

**FIRST SUPPLEMENT TO THE GIBRALTAR
GAZETTE**

No. 3606 of 28th June, 2007



I ASSENT,
ROBERT FULTON,
GOVERNOR.

27th June, 2007.



GIBRALTAR

No. 18 of 2007

AN ACT to amend the Social Security (Closed Long-Term Benefits and Scheme) Act 1996.

ENACTED by the Legislature of Gibraltar.

Social Security (Closed Long-Term Benefits and Scheme)
(Amendment) Act 2007 [No.18 of 2007]

Title and commencement.

1. This Act may be cited as the Social Security (Closed Long-Term Benefits and Scheme) (Amendment) Act 2007 and shall be deemed to have come into operation on 1 April 2007.

Amendment of section 16(a).

2. Section 16(a) of the Social Security (Closed Long-Term Benefits and Scheme) Act 1996 is amended by omitting “£23.90” and substituting “£39.48”.

New section 38.

3. The Social Security (Closed Long-Term Benefits and Scheme) Act 1996 is amended by inserting the following after section 37—

“Regulations to amend benefits payable.

38. The Minister may make regulations amending the benefits payable under this Act.”

Amendment of Schedule 1.

4. Schedule 1 to the Social Security (Closed Long-Term Benefits and Scheme) Act 1996 is amended by omitting Part 1, and substituting the following Part—

*Social Security (Closed Long-Term Benefits and Scheme)
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“PART 1

Section 5(2)(a)

**STANDARD RATES OF BENEFITS AND INCREASES FOR
DEPENDANTS**

Description of Benefit	Weekly Basic Rate	Increase for wife or adult dependant where payable	Increases for children not exceeding 4*, where payable for child
1. Widow’s Benefit:			
(a) Widow’s Allowance.	£93.67	-	£11.40
(b) Widowed Mother’s Allowance.	£78.97	-	£11.40*
(c) Widow’s Pension.	£78.97	-	Omitted
1A. Widower’s pension (incapable of self-support).	£78.97	-	£11.40
2. Guardian’s Allowance.	£20.15	-	-
3. Old Age Pensions:			
(a) where the pension is payable to a woman by virtue of a husband’s insurance, and he is alive, or where the pension is payable by virtue of his wife’s insurance to a man who is permanently incapable of self-support, and she is alive.	£39.48	-	£11.40
(b) in any other case.	£78.97	£39.48	£11.40

*Except in the case of a Widowed Mother’s allowance where there is no limit to the number of children in respect of whom increases may be paid.

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Passed by the Gibraltar Parliament on the 15th day of June, 2007.

M L FARRELL,

Clerk to the Parliament.

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