
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2001 No. 156

The Child Support (Variations) Regulations 2000

PART VII

**EFFECT OF A VARIATION ON THE MAINTENANCE
CALCULATION AND EFFECTIVE DATES**

Effect on maintenance calculation—general

27.—(1) Subject to paragraphs (4) and (5), where more than one variation is agreed to in respect of the same period regulations 23 to 26 shall apply and the results shall be aggregated as appropriate.

(2) Paragraph 7(2) to (7) of Schedule 1 to the Act (shared care) shall apply where the rate of child support maintenance is affected by a variation which is agreed to and paragraph 7(2) shall be read as if after the words “as calculated in accordance with the preceding paragraphs of this Part of this Schedule” there were inserted the words “, Schedule 4B and Regulations made under that Schedule”.

(3) Subject to paragraphs (4) and (5), where the non-resident parent shares the care of a qualifying child within the meaning in Part 1 of Schedule 1 to the Act, or where the care of such a child is shared in part by a local authority, the amount of child support maintenance the non-resident parent is liable to pay the person with care, calculated to take account of any variation, shall be reduced in accordance with the provisions of paragraph 7 of that Part or regulation 9 of the Maintenance Calculations and Special Cases Regulations, as the case may be.

(4) Subject to paragraph (5), where the variation agreed to is one falling within regulation 16 (property or capital transfers) the equivalent weekly value of the transfer calculated as provided in regulation 17 shall be deducted from the amount of child support maintenance the non-resident parent would otherwise be liable to pay the person with care in respect of whom the transfer was made after aggregation of the effects of any other variations as provided in paragraph (1) or deduction for shared care as provided in paragraph (3).

(5) If the application of regulation 24, or paragraph (3) or (4), would decrease the weekly amount of child support maintenance (or the aggregate of all such amounts) payable by the non-resident parent to the person with care (or all of them) to less than a figure equivalent to the flat rate of child support maintenance payable under [F¹paragraph 4(1)] of Schedule 1 to the Act, he shall instead be liable to pay child support maintenance at a rate equivalent to that rate apportioned (if appropriate) as provided in paragraph 6 of Schedule 1 to the Act.

(6) The effect of a variation shall not be applied for any period during which a circumstance referred to in regulation 7 applies.

(7) For the purposes of regulations 23 and 25 “net weekly income” means as calculated or estimated under the Maintenance Calculations and Special Cases Regulations.

Changes to legislation: There are currently no known outstanding effects for the *The Child Support (Variations) Regulations 2000, Section 27*. (See end of Document for details)

Textual Amendments

- F1** Words in [reg. 27\(5\)](#) substituted (16.9.2004) by [The Child Support \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) Regulations 2004 \(S.I. 2004/2415\)](#), regs. 1(2)(a), **9(4)**
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Commencement Information

- I1** Reg. 27 partly in force; reg. 27 not in force at made date; reg. 27 in force at 3.3.2003 for certain purposes, see reg. 1(1) and [S.I. 2003/192](#)

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