
STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

2010 No. 82

**The Social Security (Contributions Credits for Parents
and Carers) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2010**

PART 3

Applications

Applications: carers for 20 or more hours per week

10.—(1) A person shall not be entitled to be credited with Class 3 contributions under section 23A(3)(c) by virtue of regulation 5(1)(b) unless an application to be so credited is received by the Department.

(2) Paragraph (1) does not apply where that person is a married woman who is not entitled to be credited with contributions under paragraph (1) of regulation 7A of the Social Security (Credits) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1975⁽¹⁾ (credits for carer's allowance) by virtue of paragraph (2)(b) of that regulation (reduced contribution rate election under regulations under section 19(4)).

(1) S.R. 1975 No. 113; regulation 7A was inserted by regulation 19 of S.R. 1976 No. 99 and amended by regulation 2(2) of S.R. 1978 No. 77, regulation 6 of S.R. 1987 No. 153, regulation 2(5)(c) of S.R. 1988 No. 326, regulation 2(4) of S.R. 1996 No. 430, regulation 3(5)(b) of S.R. 2001 No. 108, regulation 2(3) of S.R. 2002 No. 80, paragraph 1(a) of the Schedule to S.R. 2002 No. 323 and paragraph 4(2) of Schedule 3 to S.R. 2005 No. 536