

PARLIAMENTARY BUREAU: APPROVAL OF SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENT

AFFIRMATIVE INSTRUMENT

[Disability Assistance \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\)](#)

1. Under Rule 10.6.5, the Bureau is required to lodge the following motion—

George Adam on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: That the Parliament agrees that the Disability Assistance (Miscellaneous Amendment) (Scotland) Regulations 2023 (SSI 2023/Draft) be approved.

Purpose

2. To amend the Disability Assistance for Children and Young People Regulations 2021 and the Disability Assistance for Working Age People Regulations 2022, which set out the rules and eligibility criteria for Child Disability Payment (CDP) and Adult Disability Payment (ADP). These forms of assistance provide support for disabled individuals, those with long-term illnesses, or those who are terminally ill. The instrument also amends the Disability Assistance for Working Age People (Transitional Provisions and Miscellaneous Amendment) (Scotland) Regulations 2022 (ADP transitional provisions), which allows the transfer of entitlement from Disability Living Allowance to ADP.

3. Additionally, a minor amendment is made to the Social Security (Invalid Care Allowance) Regulations 1976, which govern the rules and eligibility criteria for Carer's Allowance.

Consideration by committee

4. At its meeting on 26 November 2023 the Social Justice and Social Security Committee agreed to recommend that the regulations be approved. The Committee report will be published by 6 November 2023.

Decision

5. **Business Managers are invited to note that the above motion will be lodged.**

6. **Business Managers should reserve their position if their party intends to speak against or oppose the motion.**

**Parliamentary Business Team
November 2023**