000.00
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## PART III - NON-CONTRIBUTORY PERIODICAL BENEFITS

<i>Description of benefit</i>	<i>Weekly rate</i>	
1. Attendance allowance.	(a) higher rate	£78.90
	(b) lower rate	£52.90
	(the appropriate rate being determined in accordance with section 65(3)).	
2. Severe disablement allowance.		£77.65
3. Age related addition.	(a) higher rate	£11.60
	(b) middle rate	£6.45
	(c) lower rate	£6.45
	(the appropriate rate being determined in accordance with section 69(1)).	
4. <sup>48</sup> Carer's allowance.		£116.60
5. Guardian's allowance.		£17.20

<sup>45</sup> Paragraph 2 substituted and paragraph 2A inserted by section 2(2) of the Social Security (Incapacity for Work) Act 1994 ("1994 Act").

<sup>46</sup> Paragraph 4A inserted by SD 377/04.

<sup>47</sup> Part II substituted by section 54(2) of the Welfare Reform and Pensions Act 1999 (see SD 600/00) ("1999 Act").

<sup>48</sup> Words substituted by paragraph 2(f) of the Schedule to S.I. 2002/1457 (see SD 623/02).

7.	Category D retirement pension <sup>49</sup> .	£75.50
8.	Age addition (to a pension of any category, and otherwise under section 79).	£2.00.

## PART IV - INCREASES FOR DEPENDANTS

<i>Benefit to which increase applies (1)<sup>50</sup></i>	<i>Increase for qualifying child (2)</i>	<i>Increase for adult dependant (3)</i>
	£	£
1A. Short-term incapacity benefit <sup>51</sup> —		
(a) where the beneficiary is under pensionable age;	11.35	49.60
(b) where the beneficiary is over pensionable age.	11.35	61.30
2. Long-term incapacity benefit.	11.35	63.65
4. Widowed mother's allowance.	11.35	—
4A. Widowed parent's allowance <sup>52</sup> .	11.35	—
5. Category A or B retirement pension.	11.35	68.35
8. Severe disablement allowance.	11.35	38.20
9. Carer's allowance.	11.35	38.00

## PART V - RATES OF INDUSTRIAL INJURIES BENEFIT

<i>Description of benefit, etc.</i>	<i>Rate</i>																				
1. Disablement pension (weekly rates).	For the several degrees of disablement set out in column (1) of the following Table, the respective amounts in column (2) of that Table.  <b>TABLE</b>  <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th><i>Degree of Disablement (1)</i></th> <th><i>Amount (2)</i></th> </tr> <tr> <th><i>Per cent.</i></th> <th><i>£</i></th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>100</td> <td>174.80</td> </tr> <tr> <td>90</td> <td>157.32</td> </tr> <tr> <td>80</td> <td>139.84</td> </tr> <tr> <td>70</td> <td>122.36</td> </tr> <tr> <td>60</td> <td>104.88</td> </tr> <tr> <td>50</td> <td>87.40</td> </tr> <tr> <td>40</td> <td>69.92</td> </tr> <tr> <td>30</td> <td>52.44</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	<i>Degree of Disablement (1)</i>	<i>Amount (2)</i>	<i>Per cent.</i>	<i>£</i>	100	174.80	90	157.32	80	139.84	70	122.36	60	104.88	50	87.40	40	69.92	30	52.44
<i>Degree of Disablement (1)</i>	<i>Amount (2)</i>																				
<i>Per cent.</i>	<i>£</i>																				
100	174.80																				
90	157.32																				
80	139.84																				
70	122.36																				
60	104.88																				
50	87.40																				
40	69.92																				
30	52.44																				

<sup>50</sup> The entries relating to widowed mother's allowance and widowed parent's allowance in column (1) and the increase for a qualifying child in column (2) were repealed by section 60 of, and Schedule 6 to, the Tax Credits Act 2002 (see SD 120/03). See also SD 355/03.

<sup>51</sup> Paragraph 1A was inserted, and paragraph 2 substituted, by section 2(6) of the 1994 Act (see SD 505/94).

<sup>52</sup> Paragraph 4A was inserted by paragraph 14 of Schedule 8 to the 1999 Act (see SD 92/00).

	20	34.96
2. Maximum increase of weekly rate of disablement pension where constant attendance needed.	(a) except in cases of exceptionally severe disablement	£69.90;
	(b) in any case	£139.80.
3. Increase of weekly rate of disablement pension (exceptionally severe disablement).		£69.90.
4. Maximum of aggregate of weekly benefit payable for successive accidents.		£174.80.
5. Unemployability supplement under paragraph 2 of Schedule 7.		£108.05.
6. Increase under paragraph 3 of Schedule 7 of weekly rate of unemployability supplement.	(a) if on the qualifying date the beneficiary was under the age of 35 or if that date fell before 5 <sup>th</sup> July 1948	£22.35;
	(b) if head (a) above does not apply and on the qualifying date the beneficiary was under the age of 40 and he had not attained pensionable age before 6 <sup>th</sup> April 1979	£22.35;
	(c) if heads (a) and (b) above do not apply and on the qualifying date the beneficiary was under the age of 45	£14.40;
	(d) if heads (a), (b) and (c) above do not apply and on the qualifying date the beneficiary was under the age of 50 and had not attained pensionable age before 6 <sup>th</sup> April 1979	£14.40;
	(e) in any other case	£7.20.
7. Increase under paragraph 4 of Schedule 7 of weekly rate of disablement pension.		£11.35.
8. Increase under paragraph 6 of Schedule 7 of weekly rate of disablement pension.		£64.60.
9. Maximum disablement gratuity under paragraph 9 of Schedule 7.		£11,600.00.

10. Widow's pension (weekly rates) <sup>53</sup> .	<p>(a) initial rate<sup>54</sup> £57.65;</p> <p>(b) higher permanent rate £125.95;</p> <p>(c) lower permanent rate 30 per cent of the first sum specified in section 44(4) (Category A basic retirement pension) (the appropriate rate being determined in accordance with paragraph 16 of Schedule 7)</p>
11. Widower's pension (weekly rate).	£125.95.
12. Weekly rate of allowance in respect of children and qualifying young persons <sup>55</sup> under paragraph 18 of Schedule 7.	In respect of each child or qualifying young person £11.35.

<sup>53</sup> Widow's and widower's pension are payable in relation only to deaths occurring before 11 April 1988 (paragraph 14(1) of Schedule 7 to the Contributions and Benefits Act).

<sup>54</sup> The initial rate relates only to the period of 26 weeks following the date of the deceased's death (paragraph 16(1) of Schedule 7). The rate stated is therefore the rate applicable for the 26 weeks following 10 April 1988.

<sup>55</sup> Paragraph 12 amended by paragraph 15(3) of Schedule 1 to the 2005 Act (see SD 29/07) which inserted the words "and qualifying young persons" and substituted the words "child or qualifying young person".

