STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1967 No. 1265

SOCIAL SECURITY

The National Insurance (Increase of Benefit and Miscellaneous Provisions) Regulations 1967

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The National Insurance Joint Authority in exercise of powers conferred by sections, 45, 50 and 99 of the National Insurance Act 1965(a), and the Minister of Social Security, in exercise of powers conferred by sections 10, 49 and 102 and Schedule 11 paragraphs 17 and 18 of that Act and the National Insurance Act 1967(b) Schedule 7, in each case in consequence of the last-mentioned Act and in conjunction with the Treasury so far as relates to matters with regard to which the Treasury have so directed, and in exercise 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 (Increase of Benefit and Miscellaneous Provisions) Regulations 1967, and shall come into operation on 30th August 1967.

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

" the principal Act " means the National Insurance Act 1965;

" the Act of 1967 " means the National Insurance Act 1967;

and other expressions have the same meanings as in the principal Act.

(3) References in these regulations to any enactment or regulation shall, except in so far as the context otherwise requires, be construed as references to that enactment or regulation as amended or extended by or under any other enactment, order or regulation.

(4) The rules for the construction of Acts of Parliament contained in the Interpretation Act 1889(c) shall apply for the purpose of the interpretation of these regulations as they apply for the purpose of the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

Higher rates and amounts of benefit and rates of contributions payable under regulations

2.—(1) Subject to the provisions of regulations 5 and 7 of these regulations, as from the dates specified in Schedule A column 1 of these regulations there shall be substituted for each of the Tables mentioned in column 2 thereof the Table mentioned in the Schedule set opposite thereto in column 3.

(2) The provisions of this regulation shall not affect the amount of any death grant where the death occurred before 30th October 1967.

(a) 1965 c. 51. (b) 1967 c. 73. (c) 1889 c. 63.

Miscellaneous amendments relating to benefit and to contributions

3.—(1) As from the dates specified in Schedule L column 1 of these regulations, there shall in the regulations mentioned in column 2 thereof be made the amendments specified against those regulations mentioned in columns 3 and 4 thereof.

(2) As from 30th October 1967, Schedule 2 of the National Insurance (New Entrants Transitional) Regulations 1949(a) as amended (b) (amounts payable, by way of refund of contributions, to persons entering insurance too late to be able to satisfy contribution conditions for widow's benefit or retirement pension) shall be amended by the addition thereto, at the end, of the provisions set out in Schedule M to these regulations.

Conditions relating to payment of additional benefit under awards made before the appointed or prescribed day

4. Where an award of any benefit under the principal Act has been made before the day appointed or prescribed for the payment of benefit of the description to which the award relates at a higher weekly rate by virtue of the Act of 1967 or of these regulations, Schedule 7 paragraph 2 of that Act (effect of any such award) shall, if the period to which the award relates has not ended before that day, have effect subject to the following conditions:—

(1) If the award has not been made in accordance with the provisions of sub-paragraph (2) of that paragraph (which sub-paragraph authorises the making of such an award providing for the payment of the benefit at the higher weekly rate as from that day) and a question arises as to—

(*a*) the weekly rate at which the benefit is payable by virtue of the Act of 1967 or of these regulations, or

(*b*) whether the conditions for the receipt of the benefit at the higher weekly rate are satisfied,

the benefit shall be or continue to be payable at the weekly rate specified in the award until the said question shall have been determined in accordance with the provisions of the principal Act.

(2) Notwithstanding the provisions of regulation 12, as amended(c), of the National Insurance (Claims and Payments) Regulations 1948(d) (extinguishment of the right to sums payable by way of benefit) the right to any sum which, by virtue of the said Schedule 7 paragraph 2, becomes payable under the award by way of additional benefit shall, as respects the period beginning with that day and ending—

(*a*) in a case where a book of serial orders (as defined in regulation 1(2), as amended(e), of the said regulations) for the payment of benefit to which the award relates has been issued to the beneficiary and is current on that day, with the date of the expiration of that book; or

(*b*) in any other case, with the expiration of 12 months from that day;

be extinguished if payment thereof is not obtained within the period of 18 months (or such longer period as the Minister may determine in the circumstances of any particular case) from that day.

(a) S.I. 1949/352 (1949 I, p. 2737).
(b) As last amended by S.I. 1965/40 (1965 I, p. 47).
(c) The relevant amending instruments are S.I. 1952/1207, 1957/578, 1961/557 (1952 II, p. 2122; 1957 I, p. 1516; 1961 I, p. 1228).
(d) S.I. 1948/1041 (Rev. XVI, p. 313: 1948 I, p. 2709).
(e) The only relevant amendment was made by S.I. 1952/1207 (1952 II, p. 2122).

