

# Reserve Forces Act 1996

# **1996 CHAPTER 14**

## PART VIII

## SCHEMES FOR EXEMPTION AND FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

*Financial assistance in respect of* [<sup>*Fi*</sup>*reserve forces*]

## 85 Regulations under section 83[<sup>F1</sup>, 84 or 84A]: supplementary.

- (1) Regulations under section 83[<sup>F2</sup>, 84 or 84A] ("the regulations") may, in particular, make provision with respect to—
  - (a) the descriptions of persons who are entitled to claim payments <sup>F3</sup>...;
  - [<sup>F4</sup>(aa) in the case of regulations under section 83 or 84, the descriptions of the kinds of financial loss for which claims can be made;
    - (ab) in the case of regulations under section 84A, the descriptions of the kinds of training and other voluntary duties for which claims can be made;]
    - (b) the matters in respect of which, and any circumstances in which, persons are or are not entitled to any payment;
    - (c) the sums, or the method of determining the sums, to be paid;
    - (d) the procedure for making claims (including the time within which claims must be made and the information to be provided by persons making claims);
    - (e) in the case of regulations under section 83, the provision of information by persons in connection with claims made by their employees or former employees;
    - (f) in the case of regulations under section 84 [<sup>F5</sup>or 84A], the provision of information by persons in respect of whom claims are made;
    - (g) the determination of claims by any person or body identified by, or of a description specified in, the regulations;
    - (h) any incidental or supplementary matters.

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- (2) The regulations may make different provision for different cases (but need not require payments to be made in all cases or for all losses [<sup>F6</sup>, permanent service, training or other voluntary duties]).
- (3) Before making any regulations under section 83[<sup>F7</sup>, 84 or 84A] the Secretary of State shall consult such persons or bodies as he considers to be appropriate, including—
  - (a) a body appearing to him to represent the interests of employers, a body appearing to him to represent the interests of employees and a body appearing to him to represent the interests of the self-employed; and
  - (b) the associations established under Part XI or a body appearing to him to represent those associations.
- [<sup>F8</sup>(3A) A payment that has been made, or may be made, under regulations under section 84A is not to be taken into account when calculating a financial loss for the purposes of regulations under section 84.]
  - (4) The regulations shall be made by statutory instrument which shall be subject to annulment in pursuance of a resolution of either House of Parliament.
  - (5) [<sup>F9</sup>Regulations under section 83 or 84] may also make provision for claims by or in respect of—
    - (a) persons recalled under the <sup>M1</sup>Reserve Forces Act 1980, or
    - (b) officers recalled otherwise than under this Act,

corresponding to the provision which may be made for claims by or in respect of persons recalled under Part VII.

#### **Textual Amendments**

- F1 Words in s. 85 heading substituted (5.9.2014) by Defence Reform Act 2014 (c. 20), s. 50(1), Sch. 7 para. 5 (with s. 49(4), Sch. 7 para. 12(3)); S.I. 2014/2370, art. 3
- F2 Words in s. 85(1) substituted (5.9.2014) by Defence Reform Act 2014 (c. 20), s. 50(1), Sch. 7 para. 4(2)(a) (with s. 49(4), Sch. 7 para. 12(3)); S.I. 2014/2370, art. 3
- F3 Words in s. 85(1)(a) omitted (5.9.2014) by virtue of Defence Reform Act 2014 (c. 20), s. 50(1), Sch. 7 para. 4(2)(b) (with s. 49(4), Sch. 7 para. 12(3)); S.I. 2014/2370, art. 3
- F4 S. 85(1)(aa)(ab) inserted (5.9.2014) by Defence Reform Act 2014 (c. 20), s. 50(1), Sch. 7 para. 4(2)(c) (with s. 49(4), Sch. 7 para. 12(3)); S.I. 2014/2370, art. 3
- F5 Words in s. 85(1)(f) inserted (5.9.2014) by Defence Reform Act 2014 (c. 20), s. 50(1), Sch. 7 para. 4(2)(d) (with s. 49(4), Sch. 7 para. 12(3)); S.I. 2014/2370, art. 3
- Words in s. 85(2) inserted (5.9.2014) by Defence Reform Act 2014 (c. 20), s. 50(1), Sch. 7 para. 4(3) (with s. 49(4), Sch. 7 para. 12(3)); S.I. 2014/2370, art. 3
- F7 Words in s. 85(3) substituted (5.9.2014) by Defence Reform Act 2014 (c. 20), s. 50(1), Sch. 7 para.
  4(4) (with s. 49(4), Sch. 7 para. 12(3)); S.I. 2014/2370, art. 3
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- F9 Words in s. 85(5) substituted (5.9.2014) by Defence Reform Act 2014 (c. 20), s. 50(1), Sch. 7 para. 4(6) (with s. 49(4), Sch. 7 para. 12(3)); S.I. 2014/2370, art. 3

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