## SCHEDULE 2

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

[Article 14(4)]

## Part I - Personal allowances

(1) <i>Person or couple</i>	(2) <i>Amount</i>
<b>1.</b>	
(1) Single claimant -	
(a) aged less than 18 in respect of whom housing costs are not applicable:	(a) £62.05;
(b) aged less than 18 in respect of whom housing costs are applicable:	(b) £82.65;
(c) aged not less than 18 but less than 25:	(c) £82.65;
(d) aged not less than 25:	(d) £103.35.
(2) Lone parent -	
(a) aged less than 18:	(a) £82.65;
(b) aged not less than 18:	(b) £103.35.
(3) Couple -	
(a) where both members are aged less than 18 in respect of whom housing costs are not applicable:	(a) £94.60;
(b) where both members are aged less than 18 in respect of whom housing costs are applicable:	(b) £126.10;
(c) where one member is aged not less than 18 and the other member is aged less than 18:	(c) £126.10;
(d) where both members are aged not less than 18:	(d) £157.65.
<b>2.</b> Child or young person -	
(a) in respect of whom child benefit is payable at the rate specified in regulation 8 of the Child Benefit (Rates) Regulations 2013 (enhanced rate) or, in the opinion of an adjudication officer, would be but for section 141(2) of the Contributions and Benefits Act:	(a) £34.45;
(b) in respect of whom child benefit is payable at the rate specified in regulation 10 of those Regulations	(b) £41.75;

(rate for any other child or qualifying young person) or, in the opinion of an adjudication officer, would be but for section 141(2) of that Act:	
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## SCHEDULE 3

[Article 14(5)]

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

## Weekly amounts of premiums specified in Part III

<i>Premium</i>	<i>Amount</i>
<b>20.</b>	
(1) Pensioner premium -	(1)
(a) if the condition in paragraph 8(a) is satisfied;	(a) £72.95;
(b) if the condition in paragraph 8(b) is satisfied;	(b) £115.45.
<sup>56</sup> (3) Incapacity premium -	(3)
(a) if the condition in paragraph 10(a) is satisfied;	(a) £25.50;
(b) if the condition in paragraph 10(b) is satisfied;	(b) £38.25.
<sup>57</sup> (4) Disability premium -	(4)
(a) if the condition in paragraph 11(a) is satisfied;	(a) £56.30;
(b) if the condition in paragraph 11(b) is satisfied;	(b) £84.45.
(6) Disabled child premium -	(6) £42.95 in respect of each child or young person in respect of whom the condition specified in paragraph 13 is satisfied.
<sup>58</sup> (6A) Shared care premium -	(6A) £24.70 in respect of each child or young person in respect of whom the condition specified in paragraph 13A is satisfied.
<sup>59</sup> (6B) Higher child benefit premium -	(6B) For each child or young person (C) in respect of whom the condition in paragraph 13B is satisfied an amount equal to the rate of child benefit that would, in the opinion of an adjudication officer, be payable in respect of C specified in regulation 8(2)(a) <sup>60</sup> or 10(2)(a) (as the case may be) of the Child Benefit (Rates) Regulations 2013 but for the operation of section 141(2) of the Contributions and Benefits

<sup>56</sup> Sub-paragraph (3) substituted by SD 0054/13.<sup>57</sup> Sub-paragraph (4) substituted by SD 0054/13.<sup>58</sup> Sub-paragraph (6A) inserted by SD 495/06 and amended by SD 0609/12.<sup>59</sup> Sub-paragraphs (6B) and (6C) inserted by SD 2014/0037.<sup>60</sup> Reference omitted by SD 2017/0041.

	Act.
(6C) Lower child benefit premium -	(6C) For each child or young person (C) in respect of whom the condition in paragraph 13C is satisfied an amount equal to A – B.  Here – (a) “A” means an amount equal to the rate of child benefit that would, in the opinion of an adjudication officer, be payable in respect of C specified in regulation 8(2)(a) <sup>61</sup> or 10(2)(a) (as the case may be) of the Child Benefit (Rates) Regulations 2013 were the claimant’s reckonable income not more than the lower income threshold; (b) “B” means the rate of child benefit which is payable in respect of C specified in regulation 8(2)(b), (c) or (d) <sup>62</sup> or 10(2)(b), (c) or (d) (as the case may be) of the Child Benefit (Rates) Regulations 2013; (c) “lower income threshold” has the meaning given in regulation 4(1) of those Regulations; and (d) “reckonable income” has the meaning prescribed in Part 3 of those Regulations.
<sup>63</sup> (7) Carer premium - (a) if the condition in paragraph 14(1)(a) is satisfied; (b) if the condition in paragraph 14(1)(b) is satisfied;	(7) (a) £66.25; (b) £101.40.
<sup>64</sup> (9) Attendance premium - (a) where the claimant or his partner satisfies condition A in paragraph 16 or both of them do so:	(9) (a) an amount equivalent to the rate of attendance allowance to which

<sup>61</sup> Reference omitted by SD 2017/0041.

<sup>62</sup> References omitted by SD 2017/0041.

<sup>63</sup> Subparagraph (7) substituted by SD 0054/13.

<sup>64</sup> Subparagraph (9) substituted by SD 138/04.



<p>(b) where the claimant or his partner satisfies condition B in paragraph 16 or both of them do so:</p> <p>(c) where the claimant or his partner satisfies condition C in paragraph 16 or both of them do so:</p> <p>(d) where the claimant or his partner satisfies condition D in paragraph 16 or both of them do so:</p>	<p>either or both of them would be entitled were section 65(1)(b) not to apply;</p> <p>(b) an amount equivalent to the rate of the care component of disability living allowance to which either or both of them would be entitled were section 72(2)(a) not to apply;</p> <p>(c) an amount equivalent to the difference between -</p> <p>(i) the rate of attendance allowance to which either or both of them would be entitled were section 65(1)(b) not to apply, and</p> <p>(ii) the rate of attendance allowance to which either or both of them is entitled;</p> <p>(d) an amount equivalent to the difference between -</p> <p>(i) the rate of the care component of disability living allowance to which either or both of them would be entitled were section 72(2)(a) not to apply, and</p> <p>(ii) the rate of the care component of disability living allowance to which either or</p>
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<p>(e) where the claimant or his partner satisfies condition E in paragraph 16 or both of them do so:</p>	<p>both of them is entitled;</p> <p>(e) an amount equivalent to the difference between –</p> <p>(i) the rate of the care component of disability living allowance to which either or both of them would be entitled were section 72(2)(a) not to apply, and</p> <p>(ii) the rate of the care component of disability living allowance to which either or both of them is entitled.</p>
<p>(f) where the claimant or his partner satisfies <sup>65</sup>condition F in paragraph 16 or both of them do so:</p>	<p>(f) an amount equivalent to the difference between –</p> <p>(i) the rate of the care component of disability living allowance to which either or both of them would be entitled were section 72(2)(a) not to apply, and</p> <p>(ii) the rate of the care component of disability living allowance to which either or both of them is entitled.</p>
<p>(10) Mobility premium - (a) if the condition in paragraph</p>	<p>(10) (a) £27.30;</p>

<sup>65</sup> Words substituted by regulation 19 of SD 828/05.



