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SCHEDULE

Boys

Plimsolls

Shorts and singlets

Bathing trunks

Football boots, jerseys and shorts

Spiked running shoes

Girls

Plimsolls

Sports blouses, shorts or knickers; or

Lightweight washable gymnastic dress and knickers

Bathing suits and caps

Hockey boots

Spiked running shoes

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

The purpose of these Regulations is to enable local education authorities to provide articles of Clothing for pupils of primary, intermediate or special schools suitable for the physical training of such pupils.

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NATIONAL INSURANCE

Earnings

Regulations^{*}, dated 1st May 1967, 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 section 43(a) of the National Insurance Act (Northern Ireland) 1966(a), and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following regulations:

Citation, commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) These regulations may be cited as the National Insurance (Earnings) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1967, and shall come into operation on 5th June 1967.

(2) In these regulations—

"the Act" means the National Insurance Act (Northern Ireland) 1966.

Relaxation of earnings rule in relation to retirement pension

2.-(1) Section 29(7) of the Act (reduction of retirement pension on account

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

*These Regulations were affirmed by a Resolution of each House of Parliament on 30th May 1967. of earnings) shall, as respects any week commencing on or after the coming into operation of these regulations, be amended in accordance with the provisions of paragraph (2) and shall accordingly, as respects any such week, have effect as set out in the Schedule.

(2) In the said subsection (7) for the words "five pounds" and "six pounds" there shall be substituted respectively the words "six pounds ten shillings" and "eight pounds ten shillings".

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland this 1st day of May 1967.

(L.S.)

H. A. Lowry, Assistant Secretary.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland this 1st day of May 1967.

(L.S.)

James V. Morrison, Assistant Secretary.

SCHEDULE

Regulation 2

Section 29(7) of the Act as amended*

(7) Subject to any regulations under section 43(a), where the earnings of a beneficiary who is less than five years over pensionable age have exceeded six pounds ten shillings for the calendar week ending last before any week for which he is entitled to a retirement pension, the weekly rate of his pension shall for the last-mentioned week be reduced by sixpence for each complete shilling of the excess and a further sixpence for each complete shilling by which the earnings have exceeded *eight pounds ten shillings*, but this subsection shall not affect the rate of the pension for the first week after the date of the beneficiary's retirement.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These Regulations provide that the amount of earnings which is disregarded for the purpose of reducing the weekly rate of a retirement pension on account of the beneficiary's earnings shall be increased from five pounds to six pounds ten shillings and that the reduction of benefit for earnings in excess of six pounds ten shillings shall be sixpence for each shilling of the first forty shillings of the excess and one shilling for each shilling thereafter.

*The words substituted by these regulations are shown in italics.

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