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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**1987 No. 1968**

**The Social Security (Claims and Payments) Regulations 1987**

**PART III**

**PAYMENTS**

**Unemployment benefit, sickness or invalidity benefit, maternity allowance and severe disablement allowance**

24.—(1) Subject to regulation 21 and paragraph (3), unemployment benefit shall be paid fortnightly in arrears and, sickness or invalidity benefit and severe disablement allowance shall be paid weekly in arrears unless, in any particular case, the Secretary of State arranges otherwise.

(2) Maternity allowance shall be paid on Friday in the week for which it is payable unless in any particular case the Secretary of State arranges otherwise.

(3) If the weekly amount of sickness or invalidity benefit is less than £1.00 it may be paid in arrears at intervals of 4 weeks.