(b) 17(a)(i) is satisfied; if the condition in paragraph	(b) £6.35;
(c) 17(a)(ii) is satisfied; if the condition in paragraph 17(b) is satisfied;	(c) £41.00.

## SCHEDULE 4

PART II OF SCHEDULE 3 TO THE INCOME SUPPORT REGULATIONS AS  
AMENDED BY THIS ORDER

[Article 14(7)]

## 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>Items in respect of which deductions are made</i>	Column (2) <i>Amount</i>
(2)	(2)
(a) for heating;	(a) £19.25;
(b) for lighting;	(b) £1.60;
(c) for cooking;	(c) £2.40;
(d) for hot water;	(d) £2.40.
<i>Reduction in amounts applicable for certain occupants of the home</i>	
(4) The amount specified for the purposes of regulation 31(4)(c);	(4) £14.80.
(5) The amount specified for the purposes of regulation 31(4)(d);	(5) £52.10.

## SCHEDULE 5

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

[Article 14(8)]

## SCHEDULE 4 - APPLICABLE AMOUNTS FOR CLAIMANTS IN AN ADULT CARE HOME

1. The weekly applicable amount of a claimant to whom regulation 17 applies (<sup>66</sup>applicable amounts for claimants in an adult care home) shall be the aggregate of such of the amounts —
- (a) specified in any of paragraphs 1 to 7 in the table below (personal allowances); and
  - (b) under paragraph 2 (personal expenses),
- as apply in his case.

Table

*Personal allowances for <sup>67</sup>claimants in an adult care home*

Column (1) <i>Person</i>	Column (2) <i>Amount</i>
<sup>68</sup> Person in an adult care home which is not an independent care service but not a person to whom any of regulation 17(4) to (7) applies	
1. Person to whom regulation 17(3) applies:	1. The weekly charge for the home but not more than £464.66 per week.
<i>Person in Sweetbriar Unit of Thie Meanagh or Langness Unit of Southlands but not immediately before 8<sup>th</sup> April 2013</i>	
3. Person to whom regulation 17(5) applies:	3. The weekly charge for the home but not more than £647.78 per week.
<i>Person in Unit 1 of Thie Meanagh or Reayrt Skyal or Gansey Unit of Southlands but not immediately before 8<sup>th</sup> April 2013</i>	
5. Person to whom regulation 17(7) applies:	5. The weekly charge for the home but not more than £749.35 per week.
<sup>69</sup> Person in an adult care home which is an independent care service but not a nursing home	

<sup>66</sup> Words substituted by SD 2015/0393.

<sup>67</sup> Words substituted by SD 2015/0393.

<sup>68</sup> Heading substituted by SD 2015/0393.

<sup>69</sup> Heading substituted by SD 2015/0393.

6.	Person to whom regulation 17(8) applies:	6.	The weekly charge for the home but not more than £464.66 per week.
	<i>Person in nursing home</i>		
7.	Person to whom regulation 17(9) applies:	7.	The weekly charge for the home, but not more than <sup>70</sup> £773.71 per week.

## 2. Personal expenses

The claimant's weekly applicable amount shall include an amount in respect of personal expenses for the claimant and each member of his family living with him made up of the sum of the following amounts —

- (a) for the claimant, £34.40 and (if he has a partner) for his partner, £34.40; and
- (b) for any child or young person in respect of whom child benefit is payable or, in the opinion of an adjudication officer, would be payable but for the operation of section 141(2) of the Contributions and Benefits Act, at the rate specified in —
  - (i) regulation 8 of the Child Benefit (Rates) Regulations 2013 (enhanced rate), £34.45;
  - (ii) regulation 10 of those Regulations (rate for any other qualifying young person), £41.75.

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<sup>70</sup> Amount substituted by SD 2017/0038.

## SCHEDULE 6

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

[Article 14(9)]

SCHEDULE 4A - WEEKLY AMOUNTS OF BOARD AND LODGING  
SPECIFIED IN PART IV<sup>71</sup>

1. Subject to paragraph 6, the weekly amounts specified in column (2) of the tables below in respect of each person, couple or other member of the claimant's family specified in column (1) shall be the weekly amounts for the purposes of regulation 17A (the applicable amounts for boarders).

*Tables*

## Part I - Personal allowances

Column (1) <i>Person or couple</i>	Column (2) <i>Amount</i>
2. (a) couple: (b) single claimant or lone parent:	(a) £68.10; (b) £34.05.
3. Child or young person –  (a) in respect of whom child benefit is payable at the rate specified in regulation 8 of the Child Benefit (Rates) Regulations 2013 or, in the opinion of an adjudication officer, would be but for section 141(2) of Contributions and Benefits Act:  (c) in respect of whom child benefit is payable at the rate specified in regulation 10 of those Regulations or, in the opinion of an adjudication officer, would be but for section 141(2) of that Act:	(a) £34.45;  (c) £41.75.

## Part II - Amounts in respect of board and lodging or lodging only (as the case may be)

Column (1) <i>Person or couple</i>	Column (2) <i>Amount</i>
4.	4.

<sup>71</sup> Schedule 4A substituted by SD 227/04.

<p>(a) couple:</p>	<p>(a) the full weekly amount of the charge for board and lodging or lodging only (as the case may be), subject to a maximum of £238.05;</p>
<p>(b) single claimant or lone parent:</p>	<p>(b) the full weekly amount of the charge for board and lodging or lodging only (as the case may be), subject to a maximum of £178.45.</p>

**Part III - Amounts in respect of the cost of any meals not included in the cost of board and lodging**

Column (1) <i>Meals</i>	Column (2) <i>Amount</i>
<p><b>5.</b> Meal allowance for each member of the claimant's family -</p> <p>(a) where meals can be obtained within the board and lodging establishment:</p> <p>(b) where meals cannot be obtained within the board and lodging establishment, for each day -</p> <p style="margin-left: 20px;">(i) for breakfast:</p> <p style="margin-left: 20px;">(ii) for midday meals:</p> <p style="margin-left: 20px;">(iii) for evening meals:</p>	<p><b>5.</b></p> <p>(a) the actual cost of such meals, calculated on a daily basis;</p> <p>(b)</p> <p style="margin-left: 20px;">(i) £2.75;</p> <p style="margin-left: 20px;">(ii) £3.95;</p> <p style="margin-left: 20px;">(iii) £3.95.</p>

- 6.** The amounts specified in paragraphs 2, 4 and 5 above, when aggregated, are subject to an overall maximum of –
- (a) £212.50 for a single claimant or lone parent; and
  - (b) £300.90 for a claimant who is a member of a couple.





