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(Transfer of Functions, etc.) Act 1999 (c.2)*

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SOCIAL SECURITY CONTRIBUTIONS (TRANSFER OF FUNCTIONS, ETC.) ACT 1999

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Social Security Contributions and Benefits Act 1992 (CBA)

Social Security Administration Act 1992 (SSAA 1992)

Pension Schemes Act 1993 (PSA)

Statutory Sick Pay Act 1994

Jobseekers Act 1995

Pensions Act 1995

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Social Security Contributions and Benefits Act 1992 (CBA)

Social Security Administration Act 1992 (SSAA)

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Taxes Management Act 1970 (TMA)

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