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SCHEDULES

SCHEDULE 4

Parts II to V.

RATES OF BENEFITS, ETC.

[F1PART I

CONTRIBUTORY PERIODICAL BENEFITS

Textual Amendments

F1 Sch. 4 sums amended and confirmed (with effect in accordance with arts. 1(2)(3)(a), 7 of the amending Rule) by The Social Security Benefits Up-rating Order (Northern Ireland) 2020 (S.R. 2020/40), arts. 1(1) (b), 3, Sch. 1, so that Sch. 4 (except Pt. III para. 5) has effect as set out in Sch. 1 to that Rule

| | Description of benefit | We | ekly rate |
|-----|--|-----------------|-----------|
| 2. | Short-term incapacity benefit. | (a) lower rate | £86·10 |
| | | (b) higher rate | £101·90. |
| 2A. | Long-term incapacity benefit. | £114·15. | |
| 5. | Category B retirement pension where section 48A(4) or 48AA(4) applies. | £80·45. | |

PART II

BEREAVEMENT PAYMENT

| F2 | F2 |
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Textual Amendments

F2 Sch. 4 Pt. 2 omitted (6.4.2017) by virtue of Pensions Act (Northern Ireland) 2015 (c. 5), s. 53(1), Sch. 16 para. 19; S.R. 2017/44, art. 2(2) (with arts. 3, 4)

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PART III

NON-CONTRIBUTORY PERIODICAL BENEFITS

| | Description of benefit | Weekly rate |
|----|--|---|
| 1. | Attendance allowance. | (a) higher rate £89·15 |
| | | (b) lower rate £59·70 |
| | | (the appropriate rate being determined in accordance with section 65(3)). |
| 2. | Severe disablement allowance. | £80·85. |
| 3. | Age related addition. | (a) higher rate £12·10 |
| | | (b) middle rate £6.70 |
| | | (c) lower rate £6.70 |
| | | (the appropriate rate being determined in accordance with section 69(1)). |
| 4. | Carer's allowance. | £67·25. |
| 5. | Guardian's allowance | [F3£17.60] |
| 7. | Category D retirement pension. | £80·45. |
| 8. | Age addition (to a pension of any category, and otherwise under section 79). | £0·25. |

Textual Amendments

F3 Sum in Sch. 4 Pt. 3 para. 5 substituted (8.4.2019) by The Tax Credits and Guardian's Allowance Up Rating Regulations 2019 (S.I. 2019/252), regs. 1(2), 5

PART IV
INCREASES FOR DEPENDANTS

| | Benefit to which increase applies | Increase for qualifying child | Increase for adult dependant | |
|-----|---|-------------------------------|------------------------------------|--|
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | |
| | | £ | ${\it \pounds}$ | |
| 1A. | Short-term incapacity benefit— | | | |
| | (a) where the beneficiary is under pensionable age; | 11.35 | 51.65 | |
| | (b) where the beneficiary is over pensionable age. | 11.35 | 63.80 | |

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| | Benefit to which increase applies | Increase for qualifying child | Increase for adult dependant | |
|-----|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------------------|--|
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | |
| | | £ | ${\it \pounds}$ | |
| 2. | Long-term incapacity benefit. | 11.35 | 66.30 | |
| 4. | Widowed mother's allowance. | 11.35 | | |
| 4A. | Widowed parent's allowance. | 11.35 | _ | |
| 5. | Category A or B retirement pension. | 11.35 | _ | |
| 6. | Category C retirement pension. | 11.35 | _ | |
| 8. | Severe disablement allowance. | 11.35 | 39.75 | |
| 9. | Carer's allowance. | 11.35 | _ | |

PART V RATE OF INDUSTRIAL INJURIES BENEFIT

| | Description of be | enefit, etc | • | Rate |
|----|---------------------|-------------|---------|--|
| 1. | Disablement rates). | pension | (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 of disablement | Amount |
|--------------------------|--------|
| (1) | (2) |
| Per cent. | £ |
| 100 | 182.00 |
| 90 | 163.80 |
| 80 | 145.60 |
| 70 | 127-40 |
| 60 | 109·20 |
| 50 | 91.00 |
| 40 | 72.80 |
| 30 | 54.60 |
| 20 | 36.40 |

- 2. Maximum increase of weekly rate of disablement pension where constant attendance needed.
- (a) except in cases of exceptionally severe disablement £72.80
- (b) in any case of exceptionally severe

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| | Description of benefit, etc. | | Rate | |
|-----|--|------|--|-------------------|
| | | | disablement | £145·60 |
| 3. | Increase of weekly rate of disablement pension (exceptionally severe disablement). | £72 | 80 | |
| 4. | Maximum of aggregate of weekly benefit payable for successive accidents. | £182 | 2·00 | |
| 5. | Unemployability supplement under paragraph 2 of Schedule 7. | £112 | 2·55 | |
| 6. | Increase under paragraph 3 of Schedule 7 of weekly rate of | (a) | if on the qualifying date the under the age of 35 or if the | |
| | unemployability supplement. | | before 5th July 1948 | £23·30 |
| | | (b) | if head (a) above does not qualifying date the benef the age of 40 and he l pensionable age before | iciary was under |
| | | | 6th April 1979 | £23·30 |
| | | (c) | if heads (a) and (b) above on the qualifying date the | |
| | | | under the age of 45 | £14·90 |
| | | (d) | if heads (a), (b) and (c) ab and on the qualifying dat was under the age of 50 and pensionable age before | e the beneficiary |
| | | | 6th April 1979 | £14·90 |
| | | (e) | in any other case | £7·45 |
| 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. | | 25 | |
| 9. | Maximum disablement gratuity under paragraph 9 of Schedule 7. | £12, | 080-00 | |
| 10. | Widow's pension (weekly rates). | (b) | higher permanent rate | £134·25 |
| | | (c) | lower permanent rate | 30 per cent. |
| | | | of the first sum specified (Category A basic retirem | |

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| | Description of benefit, etc. | Rate |
|-----|---|---|
| | | (the appropriate rate being determined in accordance with paragraph 16 of Schedule 7) |
| 11. | Widower's pension (weekly rate). | £134·25 |
| 12. | Weekly rate of allowance in respect of children and qualifying young persons under paragraph 18 of Schedule 7. | In respect of each child or qualifying young person £11·35.] |

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