**SCHEDULE 7****SCHEDULE 4B TO THE INCOME SUPPORT REGULATIONS AS AMENDED BY  
THIS ORDER**

[Article 14(10)]

**<sup>72</sup>SCHEDULE 4B - APPLICABLE AMOUNTS FOR PERSONS WITH A  
MENTAL OR PHYSICAL DISABILITY OR ILLNESS LIVING IN CERTAIN  
ACCOMMODATION FREE OF CHARGE**

Regulation 17AB

The amounts of personal expenses for a claimant to whom regulation 17AB applies shall be —

- (a) in respect of a claimant who is —
  - (i) a single claimant or lone parent, £34.40;
  - (ii) a member of a couple and whose partner either —
    - (aa) lives in the same accommodation as the claimant; or
    - (bb) lives elsewhere but to whom regulation 17AB also applies,  
£68.80; and
- <sup>73</sup>(b) in respect of every child or young person who is a member of the claimant's family and who is also living in the same accommodation as the claimant —
  - (i) in respect of whom child benefit is payable at the rate specified in regulation 8 of the Child Benefit (Rates) Regulations 2013 or, in the opinion of an adjudication officer, would be but for section 141(2) of the Contributions and Benefits Act, a further £34.45;
  - (ii) in respect of whom child benefit is payable at the rate specified in regulation 10 of those Regulations or, in the opinion of an adjudication officer, would be but for section 141(2) of that Act, a further £41.75.

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<sup>72</sup> Schedule 4B inserted by SD 448/03.

<sup>73</sup> Subparagraph (b) substituted by SD 0081/12.

## SCHEDULE 8

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

[Article 15(4)]

<sup>74</sup>Part I - Persons to whom housing costs are applicable

- A1.** For the purposes of regulation 83(3)(a), the applicable amount of a claimant (C) to whom regulation 83 applies shall include the amount specified in whichever of Columns (2) to (5) in the table below applies in C's case shown opposite in Column (1) of that table.
- A2.** For the purposes of regulation 86A(3)(a), the applicable amount of a joint-claim couple (JCC) to whom regulation 86A applies shall include the amount specified in whichever of Columns (2) to (5) in the table below applies in JCC's case shown opposite in Column (1) of that table.
- A3.** In calculating the length of the periods referred to in Columns (2) to (5) in the table below, any period of 56 days or fewer separating two periods of entitlement to a jobseeker's allowance are to be disregarded.

Table

Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4	Column 5
Case	Number of consecutive days comprising the immediately preceding period in respect of which C or JCC has been entitled to a jobseeker's allowance			
	Less than 183 days	More than 182 days but less than 274 days	More than 273 days but less than 365 days	More than 364 days
<i>Person or couple</i>	<i>Amount</i>			
<b>1.</b>				
(1) Single claimant –				
(a) aged less than 18:	£82.65	£66.10	£57.85	£49.60
(b) aged not less than 18 but less than 25:	£82.65	£66.10	£57.85	£49.60
(c) aged not less than 25:	£103.35	£80.05	£72.35	£62.00
(2) Lone parent –				
(a) aged less than 18:	£82.65	£66.10	£57.85	£49.60
(b) aged not less than 18:	£103.35	£82.70	£72.35	£62.00
(3) Couple –				

<sup>74</sup> Parts I and IA substituted for Part I by SD 2015/0223.

(a)	where both members are aged less than 18:	£126.10	£100.90	£88.25	£75.65
(b)	where one member is aged not less than 18 and the other member is aged less than 18:	£126.10	£100.90	£88.25	£75.65
(c)	where both members are aged not less than 18:	£157.65	£126.10	£110.35	£94.60

### Part IA - Persons to whom housing costs are not applicable

- A1.** For the purposes of regulation 83A(3)(a), the applicable amount of a claimant (C) to whom regulation 83A applies shall include the amount specified in whichever of Columns (2) to (5) in the table below applies in C's case shown opposite in Column (1) of that table.
- A2.** For the purposes of regulation 86AB(3)(a), the applicable amount of a joint-claim couple (JCC) to whom regulation 86A applies shall include the amount specified in whichever of Columns (2) to (5) in the table below applies in JCC's case shown opposite in Column (1) of that table.
- A3.** In calculating the length of the periods referred to in Columns (2) to (5) in the table below, any period of 56 days or fewer separating two periods of entitlement to a jobseeker's allowance are to be disregarded.

*Table*

Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4	Column 5
Case	Number of consecutive days comprising the immediately preceding period in respect of which C or JCC has been entitled to a jobseeker's allowance			
	Less than 183 days	More than 182 days but less than 274 days	More than 273 days but less than 365 days	More than 364 days
<i>Person or couple</i>	<i>Amount</i>			
<b>1.</b>				
(1) Single claimant –				
(a) aged less than 18:	£59.80	£47.85	£41.85	£35.90
(b) aged not less than 18 but less than 25:	£59.80	£47.85	£41.85	£35.90
(c) aged not less than 25:	£75.50	£60.40	£52.85	£45.30

(2)	Lone parent –				
(a)	aged less than 18:	£59.80	£47.85	£41.85	£35.90
(b)	aged not less than 18:	£75.50	£60.40	£52.85	£45.30
(3)	Couple –				
(a)	where both members are aged less than 18:	£92.05	£73.65	£64.45	£55.25
(b)	where one member is aged not less than 18 and the other member is aged less than 18:	£92.05	£73.65	£64.45	£55.25
(c)	where both members are aged not less than 18:	£115.10	£92.10	£80.55	£69.05

<sup>75</sup>Part IB - Persons to whom regulations 83AA or 86AC apply

- A1.** For the purposes of regulation 83AA(3)(a), the applicable amount of a claimant (C) to whom regulation 83AA applies shall include the amount specified in whichever of Columns 2 to 5 in the table below applies in C's case shown opposite in Column 1 of that table.
- A2.** For the purposes of regulation 86AC(3)(a), the applicable amount of a joint-claim couple (JCC) to whom regulation 86AC applies shall include the amount specified in whichever of Columns 2 to 5 in the table below applies in JCC's case shown opposite in Column 1 of that table.
- A3.** In calculating the length of the periods referred to in Columns 2 to 5 in the table below, any period of 56 days or fewer separating two periods of entitlement to a jobseeker's allowance are to be disregarded.

*Table*

Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4	Column 5
Case	Number of consecutive days comprising the immediately preceding period in respect of which C or JCC has been entitled to a jobseeker's allowance			
	Less than 365 days	More than 364 days but less than 456 days	More than 455 days but less than 547 days	More than 546 days
<i>Person or couple</i>	<i>Amount</i>			
<b>1.</b>				

<sup>75</sup> Parts IB to IE inserted by SD 2016/0196.

