

Penicillin

Injections of Procaine Benzylpenicillin, whether or not containing Benzylpenicillin
 Benzylpenicillin Injection, B.P.
 Benzylpenicillin Lozenges, B.P.C.
 Benzylpenicillin Tablets, B.P.
 Phenoxymethylpenicillin Capsules, B.P.
 Phenoxymethylpenicillin Mixture, B.N.F.
 Phenoxymethylpenicillin Tablets, B.P.

Sulphonamides

Sulphadimidine Mixture Paediatric, B.P.C.
 Tablets of any sulphonamide which are included in the Dental Practitioners' Formulary."

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Health and Social Services
 this 20th day of July 1966.

(L.S.)

Lancelot Browne,
 Assistant Secretary.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations, but is intended to indicate their general purport.)

These regulations amend the Health Services (General Dental Services) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1964 by providing a new list of prescribed drugs which a dentist may supply to or order for persons for whom he is providing general dental services.

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NATIONAL INSURANCE

Pensions, Existing Contributors

REGULATIONS, DATED 22ND JULY 1966, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES, IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE, UNDER THE NATIONAL INSURANCE ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1966.

The Ministry of Health and Social Services, in conjunction with the Ministry of Finance, in exercise of powers conferred by Schedule 9 paragraph 17 of the National Insurance Act (Northern Ireland) 1966(a), as extended by section 11(2) of the National Insurance (No. 2) Act (Northern Ireland) 1966(b), and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following regulations:

(a) 1966. c. 6 (N.I.).

(b) 1966. c. 16 (N.I.).

Citation and commencement

1. These regulations, which may be cited as the National Insurance (Pensions, Existing Contributors) (Transitional) Amendment Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1966, shall be read as one with the National Insurance (Pensions, Existing Contributors) (Transitional) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1948(a) (hereinafter referred to as "the principal regulations") and shall come into operation on 1st August 1966.

Amendment of regulation 8 of the principal regulations

2.—(1) Regulation 8(b) of the principal regulations (contributions under the Contributory Pensions Acts to be taken into account for the purposes of the Act) shall be further amended in accordance with the provisions of paragraphs (2) and (3).

(2) The provisions of regulation 8 shall be numbered paragraph (1), and at the end of the proviso to that paragraph there shall be added the words "and, for the purposes of any benefit for a woman by virtue of her husband's insurance, any such contribution paid after the date of the death of her husband shall be taken into account as if it had been paid before that date."

(3) The following paragraph shall be inserted after regulation 8(1):

"(2) The taking into account under the provisions of the proviso to paragraph (1) of any contribution for the purposes of any benefit for a woman by virtue of her husband's insurance, in any case where the husband has died on or after 1st August 1966, shall not affect the right to benefit or the rate of benefit payable for any period before the date on which the contribution is paid except that, if the contribution is paid within 6 months after the date of the death of the husband, the contribution shall be taken into account for the purposes of the right to benefit from the date of his death."

Amendment of regulation 8A of the principal regulations

3. For regulation 8A(c) of the principal regulations (election as to retirement pension by widow of existing pensions contributor), there shall be substituted the following regulation:

"Yearly average in the case of certain widows of existing pensions contributors"

8A.—(1) Where, in accordance with an election made by a widow under section 32(3) of the National Insurance Act (Northern Ireland) 1966 (which provides that where a woman, immediately before attaining pensionable age, is a widow, account may be taken of her husband's contributions for the purpose of her right to a retirement pension by virtue of her own insurance) a number of contributions equal to the yearly average (ascertained as at the date of her husband's attaining pensionable age or dying under that age) of the contributions paid by or credited to her husband is to be treated as having been paid by or credited to her for any period, that yearly average shall, if he was an existing pensions contributor, be—

(a) the yearly average (so ascertained) of the contributions which were required, or would have been required, to be taken into account for the purpose of his right to a retirement pension; or

(a) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1948, No. 129.

(b) See Part I of Sch. to S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1960, No. 123.

(c) See reg. 2 of S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1962, No. 31.

(b) the yearly average (so ascertained) of the contributions which were required, or would have been required, to be taken into account for the purpose of her right to widow's benefit, if that yearly average is the higher.

(2) In the case of a retirement pension for a widow by virtue of the insurance of her husband where he has died after she has attained pensionable age, the yearly average of the contributions paid by or credited to her husband shall, if he was an existing pensions contributor who was insured under the Contributory Pensions Acts for the purposes of widow's pensions, but not for the purposes of old age pensions, be—

(a) the yearly average ascertained as at the relevant time by reference to the contributions which were required, or would have been required, to be taken into account for the purpose of his right to a retirement pension; or

(b) the yearly average ascertained as at the relevant time by reference to the contributions which are required to be taken into account for the purpose of her right to a retirement pension by virtue of his insurance, if that yearly average is the higher."

Transitional provisions

4.—(1) These regulations shall apply to cases in which the husband died before, as well as to cases in which the husband died on or after, the date on which these regulations come into operation, but shall not operate to make benefit payable, or to increase the rate of benefit payable, for any period before that date.

(2) The taking into account of any contribution for the purposes of any benefit for a woman by virtue of her husband's insurance, in any case where the husband has died before 1st August 1966, shall not affect the right to benefit or the rate of benefit payable for any period before the date on which the contribution is paid, except that, if the contribution is paid within 6 months after 1st August 1966, the contribution shall be taken into account for the purposes of the right to benefit from that date.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland this 22nd day of July 1966.

(L.S.)

H. A. Lowry,
Assistant Secretary.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland this 22nd day of July 1966.

(L.S.)

R. R. Butler,
Assistant Secretary.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations, but is intended to indicate their general purport.)

These Regulations make certain changes in the contribution conditions for benefit for widows whose husbands were insured under the Widows', Orphans' and Old Age Contributory Pensions Acts (Northern Ireland) 1936 to 1946. They provide that contributions under those Acts may be taken into account for the purpose of benefit under the National Insurance Act (Northern Ireland) 1966 where they are paid after the death of the husband. They also authorise, in the case of retirement pension for widows, the calculation of the rate of pension in certain cases on the basis of the late husband's record as it stood for the purpose of his right to a retirement pension instead of his record for the purpose of his widow's right to benefit, if that calculation results in a higher rate of pension.

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ROAD TRAFFIC

Functions of Traffic Wardens

ORDER*, DATED 25TH MAY 1966, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS UNDER SECTION 23 OF THE ROAD TRAFFIC ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1964.

The Ministry of Home Affairs in exercise of the powers conferred upon it by section 23(1) of the Road Traffic Act (Northern Ireland) 1964(a) hereby makes the following Order:—

Citation and Commencement

1. This Order may be cited as the Road Traffic (Functions of Traffic Wardens) Order (Northern Ireland) 1966, and shall come into operation on 1st August, 1966.

Functions of Traffic Wardens

2. The functions set out in the Schedule are hereby prescribed as appropriate for discharge by traffic wardens.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland this 25th day of May 1966.

(L.S.)

J. W. E. Cathcart,
Assistant Secretary.

(a) 1964. c. 20 (N.I.).

*This Order was approved by a Resolution of the Senate on 5th July 1966 and by Resolution of the House of Commons on 29th June 1966.