
STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

2002 No. 74

The Occupational Pension Schemes (Winding Up Notices and Reports, etc.) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2002

Citation, commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Occupational Pension Schemes (Winding Up Notices and Reports, etc.) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2002 and shall come into operation on 1st April 2002.

(2) In these Regulations—

“member”, “deferred member” and “pensioner member” have the meanings given in Article 121(1)(1), subject to the provision made by regulations 5(3) and 10(3);

“small self-administered scheme” has the meaning given in regulation 2(1) of the Retirement Benefits Schemes (Restriction on Discretion to Approve) (Small Self-administered Schemes) Regulations 1991(2).

(3) Subject to paragraph (4), the Interpretation Act (Northern Ireland) 1954(3) shall apply to these Regulations as it applies to an Act of the Assembly.

(4) For the purposes of these Regulations and notwithstanding section 39(2) of the Interpretation Act (Northern Ireland) 1954, where a period of time is expressed to begin on, or to be reckoned from, a particular day, that day shall be included in the period.

(5) In these Regulations any reference to a numbered Article is a reference to the Article of the Pensions (Northern Ireland) Order 1995 bearing that number.

(1) Definition of “member” was amended by paragraph 50(2) of Schedule 9 to the Welfare Reform and Pensions (Northern Ireland) Order 1999 (S.I. 1999/3147 (N.I. 11)); definition of “pensioner member” was amended by paragraph 5(3) of Schedule 5 to the Child Support, Pensions and Social Security Act (Northern Ireland) 2000

(2) S.I. 1991/1614; definition of “small self-administered scheme” was amended by regulation 3(b) of S.I. 1998/728 and regulation 2(5) of S.I. 2000/1086

(3) 1954 c. 33 (N.I.)