(1)	Single claimant –				
	(a) aged less than 18:	£82.65	£66.10	£57.85	£49.60
	(b) aged not less than 18 but less than 25:	£82.65	£66.10	£57.85	£49.60
	(c) aged not less than 25:	£103.35	£82.70	£72.35	£62.00
(2)	Lone parent –				
	(a) aged less than 18:	£82.65	£66.10	£57.85	£49.60
	(b) aged not less than 18:	£103.35	£82.70	£72.35	£62.00
(3)	Couple –				
	(a) where both members are aged less than 18:	£126.10	£100.90	£88.25	£75.65
	(b) where one member is aged not less than 18 and the other member is aged less than 18:	£126.10	£100.90	£88.25	£75.65
	(c) where both members are aged not less than 18:	£157.65	£126.10	£110.35	£94.60

### Part IC – Persons to whom regulations 83AB or 86AD apply

- A1.** For the purposes of regulation 83AB(3)(a), the applicable amount of a claimant (C) to whom regulation 83A applies shall include the amount specified in whichever of Columns 2 to 5 in the table below applies in C's case shown opposite in Column 1 of that table.
- A2.** For the purposes of regulation 86AD(3)(a), the applicable amount of a joint-claim couple (JCC) to whom regulation 86AD applies shall include the amount specified in whichever of Columns 2 to 5 in the table below applies in JCC's case shown opposite in Column 1 of that table.
- A3.** In calculating the length of the periods referred to in Columns 2 to 5 in the table below, any period of 56 days or fewer separating two periods of entitlement to a jobseeker's allowance are to be disregarded.

*Table*

Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4	Column 5
	Number of consecutive days comprising the immediately preceding period in respect of which C or JCC has been entitled to a jobseeker's allowance			

Case	Less than 365 days	More than 364 days but less than 456 days	More than 455 days but less than 547 days	More than 546 days
<i>Person or couple</i>	<i>Amount</i>			
<b>1.</b>				
(1) Single claimant –				
(a) aged less than 18:	£59.80	£47.85	£41.85	£35.90
(b) aged not less than 18 but less than 25:	£59.80	£47.85	£41.85	£35.90
(c) aged not less than 25:	£75.50	£60.40	£52.85	£45.30
(2) Lone parent –				
(a) aged less than 18:	£59.80	£47.85	£41.85	£35.90
(b) aged not less than 18:	£75.50	£60.40	£52.85	£45.30
(3) Couple –				
(a) where both members are aged less than 18:	£92.05	£73.65	£64.45	£55.25
(b) where one member is aged not less than 18 and the other member is aged less than 18:	£92.05	£73.65	£64.45	£55.25
(c) where both members are aged not less than 18:	£115.10	£92.10	£80.55	£69.05

**Part ID - Persons to whom regulations 83AD or 86AE apply**

- A1.** For the purposes of regulation 83AD(3)(a), the applicable amount of a claimant (C) to whom regulation 83AD applies shall include the amount specified in Column (2) in the table below as applies in C's case shown opposite in Column 1 of that table.
- A2.** For the purposes of regulation 86AE(3)(a), the applicable amount of a joint-claim couple (JCC) to whom regulation 86AE applies shall include the amount specified in whichever of Columns 2 to 5 in the table below applies in JCC's case shown opposite in Column 1 of that table.

*Table*

Column 1	Column 2
Case	<i>Amount</i>
<i>Person or couple</i>	

<b>1.</b>		
(1)	Single claimant –	
	(a) aged less than 18:	£82.65
	(b) aged not less than 18 but less than 25:	£82.65
	(c) aged not less than 25:	£103.35
(2)	Lone parent –	
	(a) aged less than 18:	£82.65
	(b) aged not less than 18:	£103.35
(3)	Couple –	
	(a) where both members are aged less than 18:	£126.10
	(b) where one member is aged not less than 18 and the other member is aged less than 18:	£126.10
	(c) where both members are aged not less than 18:	£157.65

#### Part IE - Persons to whom regulations 83AE or 86AF apply

- A1.** For the purposes of regulation 83AE(3)(a), the applicable amount of a claimant (C) to whom regulation 83AE applies shall include the amount specified in Column (2) in the table below as applies in C's case shown opposite in Column 1 of that table.
- A2.** For the purposes of regulation 86AF(3)(a), the applicable amount of a joint-claim couple (JCC) to whom regulation 86AE applies shall include the amount specified in whichever of Columns 2 to 5 in the table below applies in JCC's case shown opposite in Column 1 of that table.

**Table**

Column 1	Column 2
Case	Amount
<i>Person or couple</i>	
<b>1.</b>	
(1) Single claimant –	
(a) aged less than 18:	£59.80
(b) aged not less than 18 but less than 25:	£59.80
(c) aged not less than 25:	£75.50
(2) Lone parent –	
(a) aged less than 18:	£59.80
(b) aged not less than 18:	£75.50
(3) Couple –	
(a) where both members are aged less than 18:	£92.05
(b) where one member is aged not less than 18 and the other member is aged less than 18:	£92.05
(c) where both members are aged not	£115.10

less than 18:	
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## SCHEDULE 9

## PART II OF SCHEDULE 1 TO THE JOBSEEKER'S ALLOWANCE REGULATIONS AS AMENDED BY THIS ORDER

[Article 15(5)]

## Part II - Child or young person

Column (1) <i>Child or young person</i>	Column (2) <i>Amount</i>
<p><b>2.</b> Child or young person –</p> <p>(a) in respect of whom child benefit is payable at the rate specified in regulation 8 of the Child Benefit (Rates) Regulations 2013 (enhanced rate) or, in the opinion of an adjudication officer, would be but for section 141(2) of the Contributions and Benefits Act:</p> <p>(b) in respect of whom child benefit is payable at the rate specified in regulation 10 of those Regulations (rate for any other child or qualifying young person) or, in the opinion of an adjudication officer, would be but for section 141(2) of that Act:</p>	<p>(a) £34.45;</p> <p>(b) £41.75.</p>

**SCHEDULE 10****PART III OF SCHEDULE 2 TO THE JOBSEEKER'S ALLOWANCE REGULATIONS AS AMENDED BY THIS ORDER**

[Article 15(7)]

**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>Items in respect of which deductions are made</i>	Column (2) <i>Amount</i>
(2) (a) for heating; (b) for lighting; (c) for cooking; (d) for hot water;	(2) (a) £19.25; (b) £1.60; (c) £2.40; (d) £2.40.
<i>Reduction in amounts applicable for certain occupants of the home</i>	
(4) The amount specified for the purposes of paragraph 9(4)(c);	(4) £14.80;
(5) The amount specified for the purposes of paragraph 9(4)(d);	(5) £52.10.

