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LEGAL AID AND ADVICE

Legal Aid (General) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1988

Made	*15th March 1988*
Coming into operation . .	*11th April 1988*
To be laid before Parliament	

The Lord Chancellor, in exercise of the powers conferred by Article 22(1) of the Legal Aid, Advice and Assistance (Northern Ireland) Order 1981(**a**) and now vested in him(**b**) hereby makes the following regulations—

Citation and commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Legal Aid (General) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1988 and shall come into operation on 11th April 1988.

Amendment of General Regulations

2. For paragraph (*f*) of Regulation 17(9) of the Legal Aid (General) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1965(**c**) there shall be substituted the following paragraph—

"(*f*) supplementary benefit paid under the Supplementary Benefits (Northern Ireland) Order 1977(**d**), family income supplement paid under the Family Income Supplements Act (Northern Ireland) 1971(**e**), housing benefit, income support and family credit paid under the Social Security (Northern Ireland) Order 1986(**f**)".

Dated 15th March 1988 *Mackay of Clashfern, C.*

(**a**) S.I. 1981/228 (N.I. 8)
(**b**) S.I. 1982/159
(**c**) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1965 No. 217
(**d**) S.I. 1977/2156 (N.I. 27)
(**e**) 1971 c. 8 (N.I.)
(**f**) S.I. 1986/1988 (N.I. 18)

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations.)

These Regulations amend the Legal Aid (General) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1965 to extend the exemption, provided under Regulation 17(9), from the payment of money recovered to payments received as income support or family credit under the Social Security (Northern Ireland) Order 1986.