#### DRAFT STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

## 2019 No.

# The Social Security Benefits Up-rating Order 2019

### PART 3

#### INCOME SUPPORT AND HOUSING BENEFIT

### **Applicable amounts for Income Support**

- **21.**—(1) The sums that are relevant to the calculation of an applicable amount as specified in the Income Support Regulations shall be the sums set out in this article and Schedule 2 to this Order; and unless stated otherwise, any reference in this article to a numbered Schedule is a reference to the Schedule to the Income Support Regulations bearing that number.
  - (2) In—
    - (a) regulations 17(1)(b)(1), 18(1)(c) and 21(1)(2); and
    - (b) paragraphs 13A(2)(a)(3) and 14(2)(a)(4) of Part III of Schedule 2,

the sum specified is in each case £3,000 (which remains unchanged).

- (3) In paragraph 2(1) of Part I of Schedule 2(5) (applicable amounts: personal allowances) in sub-paragraphs (a) and (b) of column (2) of the table "£66.90" remains unchanged.
  - (4) In paragraph 3 of Part II of Schedule 2(6) (applicable amounts: family premium)—
    - (a) in sub-paragraph (1)(a) "£17.45" remains unchanged; and
    - (b) in sub-paragraph (1)(b) "£17.45" remains unchanged.
- (5) The sums specified in Part IV of Schedule 2(7) (applicable amounts: weekly amounts of premiums) shall be as set out in Schedule 2 to this Order.
- (6) In paragraph 11(5) of Schedule 3(8) (general provisions applying to housing costs) as it has effect in a case falling within regulation 19, 19A or 20 of the Loans for Mortgage Interest Regulations 2017(9) "£100,000" remains unchanged.
  - (7) In paragraph 18 of Schedule 3(10) (housing costs: non-dependent deductions)—
    - (a) in sub-paragraph (1)(a) for "£98.30" substitute "£100.65";
    - (b) in sub-paragraph (1)(b) for "£15.25" substitute "£15.60";
- (1) Regulations 17(1)(b) and 18(1)(c) were omitted by S.I. 2003/455. Regulation 7 of that S.I. (as amended by S.I. 2005/2294) makes transitional arrangements in connection with the introduction of tax credits.
- (2) Relevant amending instruments are S.I. 1994/527, 1996/206 and 2431, 2000/636, 2001/3767 and 2003/455.
- (3) Paragraph 13A was inserted by S.I. 2000/2629 and amended by S.I. 2002/3019, 2003/455, 2007/719 and 2011/674 and 2425.
- (4) Relevant amending instruments are S.I. 2007/719 and 2011/674.
- (5) Relevant amending instruments are S.I. 1996/2545, 1999/2555, 2003/455, 2006/718 and 2015/457.
- (6) Relevant amending instruments are S.I. 1996/1803, 1998/766, 2003/455 and 2014/516.
- (7) Relevant amending instruments are S.I. 1990/1776, 1996/1803, 2000/2629, 2002/2497 and 3019, 2007/719, 2015/457 and 2018/281.
- (8) SeeS.I. 2008/3195 which modifies paragraph 11(5) so that it applies as if the reference to "£100,000" were to "£200,000" in relation to certain persons.
- (9) S.I. 2017/725. Relevant amending instrument is S.I. 2018/307.
- (10) Schedule 3 was substituted by S.I. 1995/1613; relevant amending instruments are S.I. 1995/2927, 1996/2518, 1999/3178, 2004/2327 and 2018/281.

- (c) in sub-paragraph (2)(a) for "£139.00" substitute "£143.00";
- (d) in sub-paragraph (2)(b)—
  - (i) for "£35.00" substitute "£35.85";
  - (ii) for "£139.00" substitute "£143.00"; and
  - (iii) for "£204.00" substitute "£209.00";
- (e) in sub-paragraph (2)(c)—
  - (i) for "£48.05" substitute "£49.20";
  - (ii) for "£204.00" substitute "£209.00"; and
  - (iii) for "£265.00" substitute "£272.00";
- (f) in sub-paragraph (2)(d)—
  - (i) for "£78.65" substitute "£80.55";
  - (ii) for "£265.00" substitute "£272.00"; and
  - (iii) for "£354.00" substitute "£363.00"; and
- (g) in sub-paragraph (2)(e)—
  - (i) for "£89.55" substitute "£91.70";
  - (ii) for "£354.00" substitute "£363.00"; and
  - (iii) for "£439.00" substitute "£451.00".