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- 5. Subject to paragraph 6, where a claimant satisfies the conditions...
- 6. (1) Subject to sub-paragraph (2), the following premiums, namely—
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- 2. In the case of a claimant who, before the date...
- 3. (1) In a case to which this paragraph applies and...
- 4. In a case where the claimant is a lone parent,...
- 5. (1) In a case to which neither paragraph 3 nor...
- 6. Where the carer premium is awarded in respect of a...
- 7. In a case where paragraphs 3, 5, 6 and 8...

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- 8. (1) In a case where paragraphs 3, 4, 5 and...
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- 10. In a case to which none of the paragraphs 3...
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- 12. Where a claimant is on income support or an income-based...
- 13. Any earnings derived from employment which are payable in a...
- 14. Where a payment of earnings is made in a currency...
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- 16. (1) In a case where the claimant is a person...
- 17. In this Schedule "part-time employment" means employment in which the...

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- 8. Any concessionary payment made to compensate for the non-payment of
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- 14. (1) Any payment made pursuant to section 2 of the...
- 15. (1) Subject to sub-paragraph (2), any of the following payments—...
- 16. Subject to paragraph 35, £10 of any of the following,...
- 17. Subject to paragraph 35, £15 of any—
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- 20. (1) Where the claimant is the parent of a student...
- 21. Any payment made to the claimant by a child or...
- 22. Where the claimant occupies a dwelling as his home and...
- 23. (1) Where the claimant occupies a dwelling as his home...
- 24. (1) Any income in kind, except where regulation 30(11)(b) (provision...
- 25. Any income which is payable in a country outside the...
- 26. (1) Any payment made to the claimant in respect of...
- 27. Any payment made by a local authority to the claimant...
- 28. Any payment made to the claimant or his partner for...
- 29. Any payment made by a local authority in accordance with...
- 30. (1) Subject to sub-paragraph (2), any payment received under an...
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- 32. Any social fund payment made pursuant to Part 8 of...
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- 35. The total of a claimant's income or, if he is...
- 36. (1) Any payment made under any of the Trusts, the...
- 37. Any housing benefit.
- 38. Any payment made by the Secretary of State to compensate...

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- 40. Any resettlement benefit which is paid to the claimant by...
- 41. Any payment to a juror or witness in respect of...
- 42. Any community charge benefit.
- 43. Any payment in consequence of a reduction of council tax...
- 44. Any special war widows payment made under—
- 45. (1) Any payment or repayment made—(a) as respects England...
- 46. Any payment made under regulation 6, 8, 12 or 14(2)...
- 47. Any payment made by either the Secretary of State for...
- 48. (1) Where a claimant's applicable amount includes an amount by...
- 49. Any payment made by the Secretary of State to compensate...
- 50. Any payment (other than a training allowance) made, whether by...
- 51. Any guardian's allowance.
- 52. (1) Where the claimant is in receipt of any benefit...
- 53. Any supplementary pension under article 29(1A) of the Naval, Military...
- 54. In the case of a pension awarded at the supplementary...
- 55. (1) Any payment which is— (a) made under any of...
- 56. Except in a case which falls under sub-paragraph (1) of...
- 57. Any payment made under the Community Care (Direct Payments) Act...
- 58. (1) Subject to sub-paragraph (2), in respect of a person...
- 59. (1) Any payment of a sports award except to the...
- 60. Where the amount of subsistence allowance paid to a person...
- 61. In the case of a claimant participating in an employment...
- 62. Any discretionary housing payment paid pursuant to regulation 2(1) of...
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- 64. Where a claimant receives income under an annuity purchased with...

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- 1. The dwelling together with any garage, garden and outbuildings, normally...
- 2. Any premises acquired for occupation by the claimant which he...
- 3. Any sum directly attributable to the proceeds of sale of...
- 4. Any premises occupied in whole or in part—
- 5. Where a claimant is on income support or an income-based...
- 6. Where the claimant is a member of a joint-claim couple...
- 7. Any future interest in property of any kind, other than...
- 8. (1) The assets of any business owned in whole or...
- 9. (1) Subject to sub-paragraph (2), any arrears of, or any...
- 10. Any sum— (a) paid to the claimant in consequence of...
- 11. Any sum— (a) deposited with a housing association as defined...
- 12. Any personal possessions except those which have been acquired by...
- 13. The value of the right to receive any income under...
- 14. Where the funds of a trust are derived from a...
- 14A (1) Any payment made to the claimant or the claimant's...
- 15. The value of the right to receive any income under...
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- 18. Where any payment of capital falls to be made by...
- 19. Any payment made by a local authority in accordance with...
- 20. Any social fund payment made pursuant to Part 8 of...
- 21. Any refund of tax which falls to be deducted under...
- 22. Any capital which by virtue of regulation 31 or 51...
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- 29. Any payment made by the Secretary of State to compensate...
- 30. Any payment made by the Secretary of State to compensate...
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- 34. Any payment in kind made by a charity or under...
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- 36. Any community charge benefit.
- 37. Any payment in consequence of a reduction of council tax...
- 38. Any grant made in accordance with a scheme made under...
- 39. Any arrears of special war widows payment which is disregarded...
- 40. (1) Any payment or repayment made—(a) as respects England,...
- 41. Any payment made under regulation 6, 8, 12 or 14(2)...
- 42. Any payment made either by the Secretary of State for...
- 43. Any payment (other than a training allowance) made, whether by...
- 44. Any payment made by the Secretary of State to compensate...
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- 47. (1) Any sum of capital to which sub-paragraph (2) applies...
- 48. Any sum of capital administered on behalf of a person...
- 49. Any payment to the claimant as holder of the Victoria...
- 50. The amount of any child maintenance bonus payable by way...
- 51. In the case of a person who is receiving, or...
- 52. (1) Any payment of a sports award for a period...
- 53. (1) Any payment— (a) by way of an education maintenance...
- 54. In the case of a claimant participating in an employment...
- 55. Any arrears of subsistence allowance paid as a lump sum...
- 56. Where an ex-gratia payment of £10,000 has been made by...
- 57. (1) Subject to sub-paragraph (2), the amount of any trust...
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- 59. (1) Any payment made by a local authority, or by...
- 60. Any payment made under the Community Care (Direct Payments) Act...
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SCHEDULE 7 — Extended payments (severe disablement allowance and incapacity benefit) of council tax benefit

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- 3. Every decision notice shall include a statement as to the...
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- 5. Every decision notice following an application for a revision in...
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