## **SOCIAL SECURITY**

## The Social Security (Electronic Communications) (Amendment) Directions 2020

*Made* - - - - 5<sup>th</sup> May 2020

The Secretary of State for Work and Pensions makes the following Directions in accordance with regulation 32ZA of, and paragraph 2 of Schedule 9ZC to, the Social Security (Claims and Payments) Regulations 1987(a).

## Citation and Commencement

- 1.—(1) These Directions may be cited as the Social Security (Electronic Communications) (Amendment) Directions 2020.
  - (2) These Directions come into force on 5<sup>th</sup> May 2020.

## Amendment of the Social Security (Electronic Communications) Consolidation and Amendment Directions 2011

- **2.**—(1) The Social Security (Electronic Communications) Consolidation and Amendment Directions 2011(**b**) are amended as follows.
  - (2) In paragraph 2, after sub-paragraph (a)(xii)(c) insert—
    - "(xiii) state pension credit.".
  - (3) In paragraph 2(b), after "disability living allowance" insert "or state pension credit".
- (4) In paragraph 2(c), after "employment and support allowance"(d) insert ", state pension credit".

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions.

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Parliamentary Under Secretary of State Department for Work and Pensions

<sup>(</sup>a) S.I. 1987/1968. Regulation 32ZA and Schedule 9ZC were inserted by S.I. 2003/2800. S.I. 2020/456 inserted a reference to state pension credit under the State Pension Credit Act 2002 into Schedule 9ZC.

<sup>(</sup>b) The Social Security (Electronic Communications) Consolidation and Amendment Directions 2011 can be found at: https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment\_data/file/214616/directions.pdf. A paper copy can be obtained from the Department for Work and Pensions, Caxton House, Tothill Street, London SW1H 9NA.

<sup>(</sup>c) Inserted by the Social Security (Electronic Communications) (Amendment) (No. 2) Directions 2016.

<sup>(</sup>d) Inserted by the Social Security (Electronic Communications) (Amendment) (No. 2) Directions 2016.