

## 1995 No. 62

## PENSIONS

**The Guaranteed Minimum Pensions Increase Order  
(Northern Ireland) 1995**

*Made* . . . . . 2nd March 1995

*Coming into operation* . . . . . 6th April 1995

Whereas the Secretary of State for Social Security has made an order(a) under section 109(4) of the Pension Schemes Act 1993(b):

Now, therefore, the Department of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by section 105 of the Pension Schemes (Northern Ireland) Act 1993(c) and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following order:

*Citation, commencement and interpretation*

1.—(1) This order may be cited as the Guaranteed Minimum Pensions Increase Order (Northern Ireland) 1995 and shall come into operation on 6th April 1995.

(2) The Interpretation Act (Northern Ireland) 1954(d) shall apply to this order as it applies to a Measure of the Assembly.

*Increase of guaranteed minimum pensions*

2. For the purposes of section 105(1) of the Pension Schemes (Northern Ireland) Act 1993 the percentage by which there is to be an increase in the rate of that part of any guaranteed minimum pension which is attributable to earnings factors for the tax year 1988-89 and subsequent tax years shall be 2.2 per cent.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland on 2nd March 1995.

(L.S.)

W. G. Purdy

Assistant Secretary

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(a) S.I. 1995/515

(b) 1993 c. 48

(c) 1993 c. 49

(d) 1954 c. 33 (N.I.)

## EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This note is not part of the Order.)*

This order, which corresponds to an order (S.I. 1995/515) made by the Secretary of State for Social Security under section 109(4) of the Pension Schemes Act 1993, specifies 2.2 per cent. as the percentage by which that part of any guaranteed minimum pension attributable to earnings factors for the tax year 1988-89 and subsequent years and payable by occupational pension schemes is to be increased.

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**1995 No. 63****Medicines (Advisory Board on the Registration of Homoeopathic Products) Order 1995**

This Order has been made by the Secretary of State concerned with health in England, the Secretaries of State respectively concerned with health and with agriculture in Scotland and in Wales, the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food, the Department of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland, and the Department of Agriculture for Northern Ireland, acting jointly, in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 4 and 129(4) of the Medicines Act 1968.

In pursuance of paragraph 11 of Schedule 4 to that Act this Order has been registered as a Northern Ireland statutory rule under the Statutory Rules (Northern Ireland) Order 1979. It is printed in full in the volume of United Kingdom Statutory Instruments for 1995 and has been numbered 309 in that series.