STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1974 No. 1036

SOCIAL SECURITY

The National Insurance and Industrial Injuries (Classification and Collection of Contributions) Amendment Regulations 1974

Made - - -	13*th June* 1974
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Coming into Operation	5*th August* 1974

The Secretary of State for Social Services (**a**), in conjunction with the Treasury so far as relates to matters with regard to which the Treasury have so directed (**b**), and in exercise of powers conferred by sections 1(3) and 8(5) of the National Insurance Act 1965(**c**) and section 3(3)(*b*) of the National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) Act 1965(**d**) and of all other powers enabling her in that behalf, hereby makes the following regulations which contain no provisions other than such as operate with reference to the amount of a person's earnings and which accordingly, by virtue of section 8(4) of, and paragraph 2(1)(*b*) of Schedule 5 to, the National Insurance Act 1974(**e**) are exempt from the requirements of section 108 of the National Insurance Act 1965 and section 62(2) of the National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) Act 1965 (reference to the National Insurance Advisory Committee and the Industrial Injuries Advisory Council):—

Citation, commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) These regulations may be cited as the National Insurance and Industrial Injuries (Classification and Collection of Contributions) Amendment Regulations 1974 and shall come into operation on 5th August 1974.

(2) Each provision of these regulations which amends other regulations shall be read as one with the regulation it amends.

Amendment of the National Insurance (Classification) Regulations 1972

2. In Schedule 1 to the National Insurance (Classification) Regulations 1972(**f**), as amended (**g**) (classification of insured persons)—

(*a*) in paragraphs 11 in column (B), and 14 in columns (A) and (B), and in paragraphs 37 and 38 to 57 in column (B), for the amount of "£7·00" there shall be substituted the amount of "£9·00", and

(*b*) in paragraph 22 in column (A) for the amount of "£6·00" there shall be substituted the amount of "£8·00".

(a) For transfer of functions from the Minister of Pensions and National Insurance to (eventually) the Secretary of State, *see* Ministry of Social Security Act 1966 (c. 20) and S.I. 1968/1699 (1968 III, p. 4585).
(b) *See* section 106(5) National Insurance Act 1965.
(c) 1965 c. 51. (d) 1965 c. 52. (e) 1974 c. 14.
(f) S.I. 1972/555 (1972 I, p. 1861).
(g) S.I. 1972/1287, 1973/1441 (1972 II, p. 3860; 1973 II, p. 4397).

Amendment of the National Insurance and Industrial Injuries (Collection of Contributions) Regulations 1948

3. In regulation 10A of the National Insurance and Industrial Injuries (Collection of Contributions) Regulations 1948(**a**), as amended (**b**), (contributions in weeks in which no services are rendered and remuneration does not exceed the specified amount) and in the proviso to regulation 11 of those regulations (contributions during holidays) for the amount of "£7·00" there shall be substituted the amount of "£9·00".

Barbara Castle.
Secretary of State for Social Services.

12th June 1974.

James Hamilton,
James A. Dunn,
Two of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

13th June 1974.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(*This Note is not part of the Regulations.*)

By virtue of section 8(4) of, and paragraph 2(1)(*b*) of Schedule 5 to, the National Insurance Act 1974 these Regulations are exempt from reference to the National Insurance Advisory Committee and the Industrial Injuries Advisory Council, and no such references have been made.

These Regulations, by amending various paragraphs of Schedule 1 to the National Insurance (Classification) Regulations 1972 and regulations 10A and 11 of the National Insurance and Industrial Injuries (Collection of Contributions) Regulations 1948, raise the sum of weekly earnings in the case of certain insured persons in specified employments where classification is modified or where liability for contributions is determined by reference to their earnings.

(**a**) S.I. 1948/1274 (Rev. XVI, p. 148: 1948 p. 3037).
(**b**) The relevant amending instruments are S.I. 1959/207, 1969/1362, 1971/1421, 1972/1287, 1973/1441 (1959 II, p. 1893; 1969 III, p. 4069; 1971 II, p. 3992; 1972 II, p. 3860; 1973 II, p. 4397).

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