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STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

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**2006 No. 407**

**HOUSING; RATES; SOCIAL SECURITY**

**The Housing Benefit (Consequential Provisions) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2006**

*Made - - - - 12th October 2006*

*Coming into operation 20th November 2006*

The Department for Social Development makes the following Regulations in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 122(1)(d), 129(2), (3) and (4), 130, 131(1), (2) and (6), 132, 132A(3) and (4) (a), 133(2) and 171(1) and (3) to (5) of the Social Security Contributions and Benefits (Northern Ireland) Act 1992(1), sections 1(1) and 1(C), 5(1)(a) to (d) and (g) to (t) and (5), 73, 107, 119A, 126(4) and (5) and 165(1) and (4) to (6) of the Social Security Administration (Northern Ireland) Act 1992(2) and Articles 34 and 74(1) and (3) of the Social Security (Northern Ireland) Order 1998(3), and now vested in it(4):

These Regulations are made with the consent of the Department of Finance and Personnel(5).

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- (1) [1992 c. 7](#); section 129(2) was amended, and section 129(2A) was inserted, by Article 8(2) of the Housing Support Services (Northern Ireland) Order 2002 ([S.I. 2002/3154 \(N.I. 8\)](#)); section 132A was inserted by paragraph 3 of Schedule 2 to the State Pension Credit Act (Northern Ireland) 2002 ([c. 14](#)); section 133(2) was amended by paragraph 18(3) of Schedule 2 to the Jobseekers (Northern Ireland) Order 1995 ([S.I. 1995/2705 \(N.I. 15\)](#)) and section 171(1) was amended by paragraph 5 of Schedule 4 to the Tax Credits Act 2002 ([c. 21](#))
  - (2) [1992 c. 8](#); section 1(1C) was inserted by Article 18 of the Social Security Administration (Fraud) (Northern Ireland) Order 1997 ([S.I. 1997/1182 \(N.I. 11\)](#)); in section 5 subsection (1) was amended by Article 3(1) of the Social Security (Amendment) (Northern Ireland) Order 1993 ([S.I. 1993/1579 \(N.I. 8\)](#)), Article 70 of, and Schedule 7 to, the Social Security (Northern Ireland) Order 1998 ([S.I. 1998/1506 \(N.I. 10\)](#)) and paragraph 21 of Schedule 7 to the [Child Support, Pensions and Social Security Act \(Northern Ireland\) 2000 \(c. 4 \(N.I.\)\)](#) and subsection (5) was inserted by Article 3(1) of the Housing Benefit (Payment to Third Parties) (Northern Ireland) Order 1996 ([S.I. 1996/2597 \(N.I. 20\)](#)); section 73 was amended by Article 15 of, and paragraph 2 of Schedule 1 and Schedule 2 to, the Social Security Administration (Fraud) (Northern Ireland) Order 1997 and section 62 of the Child Support, Pensions and Social Security Act (Northern Ireland) 2000; section 107 was substituted by Article 56 of the Social Security (Northern Ireland) Order 1998 and amended by paragraph 5 of Schedule 4 to the Social Security Contributions (Transfer of Functions, etc.) (Northern Ireland) Order 1999 ([S.I. 1999/671](#)) and paragraph 7 of Schedule 6 to the Child Support, Pensions and Social Security Act (Northern Ireland) 2000; section 119A was inserted by Article 10 of the Social Security Administration (Fraud) (Northern Ireland) Order 1997 and in section 165 subsection (1) was amended by paragraph 49(2) of Schedule 3 to the Social Security Contributions (Transfer of Functions, etc.) (Northern Ireland) Order 1999 and subsection (6) was amended by Schedule 7 to the Social Security (Northern Ireland) Order 1998
  - (3) [S.I. 1998/1506 \(N.I. 10\)](#); Article 34 was amended by Schedule 9 to the Child Support, Pensions and Social Security Act (Northern Ireland) 2000 and paragraph 30 of Schedule 2 to the [State Pension Credit Act \(Northern Ireland\) 2002 \(c. 14 \(N.I.\)\)](#) and Article 74(1) was amended by paragraph 17(2) of Schedule 4 to the Tax Credits Act 2002
  - (4) See Article 8(b) of [S.R. 1999 No. 481](#)
  - (5) See section 171(6A) of the Social Security Contributions and Benefits (Northern Ireland) Act 1992 as inserted by Article 3(3) of the Social Security (Amendment) (Northern Ireland) Order 1993; see also Article 6(b) of [S.R. 1999 No. 481](#)