## SCHEDULE 11

## PART III OF SCHEDULE 3 TO THE JOBSEEKER'S ALLOWANCE REGULATIONS AS AMENDED BY THIS ORDER

[Article 15(8)]

## Part III - Weekly amounts of premiums specified in Part II

Table

<i>Premium</i>	<i>Amount</i>
<sup>76</sup> 20. (1) Pensioner premium - (a) if the condition in paragraph 10(a) is satisfied: (b) if the condition in paragraph 10(b) is satisfied:	(1) (a) £72.95; (b) £115.45.
<sup>77</sup> (3) Incapacity premium If the condition in paragraph 13 is satisfied:	(3) £25.50.
<sup>78</sup> (4) Disability premium - (a) if the condition in paragraph 15(a) or (b) is satisfied: (b) if the condition in paragraph 15(c) or (d) is satisfied:	(4) (a) £56.30; (b) £84.45.
(6) Disabled child premium	(6) £42.95 in respect of each child or young person in respect of whom the conditions specified in paragraph 16 are satisfied.
<sup>79</sup> (6A) Shared care premium	(6A) £24.70 in respect of each child or young person in respect of whom the condition specified in paragraph 16A is satisfied.
<sup>80</sup> (6B) Higher child benefit premium	(6B) For each child or young person (C) in respect of whom the condition in paragraph 16B is satisfied an amount equal to the rate of child benefit that would be payable in respect of C specified in regulation 8(2)(a) <sup>81</sup> or 10(2)(a) (as the case may be) of the Child Benefit (Rates) Regulations 2013 but for the

<sup>76</sup> Subparagraph (1) substituted by SD 0055/13.<sup>77</sup> Subparagraph (3) substituted by SD 0055/13.<sup>78</sup> Subparagraph (4) substituted by SD 0055/13.<sup>79</sup> Subparagraph (6A) inserted by S.I. 2006/718 (see SD 31/07) and amended by SD 0608/12.<sup>80</sup> Subparagraphs (6B) and (6C) inserted by SD 2015/0221.<sup>81</sup> Reference omitted by SD 2017/0042.

		operation of section 141(2) of the Benefits Act.
(6C) Lower child benefit premium	(6C)	<p>For each child or young person (C) in respect of whom the condition in paragraph 16C is satisfied an amount equal to A – B.</p> <p>Here –</p> <p>(a) “A” means an amount equal to the rate of child benefit that would be payable in respect of C specified in regulation 8(2)(a)<sup>82</sup> or 10(2)(a) (as the case may be) of the Child Benefit (Rates) Regulations 2013 were the claimant’s reckonable income not more than the lower income threshold;</p> <p>(b) “B” means the rate of child benefit which is payable in respect of C specified in regulation 8(2)(b), (c) or (d)<sup>83</sup> or 10(2)(b), (c) or (d) (as the case may be) of the Child Benefit (Rates) Regulations 2013;</p> <p>(c) “lower income threshold” has the meaning given in regulation 4(1) of those Regulations; and</p> <p>(d) “reckonable income” has the meaning prescribed in those Regulations.</p>
<sup>84</sup> (7) Carer premium	(7)	
(a) if the condition in paragraph 17(1)(a) is satisfied;	(a)	£66.25;
(b) if the condition in paragraph 17(1)(b) is satisfied:	(b)	£101.40.
<sup>85</sup> (9) Mobility premium	(9)	

<sup>82</sup> Reference omitted by SD 2017/0042.

<sup>83</sup> References omitted by SD 2017/0042.

<sup>84</sup> Sub-paragraph (7) substituted by SD 0055/13.

<sup>85</sup> Sub-paragraph (9) substituted by SD 0055/13.



(a)	if the condition in paragraph 17B(a) is satisfied;	(a)	£27.30;
(b)	if the condition in paragraph 17B(b) is satisfied;	(b)	£6.35.

## SCHEDULE 12

PART IIIB OF SCHEDULE 3 TO THE JOBSEEKER'S ALLOWANCE REGULATIONS  
AS AMENDED BY THIS ORDER

[Article 15(9)]

## PART IIIB - WEEKLY AMOUNTS OF PREMIUMS SPECIFIED IN PART IIIA

<i>Premium</i>	<i>Amount</i>
<sup>86</sup> 20M. (1) Pensioner premium — If the condition in paragraph 20E is satisfied:	(1) £115.45.
<sup>87</sup> (3) Incapacity premium — If the condition in paragraph 20G is satisfied:	(3) £25.50.
<sup>88</sup> (4) Disability premium - (a) if the condition in paragraph 20I(a) is satisfied: (b) if the condition in paragraph 20IA(b) or (c) is satisfied:	(4) (a) £56.30; (b) £84.45.
<sup>89</sup> (4B) Shared care premium	(4B) £24.70 in respect of each child or young person in respect of whom the condition specified in paragraph 20IB is satisfied.
<sup>90</sup> (5) Carer premium (a) if the condition in paragraph 20J(1)(a) is satisfied: (b) if the condition in paragraph 20J(1)(b) is satisfied;	(5) (a) £66.25; (b) £101.40.
<sup>91</sup> (5B) Mobility premium - (a) if the condition in paragraph 20JAA(a) is satisfied: (b) if the condition in paragraph 20JAA(b) is satisfied:	(5B) (a) £27.30; (b) £6.35.

<sup>86</sup> Sub-paragraph (1) substituted by SD 0055/13.<sup>87</sup> Sub-paragraph (3) substituted by SD 0055/13.<sup>88</sup> Sub-paragraph (4) substituted by SD 0055/13.<sup>89</sup> Sub-paragraph (4B) inserted by S.I. 2006/718 (see SD 31/07).<sup>90</sup> Sub-paragraph (5) substituted by SD 0055/13.<sup>91</sup> Sub-paragraph (5B) substituted by SD 0055/13.

### SCHEDULE 13

#### SCHEDULE 4 TO THE JOBSEEKER'S ALLOWANCE REGULATIONS AS AMENDED BY THIS ORDER

[Article 15(10)]

#### SCHEDULE 4 - APPLICABLE AMOUNTS FOR CLAIMANTS IN AN ADULT CARE HOME

1. The weekly applicable amount of a claimant to whom regulation 86 applies (applicable amounts for claimants in an adult care home except in the case of a claimant to whom regulation 85 or 86ZA applies) shall be the aggregate of such of the amounts —
- (a) specified in any of paragraphs 1 to 3 in the table below (personal allowances); and
  - (b) under paragraph 2 (personal expenses),
- as apply in his case.

*Table*

*Personal allowances for <sup>92</sup> claimants in an adult care home*

Column (1) <i>Person</i>	Column (2) <i>Amount</i>
<i>Person in an adult care home which is not an independent care service</i>	
1. Person to whom regulation 86(3) applies:	1. The weekly charge for the home, but not more than £464.66 per week.
<i>Person in an adult care home which is an independent care service but not a nursing home</i>	
2. Person to whom regulation 86(4) applies:	2. The weekly charge for the home, but not more than £464.66 per week.
<i>Person in nursing home</i>	
3. Person to whom regulation 86(5) applies:	3. The weekly charge for the home, but not more than £773.71 per week.

#### 2. Personal expenses

The claimant's weekly applicable amount shall include an amount in respect of personal expenses for the claimant and each member of his family living with him made up of the aggregate of the following amounts —

- (a) for the claimant, £34.40 and (if he has a partner) for his partner, £34.40; and

<sup>92</sup> Heading amended by SD 2015/0392.