Persons not ordinarily resident in Great Britain

5.—(1) Notwithstanding the provisions of these or any other regulations, but subject to the provisions of this regulation, a person who is not ordinarily resident in Great Britain immediately before 30th October 1967 (in this regulation referred to as " the said date ") shall, unless and until that person becomes ordinarily resident in Great Britain, be disqualified for receiving—

(*a*) in the case of a woman who immediately before the said date is a married woman and had not retired from regular employment, any additional retirement pension by virtue of her husband's insurance, if the husband before the said date had retired from regular employment and was not ordinarily resident in Great Britain;

(*b*) in the case of a woman who immediately before the said date is a widow, any additional retirement pension by virtue of her husband's insurance, if her husband had died before the said date;

(*c*) in any other case, any additional retirement pension (not being additional retirement pension to which either of the two foregoing sub-paragraphs apply) if that person had retired from regular employment before the said date;

(*d*) any additional widow's benefit if her husband had died or retired before the said date;

(*e*) any additional child's special allowance, if her former husband had died before the said date.

(2) Notwithstanding as aforesaid, if immediately before the said date a person is not ordinarily resident in Great Britain but that person has, or would, but for the absence of any child from Great Britain, have in his family immediately before the said date a child in relation to whom the conditions for guardian's allowance specified in section 29 of the principal Act are satisfied, that person and any other person who would otherwise be entitled to any additional guardian's allowance in respect of that child shall be disqualified for receiving any additional guardian's allowance in respect of that child unless and until the child becomes (or is) included in the family of a person who is ordinarily resident in Great Britain.

(3) The disqualifications for the receipt of additional benefit contained in this regulation shall not apply to a person for any period during which he is in Great Britain.

(4) For the purposes of this regulation references to additional benefit of any description are to be construed as referring to additional benefit of that description by virtue (either directly or indirectly) of any provision of the Act of 1967 (other than section 1(1)(*e*) and Schedule 4 paragraph 3 thereof) or of these regulations (other than regulations 6 and 7(2)).

(5) A widow who—

(*a*) is not ordinarily resident in Great Britain immediately before the said date, and was entitled to widow's benefit immediately before attaining pensionable age, or who would, but for any provision of the principal Act disqualifying her for the receipt of such benefit have been so entitled; and

(*b*) is or becomes entitled to a retirement pension by virtue of her own insurance the right to which is calculated by taking into account under section 33 of the principal Act, her husband's contributions;

shall be disqualified for receiving any additional retirement pension the right to which is so calculated unless and until she becomes ordinarily resident in Great Britain if—

(i) her husband died before the said date; or

(ii) if before the said date he had retired from regular employment and was not ordinarily resident in Great Britain.

(6) Any provision of the regulations specified in Schedule N to these regulations (being regulations made for purposes corresponding to the purposes of this regulation in relation to benefit or additional benefit under or by virtue of the enactments or regulations to which they relate) whereby—

(*a*) a person is disqualified for receiving, or is excluded from the operation of a provision entitling him to, benefit or additional benefit as therein mentioned or provided unless and until that person becomes resident in Great Britain; or

(*b*) a disqualification is imposed for the receipt of additional guardian's allowance in respect of a child unless and until the child becomes (or is) included in the family of a person who is resident in Great Britain;

shall, as from the said date, have effect as if the reference therein to becoming or being resident in Great Britain were a reference to becoming or being ordinarily resident in Great Britain:

Provided that this paragraph shall not apply where, before the said date, the person had become resident in Great Britain or the child had become (or was) included in the family of a person who was resident in Great Britain.

Amendment of regulation 8C *of the National Insurance* (*Married Women*) *Regulations* 1948

6. For regulation 8C(1)(**a**) of the National Insurance (Married Women) Regulations 1948(**b**) (retirement pensions for women whose marriages have been dissolved) there shall be substituted the following:—

" 8C.—(1) Where a woman's marriage has been terminated otherwise than by the death of her husband and she was under pensionable age on the date of that termination, then, in calculating for the purpose of her right to a retirement pension by virtue of her own insurance the yearly average of the contributions paid by or credited to her, there shall from time to time be treated as so paid or credited for each contribution year falling wholly or partly during the period of the marriage a number of contributions either—

(*a*) equal to the yearly average (ascertained as at the date of the termination of the marriage or of her husband's attaining pensionable age, whichever is the earlier) of the contributions paid by or credited to her husband, or

(*b*) equal to the number of contributions actually paid by or credited to her for that year,

whichever will for the time being enable her to receive the greater amount by way of pension."

