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GUERNSEY STATUTORY INSTRUMENT

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1990—No. 28

**The Social Insurance (Increase of Benefit)  
Regulations, 1990**

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Made ... .. 2nd November, 1990.  
Laid before the States ... .. 12th December, 1990.  
Coming into force ... .. 5th November, 1990.

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THE STATES INSURANCE AUTHORITY, in exercise of the powers conferred upon it by sections 27, 39, 50 and 116 of and Part II of the Fourth Schedule to the Social Insurance (Guernsey) Law, 1978, as amended(*a*), hereby orders:—

*Interpretation*

1. (1) Any reference in these Regulations to an enactment or regulations is (unless the context excludes) a reference thereto as amended, re-enacted, extended or applied.

(2) The Interpretation (Guernsey) Law, 1948(*b*) applies to the interpretation of these Regulations as it applies to the interpretation of a Guernsey enactment.

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(*a*) Ordres en Conseil Vol. XXVI, p. 292; Vol. XXVII, pp. 238, 307 and 392; No. IV of 1985; No. III of 1986 and No. XXXI of 1986.

(*b*) Ordres en Conseil Vol. XIII, p. 355.

*Amendments*

2. In the Social Insurance (Unemployment, Sickness and Invalidity Benefit) (Guernsey) Regulations, 1978(c)—

- (a) in regulation 6(1)(f) for “twenty-three pounds” substitute “£25.50”;
- (b) for the second, third and fifth schedules substitute the schedules set out respectively in the first, second and third schedules to these Regulations.

3. For the first and second schedules to the Social Insurance (Benefits) (Miscellaneous Provisions) (Guernsey) Regulations, 1978(d) substitute the schedules set out respectively in the fourth and fifth schedules to these Regulations.

4. For the second schedule to the Social Insurance (Industrial Injuries Benefits) (Guernsey) Regulations, 1978(e) substitute the schedule set out in the sixth schedule to these Regulations.

5. In the Social Insurance (Benefits) (Transitional Provisions) (Guernsey) Regulations, 1978(f)—

- (a) in Regulation 19(2)(a) for “twenty-two pounds” substitute “£24.50”;
- (b) in Regulation 19(2)(b) for “thirty-three pounds” substitute “£36.75”.

*Repeal*

6. The Social Insurance (Increase of Benefit) (Guernsey) Regulations, 1989(g) are repealed.

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- (c) S.I. 1978 No. 29; S.I. 1979 No. 12; S.I. 1981 Nos. 10 and 30; S.I. 1982 No. 9; S.I. 1984 No. 20; S.I. 1989 No. 37.
  - (d) S.I. 1978 No. 21; S.I. 1980 No. 26; S.I. 1985 No. 15; S.I. 1989 No. 3; S.I. 1989 No. 37; S.I. 1990 No. 10.
  - (e) S.I. 1978 No. 31; S.I. 1989 No. 37.
  - (f) S.I. 1978 No. 30; S.I. 1979 No. 13; S.I. 1981 No. 25; S.I. 1989 No. 37.
  - (g) S.I. 1989 No. 37.

*Transitional provisions relating to maternity grant*

7. Where a woman has become entitled to a maternity grant (whether payment has been made or not) before the 5th November, 1990 and her confinement occurs or her pregnancy is otherwise terminated on or after that day, she shall be entitled to a maternity grant at the rate specified in Part III of the Schedule to the Social Insurance (Rates of Contributions and Benefits, etc.) (Guernsey) Ordinance, 1990(h).

*Extent*

8. These Regulations shall have effect in the Islands of Guernsey, Alderney, Herm and Jethou.

*Citation*

9. These Regulations may be cited as the Social Insurance (Increase of Benefit) Regulations, 1990.

*Commencement*

10. (1) These Regulations (apart from Regulation 2(a)) shall come into force on 5th November, 1990.

(2) Regulation 2(a) shall come into force on 1st January, 1991.

Dated this 2nd day of November, 1990.

R. M. CHILCOTT,

President of the States Insurance Authority  
for and on behalf of the Authority.

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(h) Ordinance No. 33 of 1990.

