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SCHEDULE 1

Article 3(1)

Provisions of Schedule 4 to the Contributions and Benefits Act asamended by this Order

PART I

CONTRIBUTORY PERIODICAL BENEFITS

Commencement Information

II Sch. 1 Pt. I in operation at 1.4.2021 for specified purposes, see art. 1(1)(b)(i)

I2 Sch. 1 Pt. I in operation at 12.4.2021 in so far as not already in force, see art. 1(1)(b)(ii)

Descr	ription of benefit	Weekly rate	
2.(1)	Short-term incapacity benefit.	(a)lower rate	£86·55
		(b)higher rate	£102·40.
2A.	Long-term incapacity benefit.	£114·70.	
5.(2)	Category B retirement pension where section 48A(4) or 48AA(4) applies.		

PART III

NON-CONTRIBUTORY PERIODICAL BENEFITS

Commencement Information

I3 Sch. 1 Pt. III in operation at 1.4.2021 for specified purposes, see art. 1(1)(b)(i)

I4 Sch. 1 Pt. III in operation at 12.4.2021 in so far as not already in force, see art. 1(10(b)(ii)

Description of benefit		Weekly rate		
1.	Attendance allowance.	(a)higher rate	£89·60	
		(b)lower rate $\pounds 60.00$		
		(the appropriate rate with section 65(3)).	being determined in accordance	
2.	Severe disablement allowance.	£81·25.		
3.	Age related addition.	(a)higher rate	£12·15	
		(b)middle rate	£6·75	
		(c)lower rate	£6·75	

Paragraphs 2 and 2A were substituted for paragraph 2 by Article 4(2) of the Social Security (Incapacity for Work) (Northern Ireland) Order 1994 (S.I. 1994/1898 (N.I.12))

⁽²⁾ Paragraph 5 was amended by paragraph 18(11) of Schedule 2 to the Pensions (Northern Ireland) Order 1995 (S.I. 1995/3213 (N.I.22)) and paragraph 59 of Schedule 12 to the Pensions Act (Northern Ireland) 2015 (c. 5 (N.I.))

Description of benefit		Weekly rate		
		(the appropriate rate being determined in accordanc with section $69(1)$).		
4.(3)	Carer's allowance.	£67·60.		
7.(4)	Category D retirement pension.	£82·45.		
8.	Age addition (to a pension of any category, and otherwise under section 79).			

PART IV

INCREASES FOR DEPENDANTS

Comr	mencement Information	
15	Sch. 1 Pt. IV in operation at 1.4.2021 for specified purposes, see art. 1(1)(b)(i)	
I6	Sch. 1 Pt. IV in operation at 12.4.2021 in so far as not already in force, see art. 1(1)(b)(ii)	

Benefit to which increase applies		Increase for qualifying child	Increase for adult dependant	
	(1)	(2) £	(3) £	
1A.(5)	Short-term incapacity benefit—			
	(a) where the beneficiary is under pensionable age;	11.35	51.90	
	(b) where the beneficiary is over pensionable age.	11.35	64.10	
2.	Long-term incapacity benefit.	11.35	66.65	
4.	Widowed mother's allowance.	11.35		
4A.(6)	Widowed parent's allowance.	11.35		
5.(7)	Category A or B retirement pension.	11.35	—	
6.	Category C retirement pension.	11.35	—	
8.	Severe disablement allowance.	11.35	39.95	
9.(8)	Carer's allowance.	11.35	_	

⁽³⁾ Paragraph 4 was amended by Article 2(2)(a)(vi) of S.R. 2002 No. 321

(4) Paragraph 7 was amended by paragraph 68(b) of Schedule 12 to the Pensions Act (Northern Ireland) 2015

⁽⁵⁾ Paragraph 1A was inserted and paragraph 2 substituted by Article 4(5) of the Social Security (Incapacity for Work) (Northern Ireland) Order 1994