Transitory provisions

7.—(1) As respects the period beginning on 26th October 1967 and ending on 29th October 1967, the rate of a person's unemployment or sickness benefit for any day in the said period payable by virtue of section 19(3) of the principal Act (unemployment and sickness benefit for persons over pensionable age) shall be determined as if the day from which higher rates of retirement pension are payable by virtue of the foregoing provisions of these regulations were 26th October 1967.

(**a**) *Inserted by* S.I. 1957/1322 (1957 I, p. 1681).
(**b**) S.I. 1948/1470 (Rev. XVI, p. 123: 1948 I, p. 2795).

(2) For the purposes of sections 31(1) and 34(1)(*a*) and (*b*) of the principal Act (increase of retirement pension and woman's retirement pension in certain cases for contributions paid after pensionable age) where the relevant contributions paid for contribution weeks beginning before 30th October 1967 do not make up 12 or a multiple of 12 contributions, contributions paid for contribution weeks beginning on or after 30th October 1967 may be made up to 9 or a multiple of 9—

(*a*) if the number of the first-mentioned contributions is less than 12, with the aid of those contributions;

(*b*) if the number of the first-mentioned contributions exceeds 12, with the aid of so many of those contributions as exceed 12 or a multiple of 12.

Given under the Official Seal of the National Insurance Joint Authority.

D. J. Carter,
Secretary,
National Insurance Joint Authority.

(L.S.)

14th August 1967.

Judith Hart,
Minister of Social Security.

14th August 1967.

B. K. O'Malley,
Harry Gourlay,
Two of the Lords Commissioners of
Her Majesty's Treasury.

16th August 1967.

Regulation 2(1) SCHEDULE A

Date of operation 1	Existing table 2	Schedule containing substituted table 3
26th October 1967	The National Insurance (Unemployment and Sickness Benefit) Regulations 1967(a)	
	Table contained in Schedule 2	Schedule B
30th October 1967	The National Insurance (Maternity Benefit and Miscellaneous Provisions) Regulations 1954(b)	
	Table contained in regulation 13 as amended(c)	Schedule C
30th October 1967	The National Insurance (Widow's Benefit and Retirement Pensions) Regulations 1948(d)	
	Table contained in the Schedule as amended(e)	Schedule D
30th October 1967	The National Insurance (Pensions, Existing Beneficiaries and Other Persons) (Transitional) Regulations 1948(f)	
	Table contained in Schedule 1 as amended(g)	Schedule E
	Table contained in Schedule 2 as amended(h)	Schedule F
	Table contained in Schedule 3 as amended(i)	Schedule G
30th October 1967	The National Insurance (Pensions, Existing Contributors) (Transitional) Regulations 1948(j)	
	Table contained in Schedule 2 as amended(k)	Schedule H
	Tables contained in Schedule 5 Part III as amended(l)	Schedule I
30th October 1967	The National Insurance (Death Grant) Regulations 1949(m)	
	Table contained in Schedule 1 as amended(n)	Schedule J
30th October 1967	The National Insurance (Members of the Forces) Regulations 1949(o)	
	Table contained in Schedule 3 as amended(p)	Schedule K

(a) S.I. 1967/330 (1967 I, p. 1131). (b) S.I. 1954/189 (1954 I, p. 1387).
(c) As last amended by reg. 2 and Schedule C of S.I. 1965/40 (1965 I, p. 47).
(d) S.I. 1948/1261 (Rev. XVI, p. 207: 1948 I, p. 2704).
(e) As last amended by reg. 2 and Schedule D of S.I. 1965/40 (1965 I, p. 47).
(f) S.I. 1948/55 (Rev. XVI, p. 36: 1948 I, p. 2822).
(g) As last amended by reg. 2 and Schedule E of S.I. 1965/40 (1965 I, p. 47).
(h) As last amended by reg. 2 and Schedule F of S.I. 1965/40 (1965 I, p. 47).
(i) As last amended by reg. 2 and Schedule G of S.I. 1965/40 (1965 I, p. 47).
(j) S.I. 1948/612 (Rev. XVI, p. 18: 1948 I, p. 2834).
(k) The relevant amending instrument is S.I. 1965/35 (1965 I, p. 34).
(l) As last amended by reg. 2 and Schedule H of S.I. 1965/40 (1965 I, p. 47).
(m) S.I. 1949/1204 (1949 I, p. 2708).
(n) The relevant amending instrument is S.I. 1957/2077 (1957 I, p. 1556).
(o) S.I. 1949/875 (1949 I, p. 2731).
(p) As last amended by reg. 2 and Schedule I of S.I. 1965/40 (1965 I, p. 47).

