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STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

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**2000 No. 64**

**PENSIONS**

**Pensions Increase (Review) Order (Northern Ireland) 2000**

*Made* - - - - - *8th March 2000*  
*Coming into operation* *10th April 2000*

Whereas by virtue of section 132 of the Social Security Administration (Northern Ireland) Act 1992<sup>(1)</sup> a direction<sup>(2)</sup> has been given by the Department for Social Development<sup>(3)</sup> that the sums which are the additional pensions in the rate of long-term benefits are to be increased by a specified percentage.

Now, therefore, the Department of Finance and Personnel, in exercise of the powers conferred by Article 69(1), (2), (5) and (5ZA) of the Social Security Pensions (Northern Ireland) Order 1975<sup>(4)</sup> and now vested in it<sup>(5)</sup> and of every other power enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following Order:

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- (1) 1992 c. 8  
(2) Contained in S.R. 2000 No. 38  
(3) See S.R. 1999 No. 481 Schedule 6 Part II  
(4) S.I. 1975/1503 (N.I. 15); Art. 69 was amended by S.I. 1979/396 (N.I. 5) Arts. 10(2), 16 and Sch. 3, S.I. 1985/1209 (N.I. 16) Art. 25(2) and Sch. 6, S.I. 1986/1888 (N.I. 18) Arts. 11(8), 19(1)(b), 83(1) and Sch. 9, para. 58, S.I. 1990/1509 (N.I. 13) Arts. 3(7) and 7, by section 4 and paragraph 14(19) of Schedule 2 to the Social Security (Consequential Provisions) (Northern Ireland) Act 1992 (1992 c. 9) and by section 184 of and paragraph 15(1) of Schedule 7 to the Pension Schemes (Northern Ireland) Act 1993 (1993 c. 49). Article 69 is modified by Article 69A, which was inserted by Article 10(3) of the Social Security (Northern Ireland) Order 1979 (S.I. 1979/396 (N.I. 5)), and amended by S.I. 1986/1888 (N.I. 18) Art. 11(9) and by section 184 of and paragraph 15(2) of Schedule 7 to the Pension Schemes (Northern Ireland) Act 1993  
(5) By S.R. 1976 No. 281 Art. 3 and Sch. 1 and S.I. 1982/338 (N.I. 6) Art. 4