 ⁽⁶⁾ Paragraph 4A was inserted by paragraph 13 of Schedule 8 to the Welfare Reform and Pensions (Northern Ireland) Order 1999; paragraphs 4 and 4A were repealed by Schedule 6 to the Tax Credits Act 2002 (c. 21) and saved in certain circumstances by Article 2 of S.R. 2003 No. 212

⁽⁷⁾ Paragraphs 5 and 6 were amended by paragraph 18 of Schedule 1 to the Pensions Act (Northern Ireland) 2008; *see* section 4 of that Act in relation to certain cases

 ⁽⁸⁾ Paragraph 9 was amended by Article 2(2)(a)(vii) of S.R. 2002 No. 321 and repealed by Part 2 of Schedule 4 to the Welfare Reform Act (Northern Ireland) 2010 (c. 13 (N.I.)); see section 14 of that Act in relation to certain cases

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PART V

RATE OF INDUSTRIAL INJURIES BENEFIT

Commencement Information

I7 Sch. 1 Pt. V in operation at 1.4.2021 for specified purposes, see art. 1(1)(b)(i)

I8 Sch. 1 Pt. V in operation at 12.4.2021 in so far as not already in force, see art. 1(1)(b)(ii)

Desc	ription of benefit, et	C	Rate		
1.(9)	Disablement per rates).	ension (weekly	For the several degrees of disablement set out in column (1) of the following Table, the respective amounts in column (2) of that Table.		
				TABLE	
			Degree disablemer	of Amount t	
			(1)	(2)	
			Per cent.	£	
			100	182.90	
			90	164.61	
			80	146.32	
			70	128.03	
			60	109.74	
			50	91.45	
			40	73.16	
			30	54.87	
			20	36.58	
2.	Maximum increase of weekly rate		(a) except in	except in cases of exceptionally severe	
	of disablement pension where	Disabler	nent	£73·20	
	constant attendance needed.		(b) in any ca	in any case of exceptionally severe	
			Disabler	nent £	146·40
3.	Increase of w disablement pensi severe disablemen	on (exceptionally	£73·20		
4.	Maximum of agg benefit payable accidents.				

⁽⁹⁾ Part V was amended by paragraph 41 of Schedule 1 to the Child Benefit Act 2005 (c. 6) and Article 71 to the Welfare Reform (Northern Ireland) Order 2015 (S.I. 2015/2006 (N.I.1)). Widow's and widower's pension are payable in relation only to deaths occurring before 11th April 1988 (paragraph 14(1) of Schedule 7 to the Contributions and Benefits Act)

Description of benefit, etc		Rat	2	
5.	Unemployability supplement under paragraph 2 of Schedule 7.	£113	·10	
6.	Increase under paragraph 3 of Schedule 7 of weekly rate of	(a) if on the qualifying date under the age of 35 or if th		
	unemployability supplement.		before 5th July 1948	£23·40
		(b)	if head (a) above does not qualifying date the beneficia age of 40 and he had not att age before	ry was under the
			6th April 1979	£23·40
		(c)	if heads (a) and (b) above do the qualifying date the benefi	
			under the age of 45	£15·00
		(d)	if heads (a), (b) and (c) above on the qualifying date the ben the age of 50 and had not att age before	eficiary was under
			6th April 1979	£15·00
		(e)	in any other case	£7·50
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.	£67•	60	
9.	Maximum disablement gratuity under paragraph 9 of Schedule 7.	£12,	140.00	
10.	Widow's pension (weekly rates).	(b)	higher permanent rate	£137·60
		(c)	lower permanent rate	30 per cent.
			of the first sum specified (Category A basic retirement	
			appropriate rate being determi paragraph 16 of Schedule 7)	ned in accordance
11.	Widower's pension (weekly rate).	£137	7·60	
12.	Weekly rate of allowance in respect of children and qualifying young persons under paragraph 18 of Schedule 7.		spect of each child or qualifying	ng young
			on	£11·35

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