SCHEDULE B

Regulation 2(1)

1	2	3	4	5
Number of contributions paid or credited in the relevant contribution year	Full weekly rate of benefit applicable under Schedule 3 to the Act			
	£ s. d. 4 10 0	£ s. d. 3 2 0	£ s. d. 2 16 0	£ s. d. 2 10 0
	Reduced rate at which benefit is payable			
48–49	4 7 0	3 1 0	2 14 0	2 8 6
46–47	4 3 6	2 19 0	2 12 0	2 6 6
43–45	4 0 0	2 15 6	2 9 6	2 4 6
40–42	3 13 0	2 12 0	2 6 0	2 1 6
37–39	3 5 6	2 7 0	2 3 0	1 18 0
34–36	2 18 6	2 2 0	1 18 6	1 14 6
30–33	2 12 0	1 17 0	1 13 6	1 10 6
26–29	2 5 0	1 11 0	1 8 0	1 5 6

SCHEDULE C

Regulation 2(1)

Numbers including the number of contributions paid or credited in respect of the relevant period 1	Weekly rate	
	Of maternity allowance without increase 2	Of increase in respect of adult dependant 3
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
48–49	4 7 0	2 14 0
46–47	4 3 6	2 12 0
43–45	4 0 0	2 9 6
40–42	3 13 0	2 6 0
37–39	3 5 6	2 3 0
34–36	2 18 6	1 18 6
30–33	2 12 0	1 13 6
26–29	2 5 0	1 8 0

Regulation 2(1) SCHEDULE D

1	2	3	4
Yearly average of contributions paid or credited	Full weekly rate of benefit applicable under Schedule 3 of the National Insurance Act 1965		
	£ s. d. 6 7 0	£ s. d. 4 10 0	£ s. d. 2 16 0
	Reduced rate at which benefit is payable		
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
48–49	6 2 0	4 7 0	2 14 0
46–47	5 17 0	4 3 6	2 12 0
43–45	5 10 6	4 0 0	2 9 6
40–42	5 2 6	3 13 0	2 6 0
37–39	4 13 6	3 5 6	2 3 0
34–36	4 3 6	2 18 6	1 18 6
30–33	3 13 6	2 12 0	1 13 6
26–29	3 3 6	2 5 0	1 8 0
22–25	2 13 6	1 18 6	1 2 6
18–21	2 3 6	1 11 6	18 6
13–17	1 13 6	1 5 0	16 0

Regulation 2(1) SCHEDULE E

Rate of widow's basic pension or contributory old age pension by virtue of husband's insurance and rate (apart from additional allowance or increase) of widow's pension immediately before the appointed day	Corresponding rate of widowed mother's allowance, widow's pension or retirement pension for a widow by virtue of husband's insurance	Corresponding increased rate of widow's basic pension or of contributory old age pension by virtue of husband's insurance
1	2	3
s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
9 0	4 1 0	1 7 0
8 0	3 12 0	1 4 0
7 0	3 3 0	1 1 0
6 0	2 14 0	18 0
5 0	2 5 0	15 0
4 0	—	12 0
3 0	—	9 0
2 0	—	6 0

SCHEDULE F Regulation 2(1)

Rate of retirement pension 1	Corresponding rate of increase in respect of an adult dependant or of retirement pension for a wife 2
£ s. d.	£ s. d.
4 1 0	2 10 6
3 14 6	2 6 0
3 12 0	2 5 0
3 5 6	2 0 0
3 3 0	1 19 0
2 18 6	1 17 0
2 14 0	1 13 6
2 12 0	1 12 6
2 9 0	1 11 6
2 5 0	1 8 0
2 0 6	1 6 6
1 18 6	1 3 6
1 16 0	1 2 6
1 14 0	1 2 0
1 11 6	1 0 6
1 10 0	17 6
1 7 0	17 0
1 5 0	16 0
1 2 6	14 6
1 1 0	12 6
18 0	11 0
16 0	11 0
13 6	9 6
12 0	7 0
10 0	7 0
8 0	6 6
7 6	5 6