- (b) for any child or young person in respect of whom child benefit is payable or, in the opinion of an adjudication officer, would be payable but for the operation of section 141(2) of the Contributions and Benefits Act, at the rate specified in —
- (i) regulation 8 of the Child Benefit (Rates) Regulations 2013, £34.45;
  - (ii) regulation 10 of those Regulations, a further £41.75.



## SCHEDULE 14

SCHEDULE 4A TO THE JOBSEEKER'S ALLOWANCE REGULATIONS AS  
AMENDED BY THIS ORDER

[Article 15(11)]

<sup>93</sup>SCHEDULE 4A - WEEKLY AMOUNTS OF BOARD AND LODGING  
SPECIFIED IN PART IV

1. The weekly amounts specified in column (2) of the tables below in respect of each person, couple or other member of the claimant's family specified in column (1) shall be the weekly amounts for the purposes of regulation 84A (applicable amounts for boarders).

*Tables*

## Part I - Personal allowances

<i>Column (1)</i> <i>Person or couple</i>	<i>Column (2)</i> <i>Amount</i>
<p><b>2.</b></p> <p>(a) couple;</p> <p>(b) single claimant or lone parent.</p>	<p>(a) £68.10;</p> <p>(b) £34.05.</p>
<p><b>3.</b> Child or young person –</p> <p>(a) in respect of whom child benefit is payable or, in the opinion of an adjudication officer, would be payable but for the operation of section 141(2) of the Contributions and Benefits Act, at the rate specified in regulation 8 of the Child Benefit (Rates) Regulations 2013:</p> <p>(b) in respect of whom child benefit is payable or, in the opinion of an adjudication officer, would be payable but for the operation of section 141(2) of that Act, at the rate specified in regulation 10 of those Regulations:</p>	<p>(a) £34.45;</p> <p>(b) £41.75.</p>

<sup>93</sup> Schedule 4A substituted by SD 226/04.

Part II - Amounts in respect of board and lodging or lodging only (as the case may be)

Column (1) <i>Person or couple</i>	Column (2) <i>Amount</i>
4.	4.
(a) couple:	(a) the full weekly amount of the charge for board and lodging or lodging only (as the case may be), subject to a maximum of £238.05;
(b) single claimant or lone parent:	(b) the full weekly amount of the charge for board and lodging or lodging only (as the case may be), subject to a maximum of £178.45.

Part III - Amounts in respect of the cost of any meals not included in the cost of board and lodging

Column (1) <i>Meals</i>	Column (2) <i>Amount</i>
5.	5.
Meal allowance for each member of the claimant's family –	
(a) where meals can be obtained within the board and lodging establishment:	(a) the actual cost of such meals, calculated on a daily basis;
(b) where meals cannot be obtained within the board and lodging establishment, for each day –	(b) -
(i) for breakfast:	(i) £2.75;
(ii) for midday meals:	(ii) £3.95;
(iii) for evening meals:	(iii) £3.95.

**SCHEDULE 15****SCHEDULE 4B TO THE JOBSEEKER'S ALLOWANCE REGULATIONS AS  
AMENDED BY THIS ORDER**

[Article 15(12)]

**<sup>94</sup>SCHEDULE 4B - APPLICABLE AMOUNTS FOR PERSONS WITH A  
MENTAL OR PHYSICAL DISABILITY OR ILLNESS LIVING IN CERTAIN  
ACCOMMODATION FREE OF CHARGE**

Regulation 84AB

The amounts of personal expenses for a claimant to whom regulation 84AB applies shall be —

- (a) in respect of a claimant who is —
- (i) a single claimant or lone parent, £34.40;
  - (ii) a member of a couple whose partner either —
    - (aa) lives in the same accommodation as the claimant; or
    - (bb) lives elsewhere but to whom regulation 84AB also applies,
- £68.80;
- (b) in respect of every child or young person who is a member of the claimant's family and who is also living in the same accommodation as the claimant —
- (i) in respect of whom child benefit is payable or, in the opinion of an adjudication officer, would be payable but for the operation of section 141(2) of the Contributions and Benefits Act, at the rate specified in regulation 8 of the Child Benefit (Rates) Regulations 2013, a further £34.45;
  - (ii) in respect of whom child benefit is payable or, in the opinion of an adjudication officer, would be payable but for the operation of section 141(2) of that Act, at the rate specified in regulation 10 of those Regulations, a further £41.75.

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<sup>94</sup> Schedule 4B inserted by S.I. 2003/1195 (see SD 446/03).

## SCHEDULE 16

PART 2 OF SCHEDULE 6 TO THE EMPLOYED PERSON'S ALLOWANCE  
REGULATIONS AS AMENDED BY THIS ORDER

[Article 16(7)]

PART 2 - WEEKLY APPLICABLE AMOUNTS OF DEDUCTIONS SPECIFIED  
IN PART 7

2. The weekly applicable amounts of deductions specified in column (2) in the Table below is to be the weekly applicable amounts for the purposes of rule 5 in regulation 77 and regulation 84(2) of Part 7 of these Regulations.

Column (1) <i>Items in respect of which deductions are made</i>	Column (2) <i>Amount</i>
(1) — (a) for heating; (b) for lighting; (c) for cooking; (d) for hot water;	(1) — (a) £19.25; (b) £1.60; (c) £2.40; (d) £2.40.
<i>Reduction in applicable amounts applicable for certain occupants of the home</i>	<i>Amount</i>
(2) The amount specified for the purposes of regulation 84(2);	(2) £27.45.

## SCHEDULE 17

## SCHEDULE 7 TO THE EMPLOYED PERSON'S ALLOWANCE REGULATIONS AS AMENDED BY THIS ORDER

[Article 16(8)]

## SCHEDULE 7 – APPLICABLE AMOUNTS FOR ADULTS, CHILDREN AND YOUNG PERSONS

(1) <i>Claimant and any other member of the claimant's family</i>	(2) <i>Amount</i>
1. Single claimant who is a disabled worker:	£230.05.
2. Lone parent or member of a couple who is a non-disabled worker:	£285.30.
3. Lone parent or member of a couple who is a disabled worker:	£342.90.
4. In the case of a claimant or claimants to whom regulation 87(5) applies (person working not less than 24 hours per week):	£34.15.
<sup>95</sup> 5. For - (a) the eldest, elder or only child or young person for whom a person is treated as responsible under regulation 17: (b) any other child or young person for whom a person is treated as responsible under regulation 17:	(a) £22.10; (b) £63.90.
<sup>96</sup> 5A. In the case of a polygamous marriage to which regulation 87(12) applies, for each member of the household to whom the claimant is married other than the first:	£50.00.
6. Additional amount for disabled child or disabled young person:	£42.35.
<sup>97</sup> 6A. Additional amount for no entitlement to child benefit:	6A. For each child or young person (C) to whom regulation 89A applies, an amount equal to $A \times (100/70)$ . Here "A" means the rate of child benefit which would, in the opinion of an adjudication officer, be payable in

<sup>95</sup> Paragraph 5 substituted by SD 2017/0205.<sup>96</sup> Paragraph 5A inserted by SD 0083/12.<sup>97</sup> Paragraphs 6A and 6B inserted by SD 2014/0036.

