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SCHEDULES

SCHEDULE 4

Parts II to V.

RATES OF BENEFITS, ETC.

Note: This Schedule is subject to alteration by orders made by the Department under section 132 of the Administration Act.

F1PART I

CONTRIBUTORY PERIODICAL BENEFITS

Textual Amendments

F1 Sch. 4: it is provided (8.4.2002 with effect as mentioned in art. 6 of amending S.R.) by The Social Security Benefits Up-rating Order (Northern Ireland) 2002 (S.R. 2002/99), arts. 1(1)(d)(2), 3, Sch. 1 that the sums specified in Pts. I, III, IV, V of Sch. 4 shall be increased and that Sch. 4 Pt. I shall have effect as set out in Sch. 1 of the amending S.R.

Description of benefit	Weekly rate
2. M1	(a) lower rate£53.50
Short-term incapacity benefit.	
	(b) higher rate£63.25
2A. Long-term incapacity benefit.	£70.95
5. M2	£45.20
Category B retirement pension where section 48A(3) applies.	
6. Child's special allowance.	£11.35

Marginal Citations

- M1 Paragraphs 2 and 2A were substituted for paragraph 2 by Article 4(2) of the Social Security (Incapacity for Work) (Northern Ireland) Order 1994
- M2 Paragraph 5 was amended by paragraph 18(11) of Schedule 2 to the Pensions (Northern Ireland) Order 1995

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[^{F2}PART II

BEREAVEMENT PAYMENT

Textual Amendments

F2 Sch. 4 Pt. II substituted (24.4.2000 for specified purposes and 9.4.2001 otherwise) by S.I. 1999/3147 (N.I. 11), art. 51(2); S.R. 2000/133, art. 2(3)(a), Sch. Pt. I

Bereavement payment.

£2,000.00]

F³PART III

NON-CONTRIBUTORY PERIODICAL BENEFITS

Textual Amendments

F3 Sch. 4: it is provided (8.4.2002 with effect as mentioned in art. 6 of amending S.R.) by The Social Security Benefits Up-rating Order (Northern Ireland) 2002 (S.R. 2002/99), arts. 1(1)(d)(2), 3, Sch. 1 that the sums specified in Pts. I, III, IV, V of Sch. 4 shall be increased and that Sch. 4 Pt. III shall have effect as set out in Sch. 1 of the amending S.R.

Description of benefit	Weekly rate
1. Attendance allowance.	(a) higher rate £56.25
	(b) lower rate £37.65
	(the appropriate rate being determined in accordance with section $65(3)$).
2. Severe disablement allowance.	£42.85
3. Age related addition.	(a) higher rate£14.90
	(b) middle rate£9.50
	(c) lower rate£4.75
	(the appropriate rate being determined in accordance with section 69(1)).
4. Invalid care allowance.	£42.45
5. Guardian's allowance.	£11.35
6. Category C retirement pension.	(a) lower rate £27.00
	(b) higher rate £45.20
	(the appropriate rate being determined in accordance with section 78(5)).
7. Category D retirement pension.	The higher rate for Category C retirement pensions under paragraph 6 above.

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8. Age addition (to a pension of any category, ± 0.25 . and otherwise under section 79).

F4PART IV

INCREASES FOR DEPENDANTS

Textual Amendments

F4 Sch. 4: it is provided (8.4.2002 with effect as mentioned in art. 6 of amending S.R.) by The Social Security Benefits Up-rating Order (Northern Ireland) 2002 (S.R. 2002/99), arts. 1(1)(d)(2), 3, Sch. 1 that the sums specified in Pts. I, III, IV, V of Sch. 4 shall be increased and that Sch. 4 Pt. IV shall have effect as set out in Sch. 1 of the amending S.R.