Regulation 2(1) SCHEDULE G

Rate at which an old age or widow's pension would, apart from the Increase of Pensions Regulations and but for the repeal of the Contributory Pensions Acts, have been payable	Rate of retirement pension (except in a case where column 4 applies) being the rate at which an old age or widow's pension would, but for the repeal of the Contributory Pensions Acts, have been payable	Corresponding increased rate of retirement pension	Rate of retirement pension for wife by virtue of husband's insurance where he is alive, being the rate at which an old age pension would, but for the repeal of the Contributory Pensions Acts, have been payable	Corresponding increased rate of retirement pension
1	2	3	4	5
s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
9 0	1 3 0	4 1 0	14 0	2 10 6
8 3	1 1 0	3 14 6	12 6	2 6 0
8 0	1 0 0	3 12 0	12 0	2 5 0
7 3	18 6	3 5 6	11 0	2 0 0
7 0	18 0	3 3 0	11 0	1 19 0
6 6	16 6	2 18 6	10 0	1 17 0
6 0	15 0	2 14 0	9 0	1 13 6
5 9	14 6	2 12 0	9 0	1 12 6
5 6	14 0	2 9 0	8 6	1 11 6
5 0	13 0	2 5 0	8 0	1 8 0
4 6	11 6	2 0 6	7 0	1 6 6
4 3	11 0	1 18 6	6 6	1 3 6
4 0	10 0	1 16 0	6 0	1 2 6
3 9	9 6	1 14 0	6 0	1 2 0
3 6	9 0	1 11 6	5 6	1 0 6
3 3	8 6	1 10 0	5 0	17 6
3 0	8 0	1 7 0	5 0	17 0
2 9	7 0	1 5 0	4 6	16 0
2 6	6 6	1 2 6	4 0	14 6
2 3	6 0	1 1 0	3 6	12 6
2 0	5 0	18 0	3 0	11 0
1 9	4 6	16 0	3 0	11 0
1 6	4 0	13 6	2 6	9 6
1 3	3 6	12 0	2 0	7 0
1 0	3 0	10 0	2 0	7 0
9	2 0	8 0	1 6	6 6
6	1 6	7 6	1 0	5 6

SCHEDULE H

Regulation 2(1)

Yearly average of contributions paid or credited	Reduced rate at which pension is payable
1	2
	£ s. d.
48–49	1 8 6
46–47	1 7 0
43–45	1 5 6
40–42	1 4 0
37–39	1 2 6
34–36	19 6
30–33	18 0
26–29	15 0
22–25	12 0
18–21	10 6
13–17	7 6

SCHEDULE I

Regulation 2(1)

TABLE 1

Rate at which an old age pension would, but for the repeal of the Contributory Pensions Acts, have been payable	Corresponding rate of retirement pension where pensionable age attained during period:—				
	From 5th July 1948 to 4th July 1949	From 5th July 1949 to 4th July 1950	From 5th July 1950 to 4th July 1951	From 5th July 1951 to 4th July 1952	From 5th July 1952 to 4th July 1953
1	2	3	4	5	6
£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1 3 0	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0
1 0 0	3 14 6	3 17 0	4 1 0	4 3 6	4 7 0
18 0	3 6 6	3 12 0	3 17 0	4 3 6	4 7 0
15 0	2 16 0	3 3 0	3 14 6	4 1 0	4 7 0
13 0	2 9 0	2 19 0	3 12 0	3 17 0	4 7 0
10 0	2 3 6	2 14 0	3 3 0	3 14 6	4 3 6
8 0	1 16 0	2 5 0	2 19 0	3 14 6	4 3 6
5 0	1 5 0	1 18 6	2 16 0	3 12 0	4 3 6
3 0	18 0	1 16 0	2 14 0	3 6 6	4 3 6
—	10 0	1 7 0	2 5 0	3 3 0	4 1 0

TABLE 2

Yearly average of contributions paid or credited	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
	10 0	18 0	25 0	27 0	36 0	38 6	43 6	45 0	49 0	54 0	56 0	59 0	63 0	66 6	72 0	74 6	77 0	81 0	83 6	87 0
	Corresponding rates of retirement pensions:—																			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
48–49	9 6	16 0	22 6	25 6	34 0	36 6	40 6	44 0	48 0	52 0	54 6	58 6	62 0	65 6	67 6	72 0	74 6	77 0	81 0	83 6
46–47	9 6	16 0	22 6	25 6	31 6	36 0	38 6	43 6	45 0	49 0	54 0	56 0	59 0	63 0	66 6	67 6	72 0	74 6	77 0	81 0
43–45	9 6	16 0	21 0	25 0	30 0	34 0	36 6	40 6	44 0	48 0	49 0	54 0	56 0	59 0	63 0	65 6	67 6	72 0	74 6	77 0
40–42	9 6	13 6	18 6	22 6	27 0	31 6	36 0	36 6	40 6	44 0	45 0	48 0	52 0	54 6	58 6	59 0	63 0	65 6	66 6	72 0
37–39	8 0	12 0	18 0	21 0	25 6	27 0	31 6	34 0	36 6	40 6	43 6	44 0	45 0	49 0	54 0	54 6	58 6	59 0	62 0	65 6
34–36	8 0	12 0	16 0	18 0	22 6	25 0	27 0	30 0	34 0	36 6	38 6	40 6	43 6	44 0	48 0	49 0	52 0	54 0	54 6	58 6
30–33	7 6	10 0	13 6	16 0	21 0	22 6	25 0	25 6	27 0	31 6	34 0	36 0	36 6	38 6	43 6	44 0	45 0	48 0	49 0	52 0
26–29	7 6	9 6	12 0	13 6	18 0	18 6	21 0	22 6	25 0	25 6	27 0	30 0	31 6	34 0	36 0	36 6	38 6	40 6	43 6	44 0
22–25	7 6	8 0	10 0	12 0	13 6	16 0	18 0	18 6	21 0	21 0	22 6	25 0	25 6	27 0	30 0	31 6	34 0	34 0	36 0	36 6
18–21	5 6	7 6	9 6	10 0	12 0	13 6	13 6	16 0	18 0	18 0	18 6	21 0	21 0	22 6	25 0	25 6	27 0	27 0	30 0	30 0
13–17	5 6	7 6	8 0	8 0	9 6	10 0	10 0	12 0	13 6	13 6	16 0	18 0	18 0	18 0	18 6	18 6	21 0	21 0	22 6	22 6

