SCHEDULE D Regulation 7

SHOWING (IN COLUMNS (2) AND (4)) RATES BELOW WHICH WIDOWED MOTHERS' ALLOWANCES, WIDOWS' PENSIONS, AND CERTAIN RETIREMENT PENSIONS FOR WIDOWS OF EXISTING CONTRIBUTORS SHALL NOT BE REDUCED ON ACCOUNT OF EARNINGS

(*Note:*—The following provisions are by regulation 7 incorporated in the Existing Contributors Regulations as the Fourth Schedule thereto in substitution for the existing Fourth Schedule.)

"FOURTH SCHEDULE Regulation 12

Table showing*:—

(1) in the first and third columns, the rates of widowed mother's allowance *payable by virtue of the widow's having a family and widowed mother's allowance payable otherwise than by virtue of the widow's having a family,* widow's pension or retirement pension for a widow by virtue of her husband's insurance where the marriage took place before the appointed day; and

(2) in the second and fourth columns, the rates below which a widowed mother's allowance, a widow's pension or such a retirement pension, as the case may be, shall not be reduced on account of earnings.

Rate of widowed mother's allowance *payable by virtue of the widow's having a family* (1)	Minimum reduced rate (2)	Rate of *widowed mother's allowance payable otherwise than by virtue of the widow's having a family,* widow's pension or retirement pension for a widow by virtue of husband's insurance (3)	Minimum reduced rate (4)
s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
55 0	*26 0*	38 6	9 6
53 6	*25 6*	37 0	9 0
52 0	*25 0*	35 6	8 6
49 0	*24 6*	32 6	8 0
45 6	*24 0*	29 0	7 6
42 6	*23 0*	26 0	6 6
39 6	*22 6*	23 0	6 0
36 6	*21 6*	20 0	5 0
33 6	*20 6*	17 0	4 0
30 6	*20 0*	14 0	3 6
27 6	*19 0*	11 0	2 6"

* The words and figures substituted or added by these regulations are shown in italics.

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Benefit

REGULATIONS, DATED 27TH AUGUST, 1956, MADE BY THE INDUSTRIAL INJURIES JOINT AUTHORITY UNDER THE NATIONAL INSURANCE (INDUSTRIAL INJURIES) ACTS (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1946 TO 1956.

1956. No. 139 [C]

The Industrial Injuries Joint Authority, in exercise of powers conferred by section 81 of the National Insurance (Industrial

Injuries) Act (Northern Ireland), 1946(a) as amended by section 5 of the National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) Act (Northern Ireland), 1953(b), and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, hereby make the following regulations:—

Citation, commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) These regulations may be cited as the National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) (Benefit) Amendment Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1956, and shall come into operation on the 28th August, 1956.

(2) In these regulations, unless the context otherwise requires—

"the Benefit Regulations" means the National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) (Benefit) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1948(c).

Amendment of Regulation 33A of the Benefit Regulations

2. As from the 28th August, 1956, in the proviso to paragraph (2) of regulation 33A(d) of the Benefit Regulations, (which paragraph deals with payment by way of unemployability supplement to certain former constables and firemen), for the words "at a weekly rate of seven shillings and sixpence" there shall be substituted the words "at a weekly rate of twenty shillings".

Given under the Official Seal of the Industrial Injuries Joint Authority this 27th day of August, nineteen hundred and fifty-six.

(L.S.)

T. C. Stephens,
Secretary,
Industrial Injuries Joint Authority.

Prescribed Diseases

REGULATIONS, DATED 7TH FEBRUARY, 1956, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND NATIONAL INSURANCE UNDER THE NATIONAL INSURANCE (INDUSTRIAL INJURIES) ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1946.

1956. No. 13. **[C]**

The Ministry of Labour and National Insurance, in exercise of powers conferred by sections 54, 55 and 85 of the National

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(a) 1946. c. 21.
(b) 1953. c. 30.
(c) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1948. No. 203 as amended by S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1948. No. 344; S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1949. No. 73; S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1951. No. 102; S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1951. No. 161; S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1951. No. 182; S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1952. No. 140; S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1952. No. 199; S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1955. No. 15; S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1955. No. 164.
(d) *See* regulation 5, S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1955. No. 15.

