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Statutory Instrument 199 of 2023

Dear Minister Humphreys,

At a recent meeting, the Joint Committee on Social Protection, Community and Rural Development and the Islands discussed Statutory Instrument 199 of 2023 received 28th April 2023.

The Committee believes that, in all cases where there is an Adult Dependent on a Social Welfare payment, that the entitlement to this bonus payment should be extended to the Adult Dependent and not confined to the Primary Social Welfare Claimant.

The Members of the Committee would be grateful if you could consider this request and clarify the position with regard to this matter.

If you require any further information regarding this matter, please don't hesitate to contact the Committee Secretariat by return email at spcri@oireachtas.ie.

Yours Sincerely

Denis Naughten

Cathaoirleach

12th May 2023

Cuirfear fáilte roimh chomhfhreagras i nGaeilge