1991 No. 90

LEGAL AID AND ADVICE

Legal Advice and Assistance (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1991

Made . . . . . *14th March 1991*

Coming into operation . . *8th April 1991*

To be laid before Parliament

The Lord Chancellor, in exercise of the powers conferred by Articles 7(2), 22(1) and 27 of the Legal Aid, Advice and Assistance (Northern Ireland) Order 1981(**a**) and now vested in him(**b**), hereby makes the following Regulations:—

Citation, commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Legal Advice and Assistance (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1991 and shall come into operation on 8th April 1991.

(2) In these Regulations "the principal Regulations" means the Legal Advice and Assistance Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1981(**c**).

Revocation

2. Regulation 4 of the Legal Advice and Assistance (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1990(**d**) is hereby revoked.

Amendment to Schedule 2 to the principal Regulations

3. For the table set out in Schedule 2 to the principal Regulations, there shall be substituted the following table:

(a) S.I. 1981/228 (N.I. 8); Article 27 is an interpretation provision and is recited because of the meaning assigned to the words "prescribed" and "regulations"
(b) S.I. 1982/159
(c) S.R. 1981 No. 366: to which the most recent relevant amendment was made by S.R. 1990 No. 104
(d) S.R. 1990 No. 104

"Disposable Income Range		*Maximum Contribution*
Exceeding £ 70 but not exceeding £ 74 a week	...	£ 5
Exceeding £ 74 but not exceeding £ 78 a week	...	£12
Exceeding £ 78 but not exceeding £ 84 a week	...	£19
Exceeding £ 84 but not exceeding £ 90 a week	...	£25
Exceeding £ 90 but not exceeding £ 96 a week	...	£32
Exceeding £ 96 but not exceeding £102 a week	...	£38
Exceeding £102 but not exceeding £108 a week	...	£45
Exceeding £108 but not exceeding £114 a week	...	£51
Exceeding £114 but not exceeding £120 a week	...	£58
Exceeding £120 but not exceeding £125 a week	...	£64
Exceeding £125 but not exceeding £130 a week	...	£70
Exceeding £130 but not exceeding £135 a week	...	£75".

Dated 14th March 1991. *Mackay of Clashfern*, C.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations.)

These Regulations amend the Legal Advice and Assistance Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1981 so as to substitute a new scale of contributions payable for legal advice and assistance under Article 7(2) of the Legal Aid, Advice and Assistance (Northern Ireland) Order 1981.