Insurance (Industrial Injuries) Act (Northern Ireland), 1946(a), and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following regulations:—

Citation, interpretation and commencement

1. These regulations, which may be cited as the National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) (Prescribed Diseases) Amendment Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1956, shall be read as one with the National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) (Prescribed Diseases) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1948(b) (hereinafter referred to as "the principal regulations"), and shall come into operation on the 8th February, 1956.

Amendment of Part I of the First Schedule to the principal regulations

2. Part I of the First Schedule to the principal regulations, as amended(c), shall be further amended by the addition at the end of the first and second columns thereof, respectively, of the disease specified in the first column of the Schedule hereto, and of the occupations set against the said disease in the second column of that Schedule.

Transitional provisions

3.—(1) For the purposes of sub-paragraphs (2) and (3) of this regulation, "a transitional case" means a case where a person has been employed on or at any time after the 5th July, 1948, in insurable employment in any occupation specified in the Schedule hereto and is, as a result of poisoning by cadmium which is due to the nature of that employment, incapable of work, or, as the case may be, suffering from a loss of faculty, on the date on which these regulations come into operation.

(2) Regulation 6 of the principal regulations (which relates to date of development) shall be applied to a transitional case subject to the modification that the date on which these regulations come into operation shall be treated as the first day on which the claimant was incapable of work as the result of the disease, or, as the case may be, as the day on which he first suffered from the relevant loss of faculty, and the date of development shall be determined accordingly.

(3) Where in a transitional case disablement benefit is awarded and the date of development is determined under the last foregoing paragraph and an increase of that benefit is claimed under section 14 of the Act (which section relates to increase of disablement pension in cases of special hardship), then, if at any time after having been employed in an occupation in respect of which the relevant disease is prescribed, but before the date on which these regulations come into operation the claimant has abandoned any occupation as a result of the relevant disease, the fact that he has abandoned that occupation shall be disregarded in determining his regular occupation for the purposes of the said section 14.

(a) 1946. c. 21. (b) S.R. & O. 1948 No. 212.
(c) The relevant amending regulations are S.R. & O. 1949/173, 1951/21, 1951/31, 1953/74, 1954/21.

(4) Where a person has been employed in insurable employment on or at any time after the 5th July, 1948, in any occupation specified in the Schedule hereto, and the death of that person has resulted from poisoning by cadmium, due to the nature of that employment, that person shall be treated for the purposes of Part IV of the Act (which relates to the extension of insurance to diseases) and of the principal regulations, as if these regulations had been in force at the date of death, subject to the following modifications:—

(*a*) no benefit shall be payable in respect of the death of that person—

(i) by way of pension or allowance for any period before the said date on which these regulations come into operation;

(ii) by way of gratuity, on a claim made by or on behalf of any other person who has died before that date, or to the widow of the deceased if she has remarried before that date:

Provided that a person who would be entitled to any benefit but for the operation of this sub-paragraph shall (except as provided in the next succeeding sub-paragraph) be treated as if he were entitled thereto for the purposes of any rights or obligations under the Act (whether of himself or any other person) which depend on his being so entitled, other than the right to payment of that benefit;

(*b*) in applying, in respect of the death of that person, the provisions of the Fourth Schedule to the Act (which limit benefit payable in respect of any death), any person who has died before the said date on which these regulations come into operation shall be disregarded.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Labour and National Insurance for Northern Ireland this
(L.S.) 7th day of February, 1956, in the presence of

William Allen,
Assistant Secretary to the Ministry of Labour and National Insurance for Northern Ireland.

SCHEDULE

Regulation 2

Description of disease or injury	Nature of occupation
40. Poisoning by cadmium	Any occupation involving exposure to cadmium fumes.