	<p>respect of C specified in regulation 8(2)(a)<sup>98</sup> or 10(2)(a) (as the case may be) of the Child Benefit (Rates) Regulations 2013 but for the operation of section 141(2) of the Contributions and Benefits Act.</p>
<p><b>6B.</b> Additional amount for payment of child benefit at less than full rate:</p>	<p><b>6B.</b> For each child or young person (C) to whom regulation 89B applies, an amount equal to <math>(A-B) \times (100/70)</math>.</p> <p>Here —</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) “A” means the rate of child benefit which would, in the opinion of an adjudication officer, be payable in respect of C specified in regulation 8(2)(a)<sup>99</sup> or 10(2)(a) (as the case may be) of the Child Benefit (Rates) Regulations 2013 were the claimant’s reckonable income not more than the lower income threshold;</li> <li>(b) “B” means the rate of child benefit which is payable in respect of C specified in regulation 8(2)(b), (c) or (d)<sup>100</sup> or regulation 10(2)(b), (c) or (d) (as the case may be) of the Child Benefit (Rates) Regulations 2013;</li> <li>(c) “lower income threshold” has the meaning given in regulation 4(1) of those Regulations; and</li> <li>(d) “reckonable income” has the meaning prescribed in Part 3 of those Regulations.</li> </ul>

<sup>98</sup> Reference omitted by SD 2017/0040.

<sup>99</sup> Reference omitted by SD 2017/0040.

<sup>100</sup> References omitted by SD 2017/0040.



*EXPLANATORY NOTE**(This note is not part of the Order)*

This Order is made under sections 150 and 189 of, and paragraphs 1 to 3 of Schedule 4E to, the Social Security Administration Act 1992 as it has effect in the Island.

Part 1 of the Order (articles 1 to 4) is introductory (title, commencement, effect and interpretation of the Order).

Part 2 of the Order relates to social security benefits, pensions and allowances.

Article 5 and Schedule 1 increase the benefits and increases of benefits (except for those referred to in article 5(2)) specified in Parts I, III, IV and V of Schedule 4 to the Social Security Contributions and Benefits Act 1992 as it has effect in the Island (“the Contributions and Benefits Act”).

Article 6 increases the rates and amounts of certain pensions and allowances under the Contributions and Benefits Act.

Article 7 increases the sums payable as part of a Category A or Category B retirement pension by virtue of sections 15(1) and 17(2) and (3) of the Pension Schemes Act 1993 as it has effect in the Island on account of increases in guaranteed minimum pensions.

Article 8 specifies earnings limits for child dependency increases.

Article 9 increases the rate of graduated retirement benefit.

Article 10 increases the rate of disability living allowance.

Article 11 increases the weekly rates of age addition and the rates referred to in article 11(2) for claimants entitled to long-term incapacity benefit.

Article 12 increases the weekly rates of transitional invalidity allowance and the rates referred to in article 12(2) for claimants entitled to long-term incapacity benefit.

Article 13 increases the rates of widowed mother’s allowance, widow’s pension, widowed parent’s allowance, bereavement allowance and bereavement support payment.

Part 3 of the Order relates to income support.

Article 14 states the amount of sums relevant to the applicable amount for the purposes of income support. Article 14(2) specifies the applicable amounts for claimants in care accommodation provided or secured by the Department of Health and Social Care other than by reason of their age who pay for their accommodation. Article 14(3) specifies the amount for maintenance and insurance on the claimant’s home. Article 14(4) and Schedule 2 set out certain personal allowances. Article 14(5) and Schedule 3 specify the amounts of the premiums. Article 14(6) specifies the maximum amounts of

housing costs for claimants with children in their families. Article 15(7) and Schedule 4 specifies weekly amount of deductions specified in Part V of Schedule 3 to the Income Support Regulations. Article 14(8) and Schedule 5 specify the applicable amounts for claimants in an adult care home. Article 14(9) and Schedule 6 specify the maximum amount in the applicable amount for boarders who are single claimants or lone parents (excluding allowances for children). Article 14(10) and Schedule 7 specify the applicable amounts for claimants with a mental or physical disability or illness living in certain accommodation free of charge. Article 14(11) sets out the applicable amounts for persons in an adult care home who become patients. Article 14(12) increases the amounts to be disregarded in the case of payments made to the claimant under contractual liability in respect of the occupation of the claimant's home by another person.

Part 4 of the Order relates to jobseeker's allowance.

Article 15(2) specifies the applicable amounts for boarders who are single claimants or lone parents (excluding allowances for children). Article 15(3) specifies the applicable amounts for persons in care accommodation provided or secured by the Department of Health and Social Care other than by reason of their age who pay for their accommodation. Article 15(4) and (5) and Schedules 8 and 9 set out certain personal allowances. Article 15(6) specifies the amount for maintenance and insurance on the claimant's home and the maximum amounts of housing costs for claimants with children in their families. Article 15(7) and Schedule 10 specify the weekly amount of deductions specified in Part III of Schedule 2 to the Jobseeker's Allowance Regulations. Article 15(8) and (9) and Schedules 11 and 12 specify the amounts of the premiums. Article 15(10) and Schedule 13 specify the applicable amounts for claimants in an adult care home. Article 15(11) and Schedule 14 specify the maximum amount in the applicable amount for boarders who are single claimants or lone parents (excluding allowances for children). Article 15(12) and Schedule 15 specify the applicable amounts for claimants with a mental or physical disability or illness living in certain accommodation free of charge. Article 15(13) increases the amounts to be disregarded in the case of payments made to the claimant under contractual liability in respect of the occupation of the claimant's home by another person.

Part 5 of the Order relates to employed person's allowance.

Article 16(2) specifies the amount for maintenance and insurance on the claimant's home. Article 16(3) specifies the contribution to the housing costs of non-householders. Article 16(4) specifies the amount of applicable housing costs of boarders. Article 16(5) sets out the income disregards for employed person's allowance in the case of maintenance payments payable to the claimant or the claimant's partner and payments made to the claimant under contractual liability in respect of the occupation of the claimant's home by another person. Article 16(6) specifies the maximum amounts of applicable housing costs for claimants with children in their families. Article 16(7) and Schedule 16 specify the weekly amount of deductions specified in Part 2 of Schedule 6 to the Employed Person's Allowance Regulations. Article 16(8) and Schedule 17 specify the applicable amounts for adults, children and young persons.



Part 6 of the Order relates to child benefit.

Article 17 increases the enhanced rates of child benefit and the rates for any other children or qualifying young persons.

Part 7 of the Order relates to the nursing care contribution.

Article 18 increases the weekly and daily amounts of the nursing care contribution.

Part 8 (article 19) provides for the revocation of the Social Security Benefits Up-rating Order 2017 and the Social Security Legislation (Benefits) (Application) (No. 2) Order 2017.