

This Statutory Rule corrects defects in [S.R. 1996 No. 198](#), [S.R. 2016 No. 216](#) and [S.R. 2016 No. 226](#) and is being issued free of charge to all known recipients of those Statutory Rules.

STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

2018 No. 187

SOCIAL SECURITY

The Universal Credit and Jobseeker's Allowance (Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2018

Made - - - - 30th October 2018
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Coming into operation in accordance with regulation 1(2) and (3)

The Secretary of State for Work and Pensions makes the following Regulations in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 122(1)(a), 131(1), 132(3) and (4)(b), 133(1) and 171(1) and (3) of the Social Security Contributions and Benefits (Northern Ireland) Act 1992(1), Articles 2(2), 6(5) and 14(1) and (4)(b) of the Jobseekers (Northern Ireland) Order 1995(2), and Articles 15(4), 16(4) and (5)(a), and 48(1) and (2) of, paragraphs 4(1) and (3) of Schedule 1 and paragraph 1(1) of Schedule 6 to, the Welfare Reform (Northern Ireland) Order 2015(3).

Those powers are exercisable by the Secretary of State by virtue of Article 4(1)(a) and (b) of the Welfare Reform (Northern Ireland) Order 2015.

(1) [1992 c. 7](#); section 133(1) is cited for the meaning of “prescribed”; section 171(1) was amended by paragraph 5 of Schedule 4 to the Tax Credits Act [2002 \(c. 21\)](#).
(2) [S.I. 1995/2705 \(N.I. 15\)](#); Article 2(2) is cited for the meaning of “prescribed” and “regulations”. Functions under [S.I. 1995/2705 \(N.I. 15\)](#) were transferred to the Department for Communities by virtue of Article 8(b) of [S.R. 1999 No. 481](#) and section 1(7) of the Departments Act (Northern Ireland) [2016 \(c.5 \(N.I.\)\)](#).
(3) [S.I. 2015/2006](#); Article 15(4) was amended by Article 10(4) of [S.I. 2016/999 \(N.I. 1\)](#).