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NATIONAL INSURANCE

Classification

RÉGULATIONS, DATED 1ST DECEMBER 1970, 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 1(3) of the National Insurance Act (Northern Ireland) 1966(a), and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following regulations being regulations subject to negative resolution in accordance with section 101(3) of that Act:

Citation and commencement

1. These regulations, which may be cited as the National Insurance (Classification) Amendment (No. 3) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1970, shall be read as one with the National Insurance (Classification) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1948(b) (hereinafter referred to as "the principal regulations") and shall come into operation on 7th December 1970.

Amendment of the principal regulations

2. In Part II of Schedule 1(c) to the principal regulations (which Part sets out in column (A) employments in respect of which persons are treated as self-employed persons and in column (B) the persons excepted from the operation of column (A)), for paragraph 16A of column (A) (occasional employment in agriculture) there shall be substituted the following paragraph:

"16A. Occasional employment by any one employer involving planting or sowing, or picking, lifting, gathering, collecting or harvesting, as the case may be, plants or plant produce (including fruit, vegetables, flowers, grain, bulbs, potatoes or any other root crops), or involving any operation ancillary thereto."

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland this 1st day of December 1970.

(L.S.)

C. G. Oakes,
Assistant Secretary.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland this 1st day of December 1970.

(L.S.)

C. F. Darling,
Assistant Secretary.

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

(b) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1948, No. 222.

(c) See Sch. to S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1957, No. 270.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These regulations amend the National Insurance (Classification) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1948 by adding to the specified operations in agriculture where, subject to exceptions, occasional employment does not give rise to a liability for employed person's contributions for national insurance purposes.