
STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

2004 No. 144

HOUSING; RATES

**The Housing Benefit (Abolition of Benefit Periods
Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2004**

Made - - - - *26th March 2004*

Coming into operation *5th April 2004*

The Department for Social Development, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by the provisions specified in the Schedule to these Regulations, and now vested in it(1), paragraph 4(3) and (5) of Schedule 7 to the Child Support, Pensions and Social Security Act (Northern Ireland) 2000(2) and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, with the consent of the Department of Finance and Personnel(3), and after agreement by the Social Security Advisory Committee that proposals in respect of these Regulations should not be referred to it(4), hereby makes the following Regulations:

(1) See Article 8(b) of [S.R. 1999 No. 481](#)

(2) [2000 c. 4 \(N.I.\)](#)

(3) See section 171(6A) of the Social Security Contributions and Benefits (Northern Ireland) Act 1992 ([c. 7](#)) as inserted by Article 3(3) of the Social Security (Amendment) (Northern Ireland) Order 1993 ([S.I.1993/1579 \(N.I. 8\)](#)); see also Article 6(b) of [S.R. 1999 No. 481](#)

(4) See section 150(1)(b) of the Social Security Administration (Northern Ireland) Act 1992 ([c. 8](#))