

1979 No. 45

## FAMILY INCOME SUPPLEMENTS

**The Family Income Supplements (General) (Amendment) Regulations  
(Northern Ireland) 1979***Made* . . . . . 21st February 1979*Coming into operation* . . . . . 3rd April 1979

The Department(a) of Health and Social Services, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by section 10(2)(a) of the Family Income Supplements Act (Northern Ireland) 1971(b) and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following regulations:

*Citation and commencement*

1. These regulations may be cited as the Family Income Supplements (General) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1979 and shall come into operation on 3rd April 1979.

*Amendment of regulation 5 of the Family Income Supplements (General) Regulations*

2. Regulation 5 of the Family Income Supplements (General) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1971(c) (circumstances in which a person is to be treated as being or as not being engaged and normally engaged in remunerative full-time work) shall be amended as follows—

(a) at the beginning there shall be inserted “(1) Subject to the provisions of the next succeeding paragraph”; and

(b) at the end there shall be inserted the following paragraph—

“(2) In any case where no member is included in a family by virtue of section 1(1)(b) of the Act, the preceding paragraph shall be read as if ‘twenty-four hours’ were substituted for ‘thirty hours’”.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland on 21st February 1979.

(L.S.)

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Senior Assistant Secretary

(a) Formerly Ministry: see 1973 c. 36 Sch. 5 para. 8(1)

(b) 1971 c. 8 (N.I.)

(c) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1971 No. 122 (p. 605), as amended by regulation 2 of S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1972 No. 22 (p. 85) and regulation 2(2) of S.R. 1977 No. 60 (I, p. 189)

## EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These regulations amend regulation 5 of the Family Income Supplements (General) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1971 to provide that for the purposes of section 1(1)(a) of the Family Income Supplements Act (Northern Ireland) 1971 a single person with at least one dependent child is treated as being engaged and normally engaged in remunerative full-time work if he is engaged and normally engaged in remunerative work for not less than twenty-four hours per week.

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This Order has been exempted from printing by the Statutory Rules Act (Northern Ireland) 1958. A summary is given in the List of Statutory Rules of a Local Character under the heading ROAD TRAFFIC AND VEHICLES.