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WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION

Supplementation

REGULATIONS, DATED 19TH JUNE 1974, MADE BY THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES, WITH THE CONSENT OF THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, UNDER THE WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION (SUPPLEMENTATION) MEASURES (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1966 TO 1974.

The Department of Health and Social Services, with the consent of the Department of Finance, in exercise of powers conferred by section 2 of the Workmen's Compensation (Supplementation) Act (Northern Ireland) 1966(a), and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following regulations being regulations subject to negative resolution in accordance with section 80(2) of the National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) Act (Northern Ireland) 1966(b) as applied by section 9 of the first-mentioned Act:

Citation and commencement

1. These regulations, which may be cited as the Workmen's Compensation (Supplementation) Amendment Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1974, shall be read as one with the Workmen's Compensation (Supplementation) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1966(c) (hereinafter referred to as "the principal regulations") and shall come into operation on 24th July 1974.

Amendment of regulation 10 of the principal regulations

2. In paragraph (a)(iii) of regulation 10 of the principal regulations (allowances in respect of two or more different injuries or diseases) for the sum "£4.70" there shall be substituted the sum "£6.05".

Substitution of Schedule 1 to the principal regulations

3. For Schedule 1 to the principal regulations there shall be substituted the Schedule set out in the Schedule to these regulations.

Transitional provision

4. Where a lesser incapacity allowance has been awarded to a person under the principal regulations before 24th July 1974 and a question arises as to the weekly rate of that allowance payable in consequence of these regulations, the case shall be reviewed by the Department in the light of the amendments made by these regulations and the allowance shall continue to be payable at the weekly rate specified in the award until the question shall have been determined in accordance with the provisions of the principal regulations.

(a) 1966. c. 14 (N.I.).

(b) 1966. c. 9 (N.I.).

(c) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1966, No. 105 as amended by S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1967, No. 265; 1969, No. 236; 1970, No. 15; 1971, No. 245; 1972, No. 208 and 1973, No. 291.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland this 19th day of June 1974.

(L.S.)

C. G. Oakes,
Assistant Secretary.

The Department of Finance hereby consents to these regulations.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Finance for Northern Ireland this 19th day of June 1974.

(L.S.)

C. F. Darling,
Assistant Secretary.

SCHEDULE

Regulation 3

Schedule to be substituted for Schedule 1 to the principal regulations

SCHEDULE 1

Regulation 5

<i>Loss of earnings</i>	<i>Rate of lesser incapacity allowance</i>
£	£
0.49½	0.15
0.99½	0.30
1.74½	0.45
2.49½	0.60
3.24½	0.85
3.99½	1.10
4.74½	1.35
5.49½	1.75
6.24½	2.15
6.99½	2.55
7.74½	2.95
8.49½	3.35
9.24½	4.10
9.99½	4.85
10.74½	5.60
10.75	6.05

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the regulations, but is intended to indicate their general purport.)

These regulations amend the Workmen's Compensation (Supplementation) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1966 so as to give effect to section 3(2) of the National Insurance Measure (Northern Ireland) 1974 by increasing the weekly rate of lesser incapacity allowance payable in certain circumstances.