

1980 No. 405

SOCIAL SECURITY

The Social Security (Categorisation of Earners) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1980

Made 11th November 1980

Coming into operation 15th December 1980

The Department of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by section 2(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, commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) These regulations may be cited as the Social Security (Categorisation of Earners) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1980 and shall come into operation on 15th December 1980.

(2) In these regulations “the principal regulations” means the Social Security (Categorisation of Earners) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1978(b).

Insertion of new paragraphs 11 and 12 in Part III of Schedule 1 to the principal regulations

2. After paragraph 10 in Part III of Schedule 1 to the principal regulations there shall be inserted the following paragraphs—

(a) in column (A)—

“11. Employment:

(a) as a member of the naval, military or air forces of a country to which a provision of the Visiting Forces Act 1952(c) applies by virtue of section 1 thereof; or

(b) as a civilian by any such force.

12. Employment as a member of any international headquarters or defence organisation designated under section 1 of the International Headquarters and Defence Organisations Act 1964(d).”;

(b) in column (B)—

“11. Any employment described in paragraph 11(b) in column (A) of a person who is ordinarily resident in the United Kingdom.

12. Any employment described in paragraph 12 in column (A) of a person who is—

(a) a serving member of the regular naval, military or air forces of the Crown raised in the United Kingdom and any officer of the Brigade of Gurkhas holding Her Majesty’s commission who is not a Queen’s Gurkha officer; or

(a) 1975 c. 15

(b) S.R. 1978 No. 401 (II, p. 1474)

(c) 1952 c. 67

(d) 1964 c. 5

- (b) a civilian ordinarily resident in the United Kingdom who is not a member of a pension scheme established under arrangements made by the international headquarters or, as the case may be, defence organisation of which he is a member.'':

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland on 11th November 1980.

(L.S.)

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Assistant Secretary

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These regulations amend the Social Security (Categorisation of Earners) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1978. They add new provisions which disregard for contribution purposes employment in, or as a civilian by, a Visiting Force to which a provision of the Visiting Forces Act 1952 applies except where the civilian is ordinarily resident in the United Kingdom; and employment as a member of an international headquarters or defence organisation designated under the International Headquarters and Defence Organisations Act 1964 except where the member is serving in Her Majesty's regular forces, or is a civilian ordinarily resident in the United Kingdom who is not a member of the pension scheme of the headquarters or organisation.