



**THE SOCIAL SECURITY (RATES OF BENEFITS) ORDER (NO. 2)
1987**

PAUL REEVES, Governor-General

ORDER IN COUNCIL

At Wellington this 14th day of December 1987

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL

PURSUANT to section 61H of the Social Security Act 1964, His Excellency the Governor-General, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, hereby makes the following order.

ORDER

1. Title and commencement—(1) This order may be cited as the Social Security (Rates of Benefits) Order (No. 2) 1987.

(2) This order shall be deemed to have come into force on the 1st day of October 1987.

2. Increasing rates of benefits—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. Revocations—The Social Security (Rates of Benefits) Order 1987* is hereby amended—

- (a) By revoking clauses 1 (2), 2, and 4, and the First Schedule:
 - (b) By revoking so much of the Second Schedule as relates to the Third, Fourth, Sixth to Ninth, Sixteenth, and Seventeenth Schedules to the Social Security Act 1964.
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Clause 2

SCHEDULE

AMENDMENTS TO SOCIAL SECURITY ACT 1964 INCREASING RATES OF
BENEFITS ON AND AFTER 1 OCTOBER 1987

Provisions Amended	Expressions Omitted	Expressions Substituted
	\$	\$
Third Schedule (as substituted by section 18 (1) of the Social Security Amendment Act 1986 and amended by clause 3 of the Social Security (Rates of Benefits) Order 1987)—		
Clause 1	9,988.16	10,479.04
Clause 2	7,241.00	7,597.20
Sixth Schedule (as so substituted and amended)—		
Clause 1 (a)	5,859.36	6,147.44
Clause 1 (b)	7,241.00	7,597.20
Clause 1 (c)	9,988.16	10,479.04
Clause 1 (d)	5,566.08	5,839.60
Clause 1 (e)	6,034.08	6,331.00
Clause 1 (f)	5,566.08	5,839.60
Clause 1 (g)	6,034.08	6,331.00
Clause 1 (h)	5,566.08	5,839.60
Clause 1 (i)	6,034.08	6,331.00
Clause 2	8,946.08	9,243.00
	1,206.92	1,266.20
Eighth Schedule (as so substituted and amended)—		
Clause 1 (a)	112.68	118.22
Clause 1 (b)	139.25	146.10
Clause 1 (c)	192.08	201.52
Clause 1 (d)	107.04	112.30
Clause 1 (e)	116.04	121.75
Clause 1 (f)	107.04	112.30
Clause 1 (g)	116.04	121.75
Clause 1 (h)	107.04	112.30
Clause 1 (i)	116.04	121.75
Clause 2	92.83	97.40
Ninth Schedule (as so substituted and amended)—		
Clause 1 (a)	99.86	104.77
Clause 1 (b)	123.20	129.26
Clause 1 (c)	192.08	201.52
Clause 1 (d)	107.04	112.30
Clause 1 (e)	92.76	97.32
Clause 1 (f)	107.04	112.30
Clause 1 (g)	92.76	97.32
Clause 1 (h)	107.04	112.30
Clause 1 (i)	92.76	97.32
Clause 2	92.83	97.40

SCHEDULE—*continued*

Provisions Amended	Expressions Omitted	Expressions Substituted
	\$	\$
Sixteenth Schedule (as so substituted and amended)—		
Clause 1	9,988.16	10,479.04
Clause 2	7,241.00	7,597.20
Seventeenth Schedule (as so substituted and amended)—		
Clause 1	5,859.36	6,147.44
Clause 2	7,241.00	7,597.20
Clause 3	9,988.16	10,479.04
Clause 4	5,566.08	5,839.60
Clause 5	6,034.08	6,331.00
Clause 6	5,566.08	5,839.60
Clause 7	6,034.08	6,331.00
Clause 8	5,566.08	5,839.60
Clause 9	6,034.08	6,331.00
Clause 10	6,034.08	6,331.00
	5,566.08	5,839.60
Fourth Schedule (as substituted by section 12 (1) of the Social Security Amendment Act 1983 and amended by clause 3 of the Social Security (Rates of Benefits) Order 1987)	3,570.84	3,746.60
Seventh Schedule (as so substituted and amended)—		
Clause 1 (a)	6,034.08	6,331.00
Clause 1 (b)	7,241.00	7,597.20
Clause 2	7,157.80	7,514.00

C. J. HILL,
Acting for 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 1 October 1987.

Except as set out below, the net rates of the benefit are increased by \$6.85 a week for unmarried persons without children, by \$11.42 a week for married couples without children, by \$9.44 a week for unmarried persons with children, and by \$10.52 a week for married couples with children.

The net rates of unemployment benefit are increased for unmarried persons without children by \$6.06 a week, and for married couples without children by \$9.12 a week.

The "under age" net rate of unemployment benefit is increased by \$4.91 to \$104.77 a week.

The "under age" net rate of sickness and invalids' benefits is increased by \$5.54 to \$118.22 a week.

The rate of orphans' benefits is increased by \$3.38 to \$72.05 a week.

Issued under the authority of the Regulations Act 1936.

Date of notification in *Gazette*: 17 December 1987.

This order is administered in the Department of Social Welfare.