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2015 CHAPTER 5

PART 5

BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT PAYMENT

Bereavement support payment: prisoners

31.—(1) The Department may by regulations provide that a person is not to be paid bereavement support payment for any period during which the person is a prisoner.

- (2) “Prisoner” means a person (in Northern Ireland or elsewhere) who is—
- (a) imprisoned or detained in legal custody, or
 - (b) unlawfully at large.

(3) In the case of a person remanded in custody for an offence, regulations under subsection (1) may be made so as to apply only if a sentence of a specified description is later imposed on the person for the offence.

Commencement Information

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