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SOCIAL SECURITY

The Social Security (Unemployment, Sickness and Invalidity Benefit) (Amendment No. 2) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1978

Made 4th May 1978

Coming into operation 15th May 1978

The Department of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by section 17(2)(a) of the Social Security (Northern Ireland) Act 1975(a) and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following regulations:

Citation and commencement

1. These regulations, which may be cited as the Social Security (Unemployment, Sickness and Invalidity Benefit) (Amendment No. 2) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1978, shall be read as one with the Social Security (Unemployment, Sickness and Invalidity Benefit) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1975(b), as amended(c), and shall come into operation on 15th May 1978.

Amendment of regulation 7 of the Social Security (Unemployment, Sickness and Invalidity Benefit) Regulations

2. Regulation 7 of the Social Security (Unemployment, Sickness and Invalidity Benefit) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1975 (days not to be treated as days of unemployment or incapacity for work) shall be amended by the insertion, after sub-paragraph (l) of paragraph (1) of that regulation, of the following sub-paragraph:

“(m) a day shall not be treated as a day of unemployment if it is a day in respect of which a person whose employment as such has not been terminated receives a payment by virtue of any scheme for making payments to employers set up by the Department of Manpower Services under section 1(2) of the Employment Subsidies Act 1978(d) (schemes for financing employment).”

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland on 4th May 1978.

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W. J. Sloane

Assistant Secretary

(a) 1975 c. 15

(b) S.R. 1975 No. 86 (I, p. 504)

(c) The relevant amending regulations are S.R. 1976 No. 247 (II, p. 1173) and S.R. 1977 No. 25

(d) 1978 c. 6

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These regulations further amend the Social Security (Unemployment, Sickness and Invalidity Benefit) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1975 so as to provide that a day in respect of which a person, whose employment as such has not been terminated, receives a payment by virtue of a scheme set up by the Department of Manpower Services under section 1(2) of the Employment Subsidies Act 1978 is not to be treated as a day of unemployment.