TABLE 3

Rate of retirement pension	Corresponding rate of increase in respect of an adult dependant or of retirement pension for a wife	Rate of retirement pension	Corresponding rate of increase in respect of an adult dependant or of retirement pension for a wife
1	2	3	4
£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
4 7 0	2 14 0	2 0 6	1 6 6
4 3 6	2 11 6	1 18 6	1 3 6
4 1 0	2 10 6	1 16 6	1 3 6
3 17 0	2 8 6	1 16 0	1 2 6
3 14 6	2 6 0	1 14 0	1 2 0
3 12 0	2 5 0	1 11 6	1 0 6
3 7 6	2 3 0	1 10 0	17 6
3 6 6	2 1 6	1 7 0	17 0
3 5 6	2 0 0	1 5 6	16 0
3 3 0	1 19 0	1 5 0	16 0
3 2 0	1 18 6	1 2 6	14 6
2 19 0	1 17 0	1 1 0	12 6
2 18 6	1 17 0	18 6	12 6
2 16 0	1 14 0	18 0	11 0
2 14 6	1 14 0	16 0	11 0
2 14 0	1 13 6	13 6	9 6
2 12 0	1 12 6	12 0	7 0
2 9 0	1 11 6	10 0	7 0
2 8 0	1 9 0	9 6	6 6
2 5 0	1 8 0	8 0	6 6
2 4 0	1 7 0	7 6	5 6
2 3 6	1 7 0	5 6	4 6

Regulation 2(1) SCHEDULE J

Showing reduced amount of death grant payable if the contribution conditions are not fully satisfied

1	2	3	4	5	6
Yearly average of contributions paid or credited	and the age of deceased at death was				
	over 18		between 6 and 18	between 3 and 6	under 3
	and, if a man was under 55 on 4th July 1948, or, if a woman was under 50 at that date	and, if a man was over 55 and under 65 on 4th July 1948, or, if a woman was over 50 and under 60 at that date			
	Full amount of death grant payable under Schedule 4 of the National Insurance Act 1965				
	£30	£15	£22 10s.	£15	£9
	Reduced amount of death grant payable:—				
30–44	£22 10s.	£11 5s.	£16 17s. 6d.	£11 5s.	£6 15s.
13–29	£15	£7 10s.	£11 5s.	£7 10s.	£4 10s.

Regulation 2(1) SCHEDULE K

Description of employed persons who are serving members of the forces	Reduction of weekly rate of contribution	
	Employed person	Employer
	s. d.	s. d.
Men over the age of 18	1 9	1 11
Women over the age of 18	1 5	1 6
Boys under the age of 18	1 0	1 1
Girls under the age of 18	10	10

SCHEDULE L

Regulation 3(1)

Date of operation	Regulations amended	Amendments: There shall be substituted for the expressions specified in column 3 (wherever they occur) the expressions specified in column 4	
1	2	3	4
1. 30th October 1967	The National Insurance (Pensions, Existing Beneficiaries and Other Persons) (Transitional) Regulations 1948 regulations 9(3) and 10 as amended(a)		
	(Rates of converted retirement pension for existing beneficiaries, of increase of retirement pension in respect of adult dependants, and of retirement pension for wives of certain existing beneficiaries)		
	Regulation 9(3) proviso	29th March 1965	30th October 1967
		s. d. 80 0	£ s. d. 4 10 0
		50 0	2 16 0
	Regulation 10(1)	80 0	4 10 0
	Regulation 10(2) proviso (*a*)	29th March 1965	30th October 1967
2. 30th October 1967	The National Insurance (Pensions, Existing Contributors) (Transitional) Regulations 1948		
	Regulation 11(4)(*a*) as amended(b)		
	(Rates of benefit for certain widows over the age of 50 on the appointed day who are existing contributors)	80 0	4 10 0

(a) The relevant amending instruments are S.I. 1951/1232, 1957/1950, 1965/40 (1951 I, p. 1457; 1957 I, p. 1704; 1965 I, p. 47).
(b) As last amended by reg. 5 and Schedule L of S.I. 1965/40 (1965 I, p. 47).

