
STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

2006 No. 410

The Health and Personal Social Services
(Superannuation Scheme, Injury Benefits
and Additional Voluntary Contributions)
(Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2006

Amendment of regulation 32 of the Superannuation Scheme Regulations

11.—(1) Regulation 32 of the Superannuation Scheme Regulations (Dependent child) is amended in accordance with this regulation.

(2) In paragraphs 3(b), (c) and (d) and paragraph (4), after “aged 17 or over” insert “but has not reached the age of 23”.

(3) After paragraph (3)(d), insert—
“or

(e) or aged 17 or over but has not reached the age of 23 and is incapable of earning a living because of permanent physical or mental infirmity from which he started to suffer whilst qualifying as a dependent child; but such a person will only be treated as a dependent child for so much of the period commencing with the day on which he attains the age of 17 and ending immediately before the day on which he attains the age of 23, during which he remains incapable of earning a living.”.

(4) In paragraph (6), omit “or from which he started to suffer whilst qualifying as a dependent child”.

(5) After paragraph (6), insert—

“(7) Where—

(a) a dependent child became entitled to a child allowance under regulation 33 (Payment of allowance) before 6th April 2006; or

(b) the dependency of a child born on, or before, 5th April 2007 is to be assessed in respect of a person who became entitled to a pension under regulations 12 to 16 (Benefits) or 49 (Preserved pension) before 6th April 2006,

paragraphs (3)(b), (c) and (d) and paragraph (4) shall be read as if they did not include the words “but has not reached the age of 23”, paragraph (3)(e) shall not apply and paragraph (6) shall be read as if it included the words “or from which he started to suffer whilst qualifying as a dependent child” after the words “the member died”.”.