

Social Security (Amendment) (Scotland) Bill — Stage 3

After section 15

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1 After section 15, insert—

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UPRATING ASSISTANCE FOR INFLATION

Duty to uprate assistance for inflation

- (1) The 2018 Act is modified as follows.
- (2) In section 86A(3)(a) (duty to consider effects of inflation)—
 - (a) the “or” following sub-paragraph (i) is repealed,
 - (b) for “but” following sub-paragraph (ii) substitute “or”,
 - (c) after sub-paragraph (ii), insert—

“(iii) section 93A, but”.
- (3) In section 86B (duty to uprate certain types of assistance)—
 - (a) in subsection (1)—
 - (i) for “77” substitute “86A”,
 - (ii) the words from first “prescribed” to “2020” are repealed,
 - (iii) the words “prescribed in those regulations” are repealed,
 - (b) in subsection (4), the words from “— “carer’s”” to “34” are repealed.
- (4) The title of section 86B becomes “**Duty to uprate assistance**”.>