National Insurance and Social Security

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NATIONAL INSURANCE AND SOCIAL SECURITY (BENEFITS) (NO. 2) ORDER, 2008

2008/131.

Authority: This Order was made on 29th December, 2008 by the National Insurance Board under section 25A of the *National Insurance and Social Security Act*.

Commencement: 1st January, 2009.

- 1. This Order may be cited as the *National Insurance and Social Security (Benefits) (No. 2) Order*, 2008.
- 2. With effect from 5th January, 2009, the amount to be paid weekly as
 - (a) old age contributory pension; and
 - (b) invalidity pension

shall be not less than \$148 per week.

- **3.** With effect from 5th January, 2009, an insured person who on or before 31st December, 2008 had been entitled to
 - (a) an old age contributory pension;
 - (b) a survivor's pension;
 - (c) a death benefit; or
 - (d) an invalidity pension

shall be paid an additional amount of 4.18 per cent of the pension benefit to which that person had been entitled on 31st December, 2008.

- 4. With effect from 1st January, 2009,
- (a) a funeral grant shall be an amount of \$1 650; and

- (b) a maternity grant shall be an amount of \$950.
- **5.** The *National Insurance and Social Security (Benefits) Order*, 2008 is revoked.