These Regulations shall cease to have effect unless before the expiration of six months from the date of their coming into operation they have been approved by a resolution of each House of Parliament.

1972. No. 244 **[C]**

FAMILY INCOME SUPPLEMENTS

Computation

REGULATIONS, DATED 26TH SEPTEMBER 1972, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES UNDER THE FAMILY INCOME SUPPLEMENTS ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1971.

The Ministry of Health and Social Services on behalf of the Secretary of State, in exercise of powers conferred by sections 2(2) and 3(4) of the Family Income Supplements Act (Northern Ireland) 1971(**a**), 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 (Computation) (No. 2) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1972 and shall come into operation immediately after the first regulations of 1972 cease to have effect in accordance with section 10(4) of the Act.

(2) In these regulations—

"the Act" means the Family Income Supplements Act (Northern Ireland) 1971;

"the first regulations of 1972" means the Family Income Supplements (Computation) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1972(**b**).

Amendment of section 2 of the Act

2. In section 2(1) of the Act (prescribed amount) for the references to "£18·00" (being the sum specified therein on the first regulations of 1972 ceasing to have effect) there shall be substituted references to "£20·00".

Amendment of section 3 of the Act

3. In section 3(1) of the Act (amount of family income supplement) for the reference to "£4·00" (being the sum specified therein on the first regulations of 1972 ceasing to have effect) there shall be substituted a reference to "£5·00".

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland this 26th day of September 1972.

(L.S.)

C. G. Oakes,
Assistant Secretary.

(a) 1971. c. 8 (N.I.).

(b) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1972, No. 23.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These regulations amend the Family Income Supplements Act (Northern Ireland) 1971 by substituting for the amount of £18·00 referred to in section 2(1) and the amount of £4·00 referred to in section 3(1) (being the amounts specified therein on the first regulations of 1972 ceasing to have effect) the higher amounts of £20·00 and £5·00 respectively.