

REGULATIONS

Made Under

THE NATIONAL INSURANCE AND SOCIAL SECURITY ACT, 1969

(No. 15 of 1969)

IN EXERCISE OF THE POWERS CONFERRED ON ME BY SECTION 51 OF THE
NATIONAL INSURANCE AND SOCIAL SECURITY ACT, 1969,

I HEREBY MAKE THE FOLLOWING REGULATIONS:-

1. These Regulations may be cited as the National Insurance and Social Security (Benefit)(Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations, 1971, and amend the National Insurance and Social Security (Benefit) Regulations, 1969, * hereinafter referred to as the Principal Regulations.

2. Regulation 2 of the Principal Regulations is hereby amended by the substitution in the definition of the expression "average wage" of the word "in" for the word "for" where it appears in paragraph (a), and in paragraph (b) where it appears for the second time.

3. The proviso to regulation 19 of the Principal Regulations is hereby amended in the following respects -

(a) by the substitution of a semicolon for the
full-stop appearing at the end of paragraph (d);

and

(b) by the addition of the following paragraphs -

"(e) in the case of a mariner or share fisherman
employed as such on the day on which the
National Insurance and Social Security

No. of 1971 (Mariners and Share Fishermen) Regulations, 1971,
come into operation, shall be credited as if in
respect of him that day were the appointed day;
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(f) in the case of a mariner or share fisherman employed as mentioned in paragraph (e) and who was registered as an employed or self-employed person prior to the appointed day referred to in that paragraph and previously awarded credits under this regulation, shall be granted only in substitution for any age credits granted before that appointed day if, having regard to all considerations, the credits as a mariner or share fisherman are more favourable in the allowance of old age benefit, invalidity benefit or survivor's benefit."

Made this day of , 1971

Minister of Labour and Social Security

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Aug. '71