## FIRST SCHEDULE Regulation 2(b)

## “ SECOND SCHEDULE Regulation 12

Showing reduced rates of sickness benefit and of increase of benefit in respect of adult dependants

(1)	(2)	(3)
Number of reckonable contributions paid or credited in the relevant contribution year	Full weekly rate of benefit applicable under the Social Insurance (Rates of Contributions and Benefits, etc.) (Guernsey) Ordinance, 1990.	
	£51.00	£31.00
	Reduced rate at which benefit is payable	
48-49	£49.45	£30.05
46-47	£47.45	£28.85
43-45	£44.90	£27.30
40-42	£41.80	£25.40
37-39	£38.75	£23.55
34-36	£35.70	£21.70
30-33	£32.15	£19.55
26-29	£28.05	£17.05

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## SECOND SCHEDULE Regulation 2(b)

## THIRD SCHEDULE Regulation 12

Showing reduced rates of invalidity benefit and of increase of benefit in respect of adult dependants

(1)	(2)	(3)
Number of reckonable contributions paid or credited in the relevant contribution year	Full weekly rate of benefit applicable under the Social Insurance (Rates of Contributions and Benefits, etc.) (Guernsey) Ordinance, 1990.	
	£58.00	£34.00
	Reduced rate at which benefit is payable	
48-49	£56.25	£33.00
46-47	£53.95	£31.60
43-45	£51.05	£29.90
40-42	£47.55	£27.90
37-39	£44.10	£25.85
34-36	£40.60	£23.80
30-33	£36.55	£21.40
26-29	£31.90	£18.70

## THIRD SCHEDULE Regulation 2(b)

## “ FIFTH SCHEDULE Regulation 12

Showing reduced rates of unemployment benefit and of increase of benefit in respect of adult dependants

(1)	(2)	(3)
Number of reckonable contributions paid or credited in the relevant contribution year	Full weekly rate of benefit applicable under the Social Insurance (Rates of Contributions and Benefits, etc.) (Guernsey) Ordinance, 1990.	
	£51.00	£31.00
	Reduced rate at which benefit is payable	
48-49	£49.45	£30.05
46-47	£47.45	£28.85
43-45	£44.90	£27.30
40-42	£41.80	£25.40
37-39	£38.75	£23.55
34-36	£35.70	£21.70
30-33	£32.15	£19.55
26-29	£28.05	£17.05

## FOURTH SCHEDULE

Regulation 3

## FIRST SCHEDULE

Regulation 9

Weekly rates of maternity allowance in cases of partial satisfaction of contribution conditions

Numbers including the number of reckonable contributions paid or credited in respect of the relevant period	Weekly rate	
	Of maternity allowance without increase	Of increase in respect of adult dependant
48-49	£49.45	£30.05
46-47	£47.45	£28.85
43-45	£44.90	£27.30
40-42	£41.80	£25.40
37-39	£38.75	£23.55
34-36	£35.70	£21.70
30-33	£32.15	£19.55
26-29	£28.05	£17.05

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## FIFTH SCHEDULE

Regulation 3

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## SECOND SCHEDULE

Regulation 13

Reduced amount of death grant payable where contribution conditions are not fully satisfied

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Yearly average of reckonable contributions paid or credited	The age of the deceased at death			
	Over 18	Between 6 and 18	Between 3 and 6	Under 3
	Full amount of death grant payable under the Social Insurance (Rates of Contributions and Benefits, etc.) (Guernsey) Ordinance, 1990.			
	£222.00	£166.50	£111.00	£66.60
	Reduced amount of death grant payable			
30-44	£166.50	£124.90	£83.25	£49.95
10-29	£111.00	£83.25	£55.50	£33.30

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## SIXTH SCHEDULE

Regulation 4

## SECOND SCHEDULE

Regulation 7

Rates of increase of industrial disablement benefit under section 50 of the Law where constant attendance is required

Description of case (1)	Rate of increase (2)
1. Where beneficiary is dependent to a substantial extent on constant attendance	1. £29.00
2. Where beneficiary is dependent to a substantial extent on constant attendance and where attendance required is greater by reason of exceptionally severe disablement	2. £43.50
3. Where beneficiary is entirely or almost entirely dependent on constant attendance	3. £58.00

## EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These Regulations increase the reduced rates of unemployment benefit, sickness benefit, invalidity benefit and maternity allowance payable under the Social Insurance (Guernsey) Law, 1978, in order to bring them into correspondence with the higher standard rates of such benefits approved by the States on the 28th June, 1990; increase the reduced amounts of death grant payable under that Law in order to bring them into correspondence with the higher standard amount of death grant approved by the States as aforesaid; and revise the rates of increase of industrial disablement benefit where constant attendance is required. The remaining provisions of these Regulations effect minor consequential and other amendments.