

Island of  Guernsey

Ordinance of the States **XXXI**

1988

Made 28th September, 1988.
Coming into Operation ... 11th November, 1988.

**The Supplementary Benefit (Classes of
persons to whom the Law applies)
Ordinance, 1988**

THE STATES, in pursuance of their Resolution of the 27th day of July, 1988, and in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by section 2(3) of the Supplementary Benefit (Guernsey) Law, 1971(a), hereby order:—

1. (1) The classes of persons specified in section 2(1) of the Law shall be varied to provide that the Law shall apply to a person who is ordinarily resident in Guernsey and is—

Variation of the classes of persons to whom the Law applies.

- (a) a handicapped person;
- (b) a person who has attained school-leaving age and who is temporarily incapacitated by illness or injury;

(a) Ordres en Conseil Vol. XXIII, p. 26.

- (c) a person who has attained the age of sixty years;
- (d) a person over school-leaving age who is incapable of supporting himself by reason of physical or mental infirmity and is likely to remain so incapable for a prolonged period;
- (e) a person who has attained school-leaving age and who is wholly or partly maintaining a child, being a member of the same household other than a person who is living with his spouse or, is deemed by the Administrator to be, cohabiting with a woman as her husband or with a man as his wife;
- (f) a woman who has attained school-leaving age who is pregnant, other than such a woman who is living with her husband or is, or is deemed by the Administrator to be, cohabiting with a man as his wife;
- (g) a person who has attained school-leaving age, and who is wholly or partly maintaining a child, being a member of the same household during such time as that person is temporarily not living with his spouse or cohabiting with his cohabitee by reason of that spouse's or cohabitee's detention in legal custody;
- (h) a man who has ceased employment to care for children, being members of the same household due to his wife being an in-patient in a hospital or similar institution;
- (i) a person who has ceased employment to care for his spouse, parent or other person who is, or is deemed by the Administrator to be, cohabiting with that person as his or

her spouse, being a member of that same household as a result of the incapacity of that spouse, parent or cohabitee.

(2) The definition of the expression "handicapped woman" in section 2(2) of the Law shall not have effect for the purposes of the aforesaid section 2.

2. (1) In this Ordinance the expression "the Law" means the Supplementary Benefit (Guernsey) Law, 1971, and any other expressions have the same meanings as in the Law. ^{Interpretation.}

(2) Any reference in this Ordinance to any other enactment shall, except where the context otherwise requires, be construed as including a reference to that enactment as amended, repealed or replaced, extended or applied by or under any other enactment including this Ordinance.

3. This Ordinance shall have effect in the Islands of Guernsey, Herm and Jethou. ^{Extent.}

4. This Ordinance may be cited as the Supplementary Benefit (Classes of persons to whom the Law applies) Ordinance, 1988. ^{Citation.}

5. This Ordinance shall come into force on the 11th day of November, 1988.

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Her Majesty's Deputy Greffier.