

Article SSC.59 Declaration

Declaration by Ireland pursuant to Article SSC.59(1) of the Protocol on Social Security Coordination to the Trade and Cooperation Agreement for the reference year ending 31 December 2021.

To be notified to the Specialised Committee on Social Security Coordination.

I. Declarations referred to in Article SSC.1 (q) of the Protocol on Social Security Coordination to the Trade and Cooperation Agreement and the date from which the Protocol will apply:

The date of application of the Protocol on Social Security Coordination to the listed national legislation, in so far as it is covered by the scope of the Protocol, is 1 January 2021, except where otherwise stated.

II. Legislation referred to in Article SSC.3(1) of the Protocol on Social Security Coordination to the Trade and Cooperation Agreement and the date from which the Protocol will apply.

1. Sickness benefits

(i) Benefits in kind

Health Act 1947 ([No. 28 of 1947](#)) ([as amended](#)) [Sickness Benefits in Kind]

[Chapter 22](#) of Part 2 of the Social Welfare Consolidation Act 2005 ([No. 26 of 2005](#)) ([as amended](#)) [Treatment Benefit]

(ii) Benefits in cash

[Chapter 8](#) of Part 2 of the Social Welfare Consolidation Act 2005 ([No. 26 of 2005](#)) ([as amended](#)) [Illness Benefit]

[Chapter 10](#) of Part 2 of the Social Welfare Consolidation Act 2005 ([No. 26 of 2005](#)) ([as amended](#)) [Health and Safety Benefit]

[Chapter 14](#) of Part 2 of the Social Welfare Consolidation Act 2005 ([No. 26 of 2005](#)) ([as amended](#)) [Carer's Benefit]

2. Maternity and equivalent paternity benefits

(i) Benefits in kind

Health Act 1947 ([No. 28 of 1947](#)) ([as amended](#)) [Maternity Benefits in Kind]

(ii) Benefits in cash

[Chapter 9](#) of Part 2 of the Social Welfare Consolidation Act 2005 ([No. 26 of 2005](#)) ([as amended](#)) [Maternity Benefit]

[Chapter 11](#) of Part 2 of the Social Welfare Consolidation Act 2005 ([No. 26 of 2005](#)) ([as amended](#)) [Adoptive Benefit]

[Part 5](#) of the Paternity Leave and Benefit Act 2016 ([No. 11 of 2016](#)) inserting [Chapter 11A](#) in Part 2 of the Social Welfare Consolidation Act 2005 ([No. 26 of 2005](#)) ([as amended](#)) [Paternity Benefit]

3. Invalidation benefits

(i) Benefits in kind

Health Act 1947 ([No. 28 of 1947](#)) ([as amended](#)) [Invalidity Benefits in Kind]

(ii) Benefits in cash

[Section 12](#) of the Social Welfare and Pensions Act 2010 ([No. 37 of 2010](#)) inserting [Chapter 8A](#) in Part 2 of the Social Welfare Consolidation Act 2005 ([No. 26 of 2005](#)) ([as amended](#)) [Partial Capacity Benefit]

[Chapter 17](#) of Part 2 of the Social Welfare Consolidation Act 2005 ([No. 26 of 2005](#)) ([as amended](#)) [Invalidity Pension]

[Section 4\(1\)\(a\)](#) of the Social Welfare Act 2016 ([No. 15 of 2016](#)) amending [section 21\(1\)\(e\)](#) of the Social Welfare Consolidation Act 2005 (No. 26 of 2005) extends cover for Invalidity Pension to self-employed contributors.

4. Old-age benefits

(i) Benefits in kind

None

- (ii) Benefits in cash

[Chapter 15](#) of Part 2 of the Social Welfare Consolidation Act 2005 ([No. 26 of 2005](#)) ([as amended](#)) [State Pension (Contributory)]

5. Survivors' benefits

- (i) Benefits in kind

None

- (ii) Benefits in cash

[Chapter 18](#) of Part 2 of the Social Welfare Consolidation Act 2005 ([No. 26 of 2005](#)) ([as amended](#)) [Widow's, Widower's or Surviving Civil Partner's (Contributory) Pension]

[Chapter 19](#) of Part 2 of the Social Welfare Consolidation Act 2005 ([No. 26 of 2005](#)) ([as amended](#)) [Guardian's Payment (Contributory)]

6. Benefits in respect of accidents at work and occupational diseases

- (i) Benefits in kind

Health Act 1947 ([No. 28 of 1947](#)) ([as amended](#)) [Benefits in kind for accidents at work and occupational diseases]

- (ii) Benefits in cash

[Chapter 13](#) of Part 2 of the Social Welfare Consolidation Act 2005 ([No. 26 of 2005](#)) ([as amended](#)) [Occupational Injuries Benefits]

7. Death grants

Benefits in cash

[Chapter 21](#) of Part 2 of the Social Welfare Consolidation Act 2005 ([No. 26 of 2005](#)) ([as amended](#)) [Widowed or Surviving Civil Partner Grant]

8. Unemployment benefits

- (i) Benefits in kind

None

- (ii) Benefits in cash

[Chapter 12](#) of Part 2 of the Social Welfare Consolidation Act 2005 ([No. 26 of 2005](#)) ([as amended](#)) [Jobseeker's Benefit]

[Part 2](#) of the Social Welfare Act 2019 ([No. 34 of 2019](#)) inserting [Chapter 12A](#) of Part 2 of the Social Welfare Consolidation Act 2005 ([No. 26 of 2005](#)) ([as amended](#)) [Jobseeker's Benefit (Self-Employed)]

9. Pre-retirement benefits

Benefits in cash

None