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NATIONAL INSURANCE (INDUSTRIAL INJURIES)**Benefit**

REGULATIONS, DATED 5TH APRIL 1972, MADE BY THE INDUSTRIAL INJURIES JOINT AUTHORITY UNDER THE NATIONAL INSURANCE (INDUSTRIAL INJURIES) ACTS (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1966 TO 1971.

The Industrial Injuries Joint Authority, in exercise of powers conferred by section 34(1) of the National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) Act (Northern Ireland) 1966(a), and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, hereby make the following regulations being regulations subject to negative resolution in accordance with section 80(2) of that Act:

Citation and commencement

1. These regulations, which may be cited as the National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) (Benefit) Amendment Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1972, shall be read as one with the National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) (Benefit) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1969(b) (hereinafter referred to as "the principal regulations") and shall come into operation on 14th April 1972.

Amendment of the principal regulations

2. After regulation 14 of the principal regulations there shall be inserted the following regulation:

"Deeming benefit under the Act abated under section 17(1A) of the Supplementary Benefits &c. Act (Northern Ireland) 1966 to be a contribution for the maintenance of adult dependant or to the cost of providing for child

14A. Where for any period a person (in this regulation referred to as A) is entitled to, or to an increase in the amount of, any benefit mentioned in section 17(1)(b) of the Supplementary Benefits &c. Act (Northern Ireland) 1966(c) (benefit under the National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) Acts (Northern Ireland) 1966 to 1971) in respect of another person (in this regulation referred to as B) and the amount of, or of the increase in, any such benefit is abated under the provisions of section 17(1A)(d) of the said Act of 1966 (further provision for preventing duplication of supplementary and other benefits), then in determining for the purposes of Part II of the Act whether A is wholly or mainly maintaining, or is contributing at any weekly rate to the maintenance of, or is or has been contributing at any weekly rate to the cost of providing for, B, the amount by which such benefit for any week has been so abated shall be deemed to be a contribution of that amount for that week made by A for the maintenance of, or to the cost of providing for, B, as the case may be."

(a) 1966. c. 9 (N.I.).

(b) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1969, No. 8.

(c) 1966. c. 28 (N.I.).

(d) Added by S.3 of Social Security Act (Northern Ireland) 1971 (1971. c. 28 (N.I.)).

Given under the Official Seal of the Industrial Injuries Joint Authority
this 5th day of April 1972.

(L.S.)

F. B. Hindmarsh,

A person authorised by the Industrial Injuries Joint Authority to act on behalf of the Secretary, Industrial Injuries Joint Authority.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These regulations are made in consequence of section 3 of the Social Security Act (Northern Ireland) 1971 (extension of the provisions for the prevention of duplication of social security payments contained in section 17 of the Supplementary Benefits &c. Act (Northern Ireland) 1966).

The regulations provide that where benefit under the National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) Acts (Northern Ireland) 1966 to 1971 in respect of an adult dependant or a child is abated pursuant to the provisions of section 17(1A) of the Supplementary Benefits &c. Act (Northern Ireland) 1966, then the amount by which it is abated is to be deemed to be a contribution of that amount towards the maintenance of the adult dependant or the cost of providing for the child in question, as the case may be, for the purposes of Part II of the National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) Act (Northern Ireland) 1966.