Benefit to which increase applies	Increase for qualifying child	Increase for adult dependant
(1)	(2)	(3)
	£	£
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Short -term incapacity benefit-		
(a) where the beneficiary is under pensionable age	11.35	33.10
(b) where the beneficiary is over pensionable age	11.35	40.80
2. Long-term incapacity benefit.	11.35	42.45
3. Maternity allowance.		33.10
4. Widowed mother's allowance.	11.35	
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Widowed parent's allowance		
5. Category A or B retirement pension.	11.35	45.20
6. Category C retirement pension.	11.35	27.00
7. Child's special allowance.	11.35	
8. Severe disablement allowance.	11.35	25.45.
9. Invalid care allowance.	11.35	25.35

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Marginal Citations

- M3 Paragraph 1A was inserted and paragraph 2 substituted by Article 4(5) of the Social Security (Incapacity for Work) (Northern Ireland) Order 1994
- M4 Paragraph 4A was inserted by paragraph 13 of Schedule 8 to the Welfare Reform and Pensions (Northern Ireland) Order 1999

F5 PART V

RATE OF INDUSTRIAL INJURIES BENEFIT

Textual Amendments

F5 Sch. 4: it is provided (8.4.2002 with effect as mentioned in art. 6 of amending S.R.) by The Social Security Benefits Up-rating Order (Northern Ireland) 2002 (S.R. 2002/99), arts. 1(1)(d)(2), 3, Sch. 1 that the sums specified in Pts. I, III, IV, V of Sch. 4 shall be increased and that Sch. 4 Pt. V shall have effect as set out in Sch. 1 of the amending S.R.

Description of benefit, etc.	Rate	
1. Disablement pension (weekly rates).	out in column (degrees of disablement set 1) of the following Table, the ints in that Table, using—
	(a) column (2) for any period during which the beneficiary is over the age of 18 or is entitled to an increase of benefit in respect of a child or adult dependant;	
		for any period during which is not over the age of 18 and
Degree of disablement	Amount	
(1)	(2)	(3)
Per Cent.	£	£
100	114.80	70.35
90	103.32	63.32
80	91.84	56.28
70	80.36	49.25
60	68.88	42.21
50	57.40	35.18
40	45.92	28.14
30	34.44	21.11

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2. Maximum increase of weekly rate of disablement pension where constant attendance needed.	(a) except in cases of exceptionally severe disablement£46.00	
	(b) in any case of exceptionally severe disablement£92.00	
3. Increase of weekly rate of disablement pension (exceptionally severe disablement).	£46.00	
4. Maximum of aggregate of weekly benefit payable for successive accidents.	(a) for any period during which the beneficiary is over the age of 18 or is entitled to an increase in benefit in respect of a child or adult dependant£114.80	
	(b) for any period during which the beneficiary is not over the age of 18 and not so entitled£70.35	
5. Unemployability supplement under paragraph 2 of Schedule 7.	£70.95	
6. Increase under paragraph 3 of Schedule 7 of weekly rate of unemployability supplement.	(a) if on the qualifying date the beneficiary was under the age of 35 or if that date fell before 5th July 1948 £14.90	
	(b) if head (a) above does not apply and on the qualifying date the beneficiary was under the age of 40 and he had not attained pensionable age before 6th April 1979£14.90	
	(c) if heads (a) and (b) above do not apply and on the qualifying date the beneficiary was under the age of 45£9.50	
	(d) if heads (a), (b) and (c) above do not apply and on the qualifying date the beneficiary was under the age of 50 and had not attained pensionable age before 6th April 1979£9.50	
	(e) in any other case£4.75	
7. Increase under paragraph 4 of Schedule 7 of weekly rate of disablement pension.	£11.35	
8. Increase under paragraph 6 of Schedule 7 of weekly rate of disablement pension.	£42.45	
9. Maximum disablement gratuity under paragraph 9 of Schedule 7.	£7,630.00	

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10. Widow's pension (weekly rates).	(a) initial rate £57.65
	(b) higher permanent rate£75.50
	(c) lower permanent rate 30 per cent. of the first sum specified in section 44(4) (Category A basic retirement pension)
	(the appropriate rate being determined in accordance with paragraph 16 of Schedule 7).
11. Widower's pension (weekly rate).	£75.50
12. Weekly rate of allowance in respect of children under paragraph 18 of Schedule 7.	In respect of each qualifying child £11.35.

Status:

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