Date of operation	Regulations amended	Amendments: There shall be substituted for the expressions specified in column 3 (wherever they occur) the expressions specified in column 4	
1	2	3	4
		s. d.	£ s. d.
3. The date in relation to any benefit under the principal Act as from which the weekly rate of that benefit is increased by virtue of the Act of 1967 or of these regulations	The National Insurance (Hospital In-Patients) Regulations 1949(a) regulations 3, 4, 5 as amended(b) and regulation 6 as amended(c) (Reduction in certain circumstances of weekly rates of benefit in the case of hospital in-patients)		
	Regulation 3(4)	21 0	1 3 0
		16 0	18 0
	Regulation 4	16 0	18 0
		32 0	1 16 0
	Regulation 5(1)	21 0	1 3 0
		16 0	18 0
	Regulation 5(2)	37 0	2 1 0
		32 0	1 16 0
		16 0	18 0
	Regulation 5(3)(*a*)	32 0	1 16 0
	Regulation 5(3)(*b*)	53 0	2 19 0
		48 0	2 14 0
	Regulation 5(4)(*c*)	21 0	1 3 0
		16 0	18 0
	Regulation 5(4)(*d*)	46 0	2 12 0
	Regulation 6(3) and (4)	16 0	18 0
		21 0	1 3 0
		37 0	2 1 0
		32 0	1 16 0

(a) S.I. 1949/1461 (1949 I, p. 2718).
(b) The relevant amending instruments are S.I. 1957/1849, 2077, 1965/40 (1957 I, pp. 1546, 1556; 1965 I, p. 47).
(c) The relevant amending instruments are S.I. 1957/1849, 1965/40 (1957 I, p. 1546; 1965 I, p. 47).

Date of operation	Regulations amended	Amendments: There shall be substituted for the expressions specified in column 3 (wherever they occur) the expressions specified in column 4	
1	2	3	4
		s. d.	£ s. d.
4. 26th October 1967	The National Insurance (Hospital In-Patients) Regulations 1949		
	Regulation 6A(2) as amended(a)	105 0	6 0 0
	(Benefit payable on discharge from a hospital or similar institution)		
5. 30th October 1967	The National Insurance (New Entrants Transitional) Regulations 1949		
	Regulation 5(2)(*a*) as amended(b)	80 0	4 10 0
	(Modification of provisions of the Act relating to retirement pensions in the case of certain widows)		
6. 30th October 1967	The National Insurance (Widow's Benefit and Retirement Pensions) Regulations 1948(c)		
	Regulation 8(2)(*b*)(d)	"resident"	"ordinarily resident"
	(Election to re-enter employment)		
7. 30th October 1967	The National Insurance (Contributions) Regulations 1948(e)		
	Regulations 13 as amended(f), 14 as amended(g) and 14A(h) as amended(g)	"£260"	"£312"
	(Provisions for exception from liability to pay contributions for persons in receipt of an income not exceeding £260 a year)		

(a) The relevant amending instruments are S.I. 1957/1849, 1960/1283, 1965/40 (1957 I, p. 1546; 1960 II, p. 2163; 1965 I, p. 47).
(b) As last amended by regulation 5 and Schedule L of S.I. 1965/40 (1965 I, p. 47).
(c) S.I. 1948/1261 (Rev. XVI, p. 207: 1948 I, p. 2704).
(d) *Inserted by* S.I. 1957/1309 (1957 I, p. 1615).
(e) S.I. 1948/1417 (Rev. XVI, p. 164: 1948 I, p. 2767).
(f) The relevant amending instruments are S.I. 1955/1602, 1965/40 (1955 I, p. 1629; 1965 I, p. 47).
(g) The relevant amending instrument is S.I. 1965/40 (1965 I, p. 47).
(h) *Inserted by* S.I. 1955/1602 (1955 I, p. 1629).

SCHEDULE M

Regulation 3(2)

6. Applicable (in substitution for the provisions of paragraph 5 of this Schedule) to contributions in respect of contribution weeks commencing on or after 30th October 1967.

