



THE SOCIAL SECURITY (RATES OF BENEFITS) ORDER 1986

ELIZABETH R.

ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Court at Wellington this 26th day of February 1986

Present:

THE QUEEN'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY IN COUNCIL

PURSUANT to section 61H of the Social Security Act 1964 and to the Royal Powers Act 1983, Her Majesty the Queen, acting by and with the advice and consent of Her Executive Council, is pleased to make the following order.

ORDER

1. Title and commencement—(1) This order may be cited as the Social Security (Rates of Benefits) Order 1986.

(2) This order shall be deemed to have come into force on the 15th day of January 1986.

2. Increasing rates of benefits on and after 15 January 1986—Each provision of the Social Security Act 1964 specified in the first column of the Schedule to this order is hereby amended by omitting every expression set out opposite to it in the second column of that Schedule, wherever that expression occurs, and substituting in each case the expression set out opposite to it in the third column of that Schedule.

3. Revocation—The Social Security (Rates of Benefits) Order (No. 2) 1985* is hereby consequentially revoked.

SCHEDULE

AMENDMENTS TO SOCIAL SECURITY ACT 1964 INCREASING RATES OF
BENEFITS ON AND AFTER 15 JANUARY 1986

Provisions Amended	Expressions Omitted	Expressions Substituted
	\$	\$
Third Schedule (as substituted by section 12 (1) of the Social Security Amendment Act 1983 and amended by clause 2 of the Social Security (Rates of Benefits) Order (No. 2) 1985—		
Clause 1	5,693.48	5,982.60
Clause 2	5,693.48	5,982.60
Fourth Schedule (as so substituted and amended)	2,808.00	2,950.48
Sixth Schedule (as so substituted and amended)—		
Clause 1 (a)	4,525.56	4,814.68
Clause 1 (b)	5,693.48	5,982.60
Clause 1 (c)	4,744.48	4,985.76
Clause 1 (d)	4,744.48	4,985.76
Clause 1 (e)	4,744.48	4,985.76
Clause 2	6,356.48	6,597.76
	949.00	996.84
Seventh Schedule (as so substituted and amended)—		
Clause 1 (a)	4,744.48	4,985.76
Clause 1 (b)	5,693.48	5,982.60
Clause 2	5,610.28	5,899.40
Eighth Schedule (as so substituted and amended)—		
Clause 1 (a)	87.03	92.59
Clause 1 (b)	109.49	115.05
Clause 1 (c)	91.24	95.88
Clause 1 (d)	91.24	95.88
Clause 1 (e)	91.24	95.88
Clause 2	72.99	76.71
Ninth Schedule (as so substituted and amended)—		
Clause 1 (a)	87.03	92.59
Clause 1 (b)	109.49	115.05
Clause 1 (c)	91.24	95.88
Clause 2	72.99	76.71

SCHEDULE—*continued*AMENDMENTS TO SOCIAL SECURITY ACT 1964 INCREASING RATES OF
BENEFITS ON AND AFTER 15 JANUARY 1986—*continued*

Provisions Amended	Expressions Omitted	Expressions Substituted
	\$	\$
Fourteenth Schedule (as so substituted and amended)—		
Clause 1 (a) (i)	3,483.48	3,676.92
Clause 2 (a) (i)	66.99	70.71
Sixteenth Schedule (as so substituted and amended)—		
Clause 1	5,693.48	5,982.60
Clause 2	5,693.48	5,982.60
Seventeenth Schedule (as so substituted and amended)—		
Clause 1	4,525.56	4,814.68
Clause 2	5,693.48	5,982.60
Clause 3	4,744.48	4,985.76
Clause 4	4,744.48	4,985.76

P. G. MILLEN,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This note is not part of the order, but is intended to indicate its general effect.

This order increases the rates of widows', invalids', miners', domestic purposes, sickness, unemployment, and related emergency benefits on and after 15 January 1986. The rates of the benefits are increased by \$5.56 a week for unmarried persons and \$9.28 a week for married couples.

The rate of child supplement for the first child of a solo parent receiving a social security benefit is increased by \$3.72 to \$70.71 a week.

The rate of orphans' benefits is increased by \$2.74 to \$56.74 a week.

Issued under the authority of the Regulations Act 1936.

Date of notification in *Gazette*: 28 February 1986.

This order is administered in the Department of Social Welfare.