
GUERNSEY STATUTORY INSTRUMENT

1999 - No. 48

The Social Insurance (Claims and Payments) (Amendment) Regulations, 1999

Made 2nd December, 1999.

Laid before the States

Coming into operation 1st January, 2000

THE GUERNSEY SOCIAL SECURITY AUTHORITY, in exercise of the powers conferred upon it by sections 27 and 28 of the Social Insurance (Guernsey) Law, 1978, as amended^a, hereby orders:-

Amendment of First Schedule

1. Paragraph 3 of Part I of the First Schedule to the Social Insurance (Claims and Payments) (Guernsey) Regulations, 1978^b (the principal regulations) is replaced by the following:

3. Maternity benefit - (a) Maternity grant.	(a) The period beginning with the sixteenth week before the week in which it is to be expected that the claimant will be confined and ending three months after the date of the confinement.	(a) The benefit claimed.
(b) Maternity allowance.	(b) The period beginning with the sixteenth week before the week in which it is to be expected that the claimant will be confined and ending three months after the date of the confinement.	(b) Benefit in respect of any week in the maternity allowance period three months before the beginning of the week in which the claim is made.

^a Ordres en Conseil Vol. XXVI, p. 292; Vol. XXVII, pp. 238, 307 and 392; Vol. XXIX, pp. 24, 148 and 422; No. V of 1990; Nos. V and XII of 1993; Ordinance No. XIV of 1993; Ordres en Conseil No. V of 1994, Nos. VI and XIII of 1995; No. I of 1998; No. VI of 1999.

^b S.I. 1978 No. 23.

Repeal

2. Paragraphs 5(3) and 6 of Part II of the First Schedule to the principal regulations are repealed.

Citation

3. These regulations may be cited as the Social Insurance (Claims and Payments) (Amendment) Regulations, 1999.

Commencement

4. These regulations shall come into force on 1st January 2000.

Dated this 2nd day of December, 1999.



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President of the Guernsey Social Security Authority,
for and on behalf of the Authority.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Regulations, but is intended to indicate their general purport.)
These regulations reflect the reform of maternity benefits brought about by changes to the Social Insurance Law by replacing complex provisions about the time limits for making claims to benefits with a simple limit of three months.