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SOCIAL SECURITY

The Family Income Supplements (Claims and Payments) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1979

Made . . . . . *26th November* 1979

Coming into operation . . . . . 31*st December* 1979

The Department(a) of Health and Social Services, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by section 10(2)(i) of the Family Income Supplements Act (Northern Ireland) 1971(b), and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following regulations:

Citation, commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) These regulations may be cited as the Family Income Supplements (Claims and Payments) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1979, and shall come into operation on 31st December 1979.

(2) In these regulations "the principal regulations" means the Family Income Supplements (Claims and Payments) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1971(c).

Amendment of regulation 8 *of the principal regulations*

2. In regulation 8 of the principal regulations after "Family Income Supplements (General) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1971" there shall be inserted "or whilst an appeal is pending in respect of any question,".

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland on 26th November 1979.

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Senior Assistant Secretary

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the regulations but is intended to indicate their general purport.)

These regulations further amend the Family Income Supplements (Claims and Payments) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1971. Regulation 8 of the regulations is amended to provide that payment of family income supplement may be suspended by the Department of Health and Social Services pending the determination of an appeal.

(a) Formerly Ministry: *see* 1973 c. 36 Sch. 5 para. 8(1)
(b) 1971 c. 8 (N.I.)
(c) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1971 No. 123 (p. 610)