STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2004 No. 1244

The Child Benefit (General) (Amendment) Regulations 2004

Amendment of the Child Benefit (General) Regulations 2003

- **4.** In regulation 25 (circumstances in which a person is treated as not being in Northern Ireland) add at the end—
 - "(3) A person shall be treated as not being in Northern Ireland for the purposes of section 142(2) of the Contributions and Benefits (NI) Act where he—
 - (a) makes a claim for child benefit on or after 1st May 2004; and
 - (b) does not have a right to reside in the United Kingdom.".