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**2013 No.**

The Social Security (Payments on  
Account of Benefit) Regulations 2013

PART 2

Payments on account of benefit

**Bringing payments on account of benefit into account**

**10.** Where it is practicable to do so, a payment on account of benefit—

- (a) which was made in anticipation of an award of benefit, is to be offset by the Secretary of State against the sum payable to A under the award of benefit on account of which it was made;
- (b) whether or not made in anticipation of an award, which is not offset under paragraph (a), is to be deducted by the Secretary of State from—
  - (i) the sum payable to A under the award of benefit on account of which it was made; or
  - (ii) any sum payable under any subsequent award of that benefit to A.