STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1985 No. 1694

LEGAL AID AND ADVICE, ENGLAND AND WALES

The Legal Advice and Assistance (Financial Conditions) (No. 2) **Regulations 1985**

Made -23rd October 1985 Laid before Parliament 6th November 1985 Coming into Operation 25th November 1985

The Lord Chancellor, in exercise of the powers conferred on him by sections 4 and 20 of the Legal Aid Act 1974(a), hereby makes the following Regulations:—

- 1. These Regulations may be cited as the Legal Advice and Assistance (Financial Conditions) (No. 2) Regulations 1985 and shall come into operation on 25th November 1985.
- 2. For the weekly sum of £51 specified in section 4(2) of the Legal Aid Act 1974(b) there shall be substituted the weekly sum of £54.
- 3. For the sums specified in Schedule 3 to the Legal Advice and Assistance Regulations (No. 2) 1980(c), there shall be substituted the following sums:—

Exceeding £54 but not exceeding £62 a week £5

Exceeding £62 but not exceeding £67 a week £11

Exceeding £67 but not exceeding £71 a week £16

Exceeding £71 but not exceeding £75 a week £21

Exceeding £75 but not exceeding £79 a week £25

Exceeding £79 but not exceeding £83 a week £29 Exceeding £83 but not exceeding £87 a week £34

Exceeding £87 but not exceeding £91 a week £38

Exceeding £91 but not exceeding £95 a week £42

Exceeding £95 but not exceeding £99 a week £47

Exceeding £99 but not exceeding £104 a week £52

Exceeding £104 but not exceeding £108 a week £57

Exceeding £108 but not exceeding £114 a week £62.

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Dated 23rd October 1985.

⁽a) 1974 c. 4; section 4 was amended by the Legal Aid Act 1979 (c. 26), Schedule 1, paragraph

⁽b) Section 4(2) was amended by S.I. 1984/1715. (c) S.I. 1980/1898; the relevant amending instrument is S.I. 1984/1715.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Regulations.)

These Regulations increase from £51 to £54 a week the disposable income above which a person receiving legal advice and assistance under Part I of the Legal Aid Act 1974 is required to pay a contribution and amend the scale of contributions.

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