

# Abbreviations



**A**

<b>AA</b>	Attendance Allowance
<b>AACT</b>	Average Actual Clearance Times
<b>ACI Leeds</b>	Adjudication and Constitutional Issues Division, Leeds
<b>AT</b>	Appeal Tribunal

**C**

<b>CA</b>	Carers Allowance
<b>CAU</b>	Carers Allowance Unit
<b>CB</b>	Contributory Benefit
<b>CS Act 1991</b>	Child Support Act 1991
<b>CTB</b>	Council Tax Benefit
<b>CP</b>	Casepaper
<b>CR</b>	Compensation Recovery
<b>CRU</b>	Compensation Recovery Unit
<b>CS</b>	Child Support
<b>CSA</b>	Child Support Agency
<b>CTB</b>	Council Tax Benefit

## D

<b>D&amp;A Regs</b>	Social Security and Child Support (Decisions and Appeals) Regulations 1999
<b>DBC</b>	Disability Benefits Centre
<b>DC</b>	District Chairman
<b>DCPU</b>	Disability Contact and Processing Unit
<b>Dis Ben</b>	Disablement Benefit
<b>DLA</b>	Disability Living Allowance
<b>DM</b>	Decision Maker
<b>DMA</b>	Decision Making and Appeals
<b>DMG</b>	Decision Makers' Guide
<b>DN</b>	Decision Notice
<b>DO</b>	District Office
<b>DP</b>	Disability Premium
<b>DRAMA</b>	Data Base for Recording and Monitoring Appeals
<b>DWP</b>	Department for Work and Pensions

## E

<b>ECHR</b>	Convention for the Protection of Human Rights and Fundamental Freedoms
<b>EEC</b>	Employed Earner's Categorization
<b>EMP</b>	Examining Medical Practitioner
<b>ECJ</b>	European Court of Justice

**F**

<b>FI</b>	Fraud Investigator
<b>FIS</b>	Fraud Investigation Service

**G**

<b>GB</b>	Great Britain
<b>GP</b>	General Practitioner

**H**

<b>HB</b>	Housing Benefit
<b>HMRC</b>	Her Majesty's Revenue and Customs

**I**

<b>IB</b>	Incapacity Benefit
<b>IfW</b>	Incapacity for Work
<b>IIDB</b>	Industrial Injuries Disablement Benefits
<b>IPC</b>	International Pensions Centre
<b>IS</b>	Income Support

**Abbreviations**

**J**

**JSA**            Jobseeker's Allowance

**L**

**LA**             Local Authority

**LM**             Labour Market

**LPC**            London Pensions Centre

**LQPM**          Legally Qualified Panel Member

**LTACP**        Living together as Civil Partners

**LTAHAW**      Living Together as Husband And Wife

**N**

**NI**             National Insurance

**NINO**          National Insurance Number

**NIRS**          National Insurance Recording System

**NPC**            National Pensions Centre

**O**

**OOJ**            Outside of Tribunal's Jurisdiction

**OOT**            Own Occupation Test

**OP**             Overpayment

**P**

<b>PBMDB</b>	Pneumoconiosis, Byssinosis and Miscellaneous Diseases Benefit
<b>PCA</b>	Personal Capability Assessment
<b>PD</b>	Prescribed Diseases
<b>PDCS</b>	Personal Data Computer System
<b>PHME</b>	Potentially Harmful Medical Evidence
<b>PO</b>	Presenting Officer
<b>PSCS</b>	Pension Strategy Computer System
<b>PTTP</b>	Party (Parties) to the Proceedings
<b>PV</b>	Potentially Violent
<b>PVP</b>	Potentially Violent Person
<b>PWC</b>	Pneumoconiosis and Workmen's Compensation

**R**

<b>RBD</b>	Reduced Benefit Decision
<b>RO</b>	Reviewing Officer
<b>RP</b>	Retirement Pension
<b>RoP</b>	Record of Proceedings

## S

<b>SoR</b>	Statement of Reasons
<b>S of S</b>	Secretary of State
<b>SDA</b>	Severe Disablement Allowance
<b>SDM</b>	Sector Decision Maker
<b>SDP</b>	Severe Disability Premium
<b>SF</b>	Social Fund
<b>SPC</b>	State Pension Credit
<b>SS</b>	Social Security
<b>SS Act 1998</b>	Social Security Act 1998
<b>SSA Act 1992</b>	Social Security Administration Act 1992
<b>SSC</b>	Social Security Commissioners
<b>SSP</b>	Statutory Sick Pay

## T

<b>TS</b>	Tribunals Service
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## W

<b>WFP</b>	Winter Fuel Payment
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