

STATES OF JERSEY



Jersey

DRAFT SOCIAL SECURITY (AMENDMENT OF LAW No. 14) (JERSEY) REGULATIONS 202- (P.124/2020): AMENDMENT

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by the Minister for Social Security**

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PAGE 17, REGULATION 3 –

After Regulation 3(7)(b) insert –

 “(c) for sub-paragraph (2)(b) there is substituted –

 “(b) the expression “relevant quarter” means the previous quarter but one before the quarter in which it is expected that the relevant person’s child will be born or adopted.””.

MINISTER FOR SOCIAL SECURITY

REPORT

This amendment addresses a consequential amendment to the [Social Security \(Jersey\) Law 1974](#) that was inadvertently omitted from the preparation of the main draft Regulations proposed in [P.124/2020](#).

The contribution conditions for the current maternity grant include a reference to the “confinement” of the mother.

Under the proposed parental benefits, a parental grant is available in respect of a birth or adoption and the law no longer uses the term “confinement”.

This amendment addresses this issue.

There is no change to the nature of the contribution condition required for eligibility for the grant.

Financial and manpower implications

There are no financial and manpower implications.