Men				Women			
Age of man at expiration of period of currency of contribution card on which contribution was paid	Employed	Self-Employed	Non-Employed	Age of woman at expiration of period of currency of contribution card on which contribution was paid	Employed	Self-Employed	Non-Employed
	Portion of contribution to be refunded				Portion of contribution to be refunded		
	pence 103	pence 157½	pence 157½		pence 86	pence 114½	pence 114½
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
	Total number of pence to be refunded (including interest) in respect of each contribution				Total number of pence to be refunded (including interest) in respect of each contribution		
65 and over	104	158	158	60 and over	87	115	115
64 „ „	106	162	162	59 „ „	88	117	117
63 „ „	108	166	166	58 „ „	90	120	120
62 „ „	111	170	170	57 „ „	93	123	123
61 „ „	114	174	174	56 „ „	95	126	126
60 „ „	116	178	178	55 „ „	97	129	129
59 „ „	119	183	183	54 „ „	100	133	133

SCHEDULE N

Regulation 5

Regulations referred to in regulation 5(6) of these regulations

Regulations	Reference
The National Insurance (Increase of Contributory Pensions) Regulations 1946, regulation 16(3), as applied by the National Insurance (Pensions, Existing Beneficiaries and Other Persons) (Transitional) Regulations 1948, regulation 9(3) and amended by the National Insurance (Increase of Benefit and Miscellaneous Provisions) (Transitional) Regulations 1955, regulation 12(a).	S.R. & O. 1946/1508 (Rev. XVI, p. 246: 1946 I, p. 1066).
The National Insurance (Increase of Old Age Pensions) Regulations 1946, regulation 9(*a*), as so applied and amended.	S.R. & O. 1946/1604 (Rev. XVI, p. 266: 1946 I, p. 1081).
The National Insurance (Pensions, Existing Beneficiaries and Other Persons) (Transitional) Regulations 1948, regulations 6(4)(*a*) and 21(1) and (2), as so amended.	S.I. 1948/55 (Rev. XVI, p. 36: 1948 I, p. 2822).
The National Insurance (Increase of Benefit, Re-entry into Regular Employment and Miscellaneous Provisions) Regulations 1951, regulation 24.	S.I. 1951/1232 (1951 I, p. 1457).
The National Insurance (Increase of Benefit and Miscellaneous Provisions) Regulations 1952, regulation 13.	S.I. 1952/2144 (1952 II, p. 2154).
The National Insurance (Increase of Benefit and Miscellaneous Provisions) Regulations 1955, regulation 17, as amended(b).	S.I. 1955/493 (1955 I, p. 1586).
The National Insurance (Widow's Benefit and Miscellaneous Provisions) Regulations 1956, regulation 12.	S.I. 1956/1199 (1956 I, p. 1625).
The National Insurance (Increase of Benefit and Miscellaneous Provisions) Regulations 1957, regulation 27.	S.I. 1957/2077 (1957 I, p. 1556).
The National Insurance (Increase of Benefit and Miscellaneous Provisions) Regulations 1960, regulation 26.	S.I. 1960/2422 (1960 II, p. 2169).
The National Insurance (Increase of Benefit and Miscellaneous Provisions) Regulations 1963, regulation 18.	S.I. 1963/394 (1963 I, p. 424).
The National Insurance (Widow's Benefit and Miscellaneous Provisions) Regulations 1964, regulation 6.	S.I. 1964/297 (1964 I, p. 508).
The National Insurance (Increase of Widow's Basic Pension and Miscellaneous Provisions) Regulations 1965, regulation 5.	S.I. 1965/35 (1965 I, p. 34).
The National Insurance (Increase of Benefit and Miscellaneous Provisions) Regulations 1965, regulation 3 and Schedule J (so far as applying the National Insurance (Increase of Benefit and Miscellaneous Provisions) Regulations 1963, regulation 18).	S.I. 1965/40 (1965 I, p. 47).

(a) S.I. 1955/47 (1955 I, p. 1605).

(b) *See* S.I. 1957/2164 (1957 I, p. 1600).

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Regulations.)

These Regulations are made in consequence of the National Insurance Act 1967 and accordingly, by virtue of Schedule 7 paragraph 7, no reference of them has been made to the National Insurance Advisory Committee nor has a draft of regulation 6 of these Regulations been laid before Parliament for approval by resolution of each House. The Regulations increase the rates of benefit payable under certain regulations deemed by virtue of section 117 of the National Insurance Act 1965 to have been made under that Act in order to bring them into conformity with the higher rates of benefit payable directly under that Act by virtue of the Act of 1967. The Regulations also amend the National Insurance (Married Women) Regulations 1948 by removing the need for a woman whose marriage has been dissolved to elect that contributions paid by or credited to her husband should be taken into account for the purposes of her retirement pension, and provide (as has been done for widows by the Act of 1967) that the husband's contributions should be taken into account whenever that will enable her to receive a greater amount by way of pension. Provision is made in relation to the payment of additional benefit in the case of persons not residing in Great Britain. The remaining provisions are of a minor or consequential character.