## SCHEDULE 3

Amendments of subordinate legislation relating to social security

## Social Security Benefit (Persons Abroad) Regulations 1975

- **5.**—(1) Amend the Social Security Benefit (Persons Abroad) Regulations 1975 M1 as follows.
- (2) In regulation 2 (modification of the Act in relation to incapacity benefit, severe disablement allowance, unemployability supplement and maternity allowance) M2, in paragraph (5)(b) M3 after "spouse," insert "civil partner,".
- (3) In regulation 4 (modification of the Act in relation to widow's benefit, bereavement benefit, child's special allowance, guardian's allowance and retirement pension) M4—
  - (a) in paragraph (2B) M5\_\_\_
    - (i) in sub-paragraph (a)—
      - (aa) after "deceased spouse" insert " or deceased civil partner";
      - (bb) after "surviving spouse" insert " or surviving civil partner";
      - (cc) after "deceased spouse's" insert " or deceased civil partner's ";
    - (ii) in sub-paragraph (b)—
      - (aa) after "surviving spouse" insert " or surviving civil partner";
      - (bb) after "deceased spouse's" insert " or deceased civil partner's ";
    - (iii) in sub-paragraph (c), after "surviving spouse" insert " or surviving civil partner";
  - (b) in paragraph (4) <sup>M6</sup>—
    - (i) after "surviving spouse" (in each place) insert " or surviving civil partner";
    - (ii) after "former spouse" (in each place) insert " or former civil partner".
  - (4) In regulation 5 (application of disqualification in respect of up-rating of benefit)—
    - (a) in paragraph (3)—
      - (i) in sub-paragraph (b) M7\_\_\_
        - (aa) for "a widow or a widower" substitute "a widow, a widower or a surviving civil partner";
        - (bb) after "former spouse" insert " or former civil partner ";
      - (ii) in sub-paragraph (d) M8 after "deceased spouse" insert " or deceased civil partner";
    - (b) in paragraph (6) M9 after "former spouse" (in each place) insert " or former civil partner";
    - (c) in paragraph (7) M10—
      - (i) after "spouse" (in each place) insert " or civil partner ";
      - (ii) after "were husband and wife" insert " or were civil partners";
      - (iii) after "became husband and wife" insert "or formed a civil partnership".
  - (5) In regulation 13 (modification of the Act in relation to a dependant)—
    - (a) after "A husband or wife" insert " or civil partner";
    - (b) after "spouse" (in each place) insert " or civil partner";
    - (c) after "spouse's" insert " or civil partner's ";
    - (d) for "the husband or wife" substitute "the husband, wife or civil partner".

## **Marginal Citations**

- **M1** S.I. 1975/563.
- M2 The heading to regulation 2 was substituted by S.I. 1994/268 and amended by S.I. 1995/829.
- M3 Paragraph (5) was inserted by S.I. 1994/268 and amended by S.I. 1995/829.
- M4 The heading to regulation 4 was amended by S.I. 2000/2876.
- M5 Paragraph (2B) was inserted by S.I. 2000/2876, and sub-paragraph (a) was substituted by S.I. 2001/2618.
- M6 Paragraph (4) was inserted by S.I. 1979/1432.
- M7 Sub-paragraph (b) was substituted by S.I. 1979/1432.
- M8 Sub-paragraph (d) was amended by S.I. 1989/1642 and S.I. 2000/2876.
- M9 Paragraph (6) was substituted by S.I. 1979/1432 and amended by S.I. 1989/1642 and S.I. 1994/1832.
- **M10** Paragraph (7) was substituted by S.I. 1979/1432 and amended by S.I. 1989/1642.

## **Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Civil Partnership (Pensions, Social Security and Child Support) (Consequential, etc. Provisions) Order 2005, Paragraph 5.