STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2005 No. 578

The National Health Service (Charges for Drugs and Appliances) and (Travel Expenses and Remission of Charges) Amendment Regulations 2005

Amendments of regulation 2 of the Travel Expenses and Remission of Charges Regulations

- **15.**—(1) Regulation 2 of the Travel Expenses and Remission of Charges Regulations (interpretation) is amended as follows.
 - (2) After the definition of "abroad" insert—
 - ""annuity contract" means a contract that provides for periodic payments starting from a stated or contingent date and continuing for a fixed period or for the life of the annuity;".
 - (3) After the definition of "care home" insert—
 - ""child" means a person under the age of 16;".
 - (4) After the definition of "date of claim" insert—
 - ""dependant child or young person" means any child or young person who is treated as the responsibility of the claimant or his partner, where that child or young person is a member of the claimant's household;".
 - (5) After the definition of "disability element" insert—
 - ""earnings" has the meaning given in regulations 35 and 37 of the Income Support Regulations;".
 - (6) After the definition of "health care professional" insert—
 - ""household" means-
 - (a) a group of people who have a common address as their only or main residence and who either share one meal a day or share the living accommodation at that residence; or
 - (b) the only or main residence of a single person who does not share either one meal a day or the living accommodation at that residence with another person;".
 - (7) After the definition of "NHS trust" insert—
 - ""occupational pension scheme" has the meaning given by section 1 of the Pension Schemes Act 1993(1);".
 - (8) After the definition of "pension credit savings credit" insert—
 - ""personal pension scheme" means a personal pension scheme—
 - (a) as defined in section 1 of the Pension Schemes Act 1993; or
 - (b) as defined in section 1 of the Pension Schemes (Northern Ireland Act) 1993(2);".
 - (9) After the definition of "severe disability element" insert—

^{(1) 1993 (}c. 48).

^{(2) 1993 (}c. 49).

[&]quot;single person" means a person who does not have a partner and is not responsible for, and is not a member of the same household as, a child or young person;".

⁽¹⁰⁾ After the definition of "working tax credit" insert—

[&]quot;'young person" has the meaning prescribed in regulation 14 of the Income Support Regulations;".