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## 1984 No. 593

## SOCIAL SECURITY

**The Supplementary Benefit (Single Payments) Regulations 1984**

<i>Made</i>	- - - -	25th April 1984
<i>Laid before Parliament</i>		26th April 1984
<i>Coming into Operation</i>		27th April 1984

The Secretary of State for Social Services, in exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 3(1) and 34(1) of the Supplementary Benefits Act 1976(a), and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, without having referred any proposals on the matter to the Social Security Advisory Committee since it appears to him that by reason of urgency it is inexpedient to do so(b), hereby makes the following regulations:—

*Citation and commencement*

1. These regulations may be cited as the Supplementary Benefit (Single Payments) Regulations 1984 and shall come into operation on 27th April 1984.

*Effect of paragraph (1) of regulation 10 of the Supplementary Benefit (Single Payments) Regulations 1981*

2. Paragraph (1) of regulation 10 of the Supplementary Benefit (Single Payments) Regulations 1981(c) shall apply where either—

(a) the claimant or his partner has recently become the tenant or owner of an unfurnished or partly furnished home and the other requirements of sub-paragraph (a) of that paragraph are satisfied; or

(b) the claimant or his partner has not recently become such a tenant or owner and the other requirements of sub-paragraph (b) of that paragraph are satisfied,

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(a) 1976 c. 71, as amended by section 6(1) of and Part I of Schedule 2 to the Social Security Act 1980 (c. 30) and sections 38 and 48(5) of and Schedule 4 to the Social Security and Housing Benefits Act 1982 (c. 24).

(b) See section 10(2)(a) of the Social Security Act 1980.

(c) S.I. 1981/1528; the relevant amending instruments are S.I. 1982/907, 1983/1000.

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and, accordingly, that paragraph shall have effect in the form in which it is set out in those regulations.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Social Services.

*Rhodes Boyson,*  
Minister of State,  
Department of Health and Social Security.

25th April 1984.

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#### EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This Note is not part of the Regulations.)*

These regulations give effect to the words in paragraph (1)(b) of regulation 10 of the Supplementary Benefit (Single Payments) Regulations 1981 which the Social Security Commissioner has held not to have effect because the previous corresponding provisions were not accurately reproduced on consolidation by the 1981 regulations. These regulations will be referred to the Social Security Advisory Committee under sub-section (7) of section 10 of the Social Security Act 1980 unless the Committee agrees that that sub-section shall not apply.

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