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FAMILY INCOME SUPPLEMENTS

The Family Income Supplements (Computation)
Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1981

Made 7th August 1981
Coming into operation 24th November 1981

The Department(a) of Health and Social Services, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by sections 2(1) and 3(1) and (1A) 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 (Computation) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1981 and shall come into operation on 24th November 1981.

Prescribed amount

2. The prescribed amount for any family for the purposes of section 2 of the Family Income Supplements Act (Northern Ireland) 1971 shall be—

- (a) if the family includes only one child, £74·00; and
- (b) if the family includes more than one child, £74·00 plus £8·00 for each child additional to the first.

Maximum amount of family income supplement

3. The weekly rate of family income supplement shall not exceed—

- (a) if the family includes only one child, £18·50; and
- (b) if the family includes more than one child, £18·50 plus £1·50 for each child additional to the first.

Revocation

4. The Family Income Supplements (Computation) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1980(c) are hereby revoked.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland on 7th August 1981.

(L.S.)

T. S. Martin

Assistant Secretary

(a) Formerly Ministry: *see* 1973 c. 36 Sch. 5 para. 8(1)
 (b) 1971 c. 8 (N.I.); section 2(1) was amended by para. 5 and section 3 was amended by para. 6 of Sch. 4 to the Child Benefit (Northern Ireland) Order 1975 (S.I. 1975/1504 (N.I. 16))
 (c) S.R. 1980 No. 275

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations.)

These regulations specify the prescribed amount for any family and the weekly rate of benefit under the Family Income Supplements Act (Northern Ireland) 1971 in accordance with amendments made to that Act by the Child Benefit (Northern Ireland) Order 1975 which require the prescribed amount and the weekly rate of benefit to be specified in regulations. The regulations also revoke the Family Income Supplements (Computation) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1980.