

Social Security (Administration) (Authorised Certifier) Amendment (Additional Classes of Persons) Determination 2024

I, Ray Griggs, Secretary of the Department of Social Services, make the following determination.

Dated 7 February 2024

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Secretary of the Department of Social Services

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1 Name

 This instrument is the *Social Security (Administration) (Authorised Certifier) Amendment (Additional Classes of Persons) Determination 2024*.

2 Commencement

 (1) Each provision of this instrument specified in column 1 of the table commences, or is taken to have commenced, in accordance with column 2 of the table. Any other statement in column 2 has effect according to its terms.

| Commencement information |
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| Column 1 | Column 2 | Column 3 |
| Provisions | Commencement | Date/Details |
| 1. The whole of this instrument | The day after this instrument is registered.  |  |

Note: This table relates only to the provisions of this instrument as originally made. It will not be amended to deal with any later amendments of this instrument.

 (2) Any information in column 3 of the table is not part of this instrument. Information may be inserted in this column, or information in it may be edited, in any published version of this instrument.

3 Authority

 This instrument is made under subsection 63A(9) of the *Social Security (Administration) Act 1999*.

4 Definitions

 Each instrument that is specified in a Schedule to this instrument is amended or repealed as set out in the applicable items in the Schedule concerned, and any other item in a Schedule to this instrument has effect according to its terms.

Schedule 1—Amendments

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1 Section 4

After the definition of “*Act*”, insert:

***municipal authority*** means the local government authority, agency, corporation, department, instrumentality or other local or regional political unit which governs or administers the locality or region of the place in which the social security recipient resides.

***pension agency*** means the agency or authority responsible for the administration and payment of pensions and benefits in the country in which the social security recipient resides.

2 At the end of paragraph 5(3)(b)

Omit “.”, insert:

; (c) an official (however described) of a municipal authority or pension agency.