



# Social Security Contributions and Benefits Act 1992

## 1992 CHAPTER 4

### PART IV

#### INCREASES FOR DEPENDANTS

##### *Miscellaneous*

#### **92     Dependency increases: continuation of awards in cases of fluctuating earnings.**

(1) Where a beneficiary—

- (a) has been awarded an increase of benefit under this Part of this Act, but
- (b) ceases to be entitled to the increase by reason only that the weekly earnings of some other person (“the relevant earner”) exceed the amount of the increase or, as the case may be, some specified amount,

then, if and so long as the beneficiary would have continued to be entitled to the increase, disregarding any such excess of earnings, the award shall continue in force but the increase shall not be payable for any week if the earnings relevant to that week exceed the amount of the increase or, as the case may be, the specified amount.

(2) In this section the earnings which are relevant to any week are those earnings of the relevant earner which, apart from this section, would be taken into account in determining whether the beneficiary is entitled to the increase in question for that week.

**Status:**

Point in time view as at 01/01/2014.

**Changes to legislation:**

Social Security Contributions and Benefits Act 1992, Section 92 is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 07 July 2024. There are changes that may be brought into force at a future date. Changes that have been made appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.