

Convention on Social Security between the REPUBLIC OF IRELAND and the UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND.

- Articles 17, 18, 24 and 28 of the Convention
- Section 10 and 14 of the Administrative Arrangements.



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## Application for Retirement Pension, Old Age Contributory Pension, Widow's or Widower's Contributory Pension or Orphan's Contributory Allowance

Please answer ALL questions and use BLOCK Letters.

Irish PPS No.\* (same as RSI Number)

FIGURES						LETTER(S)	

UK National Insurance Number

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\* Personal Public Service Number

### Investigation of an application for Retirement Pension, Old Age Contributory Pension, Widow's or Widower's Contributory Pension or Orphan's Contributory Allowance

The person whose details are given below has made a claim for:

- Old Age Contributory Pension
- Retirement Pension
- Widow's or Widower's Contributory Pension
- Orphan's Contributory Allowance

under the Social Welfare Acts of the Republic of Ireland by virtue of the provisions of:

Article  17  18  19  24  28 of the Convention

**Where appropriate** (see item 8 of part 1) in accordance with Section 10 of the Administrative Arrangements, you are requested to complete PART 2 of this form and to return one copy to the competent authority at the address at the top of the page.

#### Part 1

#### Personal Details

1. State Date of Claim →   DAY   MONTH     YEAR

2. Complete in respect of APPLICANT and their spouse or partner (if applicable)

Applicant's details  Mr.  Mrs.  Ms.

Surname

First Name(s)

Maiden Name

Sex

Male  Female









8.

The applicant is entitled to a Republic of Ireland pension at the full rate. Details of the United Kingdom insurance record are not required.

The applicant is entitled to benefit independently of the Convention. **Completion of Part 2 is not required unless their period of insurance is less than 50 weeks.**

The applicant is not entitled to benefit independently of the Convention. **Please complete Part 2 and return the form to us.**

9.

We understand the applicant has been insured in:

Jersey

Guernsey

Please send a copy of this form (fully completed at Part 2) to the country indicated and obtain their record if necessary.

10.

**Recovery of Benefit**

There are grounds for making deductions to compensate for overpayment in accordance with Article 30 of the Convention. Any pension arrears should not be paid direct to the beneficiary but should be sent to this Department.

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11.

**Minimum Insurance Provision**

The applicant is not entitled to benefit independently of the Convention. Periods of Irish insurance are less than the prescribed minimum in Article 18(8) and must be taken into account when determining the United Kingdom pension entitlement. **Completion of Part 2 is NOT required.**

12.

**Increase of Benefit for Children**

The applicant lives in the Republic of Ireland, and

there is an entitlement to benefit independently of the Convention. We will pay an increase for the child(ren).

there is no entitlement to benefit independently of the Convention. If the applicant becomes entitled to benefit under Article 18(3) we will pay an increase for the dependent child(ren).

The applicant does not live in the Republic of Ireland. We will not consider an award of benefit for the child(ren) unless you tell us that you will not pay an increase of benefit for them. **Please complete Part 2 - Question 17.**

The applicant was not lastly resident in the Republic of Ireland. Please consider an award of benefit for the child(ren) under **Article 22(3).**

Signature:

(Not block letters)

Name:

(Print name)

Date:

Official Stamp

13. Please give details of **APPLICANT'S UNITED KINGDOM** insurance record as follows:

**APPLICANT'S United Kingdom Insurance Record**

Contribution Year								Number of Weekly Contributions			
FROM				TO				Contributions PAID			Credits
DAY	MTH	YEAR		DAY	MTH	YEAR		Employed	Self-Employed	Voluntary	

14. Please give details of **SPOUSE'S OR PARTNER'S UNITED KINGDOM** insurance record as follows:

**SPOUSE'S OR PARTNER'S United Kingdom Insurance Record**

Contribution Year								Number of Weekly Contributions			
FROM				TO				Contributions PAID			Credits
DAY	MTH	YEAR		DAY	MTH	YEAR		Employed	Self-Employed	Voluntary	

Continue 13 and/or 14 on a separate sheet if necessary

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There is an insurance record in:

Jersey

Guernsey

Which is less than the prescribed minimum in Article 18(4):

this insurance is included above for use under Article 18(3)

this insurance is not included above. Details of:

Jersey

Guernsey

insurance for use under Article 18(3) or Article 18(4) will be forwarded on receipt.

**15. Recovery of Overpaid Benefit**

In accordance with Article 30 of the Convention, arrears of United Kingdom benefit will be sent to you.

There are no arrears available for recovery.

We have not yet decided the claim. We will advise you later about arrears.

**16. Minimum Insurance Provision**

The applicant is not entitled to benefit independently of the Convention. Periods of United Kingdom insurance are less than the prescribed minimum in Article 18(3) and must be taken into account when determining the Irish pension entitlement.

**17. Increase of Benefit for Children**

The applicant lives in the United Kingdom but is not entitled to benefit either under or independently of the Convention. Please consider paying an increase of Benefit for the child(ren).

**Department of Social Security**

Signature:

(Not block letters)

Name:

(Print name)

Date:

Direct line:

Fax No.:

Switchboard:

**Official Stamp**

Ext:

**Data Protection Statement**

The Department of Employment Affairs and Social Protection administers Ireland's social protection system. Customers are required to provide personal data to determine eligibility for relevant payments/benefits. Personal data may be exchanged with other Government Departments/Agencies where provided for by law. Our data protection policy is available at [www.welfare.ie/dataprotection](http://www.welfare.ie/dataprotection) or in hard copy.

Explanations and terms used in this form are intended as a guide only and are not a legal interpretation.