Social Security Administration

Subpart B—Requirements for Entitlement; Duration of Entitlement; Filing of Claims and Evidence


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§ 410.200 Types of benefits; general.

(a) Part B of title IV of the Act provides for the payment of periodic benefits:

(1) To a miner who is determined to be totally disabled due to pneumoconiosis; or

(2) To the widow or child of a miner who was entitled to benefits at the time of his death, who is determined to have been totally disabled due to pneumoconiosis at the time of his death, or whose death was due to pneumoconiosis; or

(3) To the child of a widow of a miner who was entitled to benefits at the time of her death; or

(4) To the surviving dependent parents, or the surviving dependent brothers or sisters, of a miner who is determined to have been entitled to benefits at the time of his death, or whose death was due to pneumoconiosis.

(b) The following sections of this subpart set out the conditions of entitlement to benefits for a miner, a widow, or a surviving divorced wife; describe the events which terminate or preclude entitlement to benefits and the procedures for filing a claim; and prescribe certain requirements as to evidence. Also see subpart C of this part for regulations relating to the relationship and dependency requirements applicable to claimants for benefits as a widow, child, parent, brother, or sister, and to beneficiaries with dependents.

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§ 410.201 Conditions of entitlement; miner.

An individual is entitled to benefits if such individual:

(a) Is a miner (see § 410.110(j)); and

(b) Is totally disabled due to pneumoconiosis (see subpart D of this part); and

(c) Has filed a claim for benefits in accordance with the provisions of §§ 410.220 through 410.234.


§ 410.202 Duration of entitlement; miner.

(a) An individual is entitled to benefits as a miner for each month beginning with the first month in which all of the conditions of entitlement prescribed in § 410.201 are satisfied.

(b) The last month for which such individual is entitled to such benefit is the month before the month:

(1) In which the miner dies (see, however, § 410.226); or

(2) In no part of which the miner is under a disability.

(c) A miner’s entitlement to benefits under part B of title IV of the Act which is based on a claim which is filed (see § 410.227) after June 30, 1973, and before January 1, 1974, shall terminate on December 31, 1973, unless sooner terminated under paragraph (b) of this section.


§ 410.210 Conditions of entitlement; widow or surviving divorced wife.

An individual is entitled to benefits if such individual:

(a) Is the widow (see § 410.320) or surviving divorced wife (see § 410.321) of a miner (see § 410.110(j));

(b) Is not married during her initial month of entitlement (or, for months prior to May 1972, had not remarried since the miner’s death); and

(c) Has filed a claim for benefits in accordance with the provisions of §§ 410.220 through 410.234;

(d) Was dependent on the miner at the pertinent time (see §§ 410.360 or 410.361); and

(e) The deceased miner:

(1) Was entitled to benefits at the time of his death; or

(2) Died before January 1, 1974, and it is determined that he was totally disabled due to pneumoconiosis at the time of his death, or that his death was