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SOCIAL SECURITY

The Social Security (Introduction of Disability Living Allowance) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1993

The Department of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by section 5(1)(j) of the Social Security Administration (Northern Ireland) Act $1992(\mathbf{a})$ and paragraph 21(1) and (2)(d) and (e) of Schedule 3 to the Social Security (Consequential Provisions) (Northern Ireland) Act $1992(\mathbf{b})$ 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 Social Security (Introduction of Disability Living Allowance) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1993 and shall come into operation on 1st April 1993.

Amendment of the Social Security (Introduction of Disability Living Allowance) Regulations

- 2.—(1) The Social Security (Introduction of Disability Living Allowance) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1992(c) shall be amended in accordance with paragraphs (2) and (3) of this regulation.
- (2) In regulation 13 (treatment of two awards of disability living allowance)—
 - (a) in paragraph (1)—
 - (i) for "4th April 1993" there shall be substituted "26th December 1993", and
 - (ii) for "5th April 1993", in each place where it occurs, there shall be substituted "27th December 1993";
 - (b) in paragraph (2) for "5th April 1993", in each place where it occurs, there shall be substituted "27th December 1993".
 - (3) In regulation 26 (payments of disability living allowance)—
 - (a) in paragraphs (3), (9) and (10) for "6th April 1993" there shall be substituted "28th December 1993", and
 - (b) in paragraph (13) for "5th April 1993" there shall be substituted "27th December 1993".

⁽a) 1992 c. 8

⁽b) 1992 c. 9

⁽c) S.R. 1992 No. 38; to which there are amendments not relevant to these regulations

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland on 3rd March 1993.

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EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations.)

These regulations further amend the Social Security (Introduction of Disability Living Allowance) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1992 by extending the period within which the transition from mobility allowance and attendance allowance to the two components of disability living allowance is to be effected.

These regulations make in relation to Northern Ireland only provision corresponding to provision contained in regulations made by the Secretary of State for Social Security in relation to Great Britain and accordingly, by virtue of section 149(3) of, and paragraph 10 of Schedule 5 to, the Social Security Administration (Northern Ireland) Act 1992 (c. 8), are not subject to the requirement of section 149(2) of that Act for prior reference to the Social Security Advisory Committee.