

Declaration by the Czech Republic pursuant to Article 9 of Regulation (EC) No 883/2004 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 29 April 2004 on the coordination of social security systems for the reference year ending 31 December 2020.

I. DECLARATIONS REFERRED TO IN ARTICLE 1(L) OF REGULATION (EC) NO 883/2004 & THE DATE FROM WHICH THE REGULATION WILL APPLY

NONE

II. LEGISLATION AND SCHEMES REFERRED TO IN ARTICLE 3 OF REGULATION (EC) NO 883/2004 & THE DATE FROM WHICH THE REGULATION WILL APPLY

The date of application of Regulation (EC) No 883/2004 to the listed national legislation, in so far as it is covered by the scope of the Regulation, is [**1 May 2010**], except where otherwise stated. This is also the date from which the Regulation applies in this Member State.

1. Sickness benefits

(i) Benefits in kind

- Act No 48/1997 on public health insurance and amending certain related acts, as amended. In force since
- Act No 592/1992 on public health insurance premiums, as amended;
- Act No 374/2011 on emergency medical services, as amended; Regulation (EC) No 883/2004 applies to this act as of 6 November 2011.
- Act No 372/2011 on medical services and conditions for their providing; Regulation (EC) No 883/2004 applies to this act as of 6 November 2011.

(ii) Benefits in cash

- Act No 589/1992 on social security contributions and the contribution to the state employment policy, as amended.
- Act No 187/2006 on sickness insurance (Sickness Insurance Act), as amended;
- Act No 108/2006 on social services (Social Services Act), as amended;

2. Maternity and equivalent paternity benefits

(i) Benefits in kind

- Act No 48/1997 on public health insurance and amending certain related acts, as amended;

- Act No 592/1992 on public health insurance premiums, as amended;
- Act No 374/2011 on emergency medical services, as amended; Regulation (EC) No 883/2004 applies to this act as of 6 November 2011.
- Act No 372/2011 on medical services and conditions for their providing; Regulation (EC) No 883/2004 applies to this act as of 6 November 2011.

(ii) Benefits in cash

- Act No 589/1992 on social security contributions and the contribution to the state employment policy, as amended.
- Act No 187/2006 on sickness insurance (Sickness Insurance Act), as amended;

3. Invalidity benefits

(i) Benefits in kind

None

(ii) Benefits in cash

- Act No 155/1995 on pension insurance (Pension Insurance Act), as amended;
- Act No 589/1992 on social security contributions and the contribution to the state employment policy, as amended.
- Act No 582/1991 on the organisation and implementation of social security, as amended;

4. Old-age benefits

(i) Benefits in kind

None

(ii) Benefits in cash

- Act No 155/1995 on pension insurance (Pension Insurance Act), as amended;
- Act No 589/1992 on social security contributions and the contribution to the state employment policy, as amended.
- Act No 582/1991 on the organisation and implementation of social security, as amended;

5. Survivors' benefits

(i) Benefits in kind

None

(ii) Benefits in cash

- Act No 155/1995 (Pension Insurance Act), as amended;
- Act No 589/1992 on social security contributions and the contribution to the state employment policy, as amended.
- Act No 582/1991 on the organisation and implementation of social security, as amended;
- No specific orphan benefits are granted in the Czech Republic.

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

(i) Benefits in kind

- Act No 48/1997 on public health insurance and amending certain related acts, as amended;
- Act No 592/1992 on public health insurance premiums, as amended;
- Act No 374/2011 on emergency medical services, as amended; Regulation (EC) No 883/2004 applies to this act as of 6 November 2011.
- Act No 372/2011 on medical services and conditions for their providing; Regulation (EC) No 883/2004 applies to this act as of 6 November 2011.
- Act No 262/2006 (the Labour Code), as amended;
Benefits in kind falling within the scope of the Regulation 883/04 are the social security benefits according to Part XI., Title 3., Part 5. with the exception of compensation for material damage
- Decree No. 125/1993, on conditions and rates of statutory employer's liability insurance in case of labour injury or occupational disease, as amended.

(ii) Benefits in cash

- Act No 155/1995 (Pension Insurance Act), as amended;
- Act No 589/1992 on social security contributions and the contribution to the state employment policy, as amended.
- Act No 582/1991 on the organisation and implementation of social security, as amended;.
- Act No 262/2006 (the Labour Code), as amended;
Benefits falling within the scope of the Regulation 883/04 are the social security benefits according to Part XI., Title 3., Part 5. with the exception of compensation for material damage
- Decree No. 125/1993, on conditions and rates of statutory employer's liability insurance in case of labour injury or occupational disease, as amended.

7. Death grants

Benefits in cash

- Act No 117/1995 (State Social Support Act), as amended;

8. Unemployment benefits

(i) Benefits in kind

None

(ii) Benefits in cash

- Act No 435/2004 on employment (Employment Act), as amended;
- Act No 589/1992 on social security contributions and the contribution to the state employment policy, as amended.
- Act No 155/1995 on pension insurance (Pension Insurance Act), as amended;

9. Pre-retirement benefits

Benefits in cash

None

10. Family benefits

(i) Benefits in kind

None

(ii) Benefits in cash

- Act No 117/1995 on state social support (State Social Support Act), as amended;

Benefits falling **outside** the scope of Regulation:

§ 24-26 – Housing Allowance (Příspěvek na bydlení)

- Act No 359/1999 on social and legal protection of children (Child Care Act), as amended; Regulation (EC) No 883/2004 applies to this act as of 1 January 2013.

The only benefit falling within the scope of Regulation:

§ 47f – Foster Child Allowance (Příspěvek na úhradu potřeb dítěte)

11. Special non-contributory cash benefits

a) Special non-contributory cash benefits intended to provide a minimum level of subsistence pursuant to Article 70(2)(a)(i) of Regulation (EC) No 883/2004

Benefits in cash

None

b) Special non-contributory cash benefits intended to provide special protection for disabled persons with reference to the social environment pursuant to Article 70(2)(a)(ii) of Regulation (EC) No 883/2004

Benefits in cash

None

III. CONVENTIONS ENTERED AS REFERRED TO IN ARTICLE 8(2) OF REGULATION (EC) NO 883/2004 & THE DATE FROM WHICH THE REGULATION WILL APPLY

NONE

IV. MINIMUM BENEFITS REFERRED TO IN ARTICLE 58 OF REGULATION (EC) NO 883/2004 & THE DATE FROM WHICH THE REGULATION WILL APPLY

The minimum pension level is laid down in Sections 33, 41, 42, 51 and 53 of Act No 155/195 on pension insurance (Pension Insurance Act).

V. POSSIBILITY FOR ANY CATEGORY OF SELF-EMPLOYED PERSONS TO BE COVERED BY AN UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS SYSTEM (ARTICLE 65A(1) OF REGULATION (EC) NO 883/2004) & LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE WHERE APPLICABLE

The legislation of the Czech Republic provides the possibility for self-employed persons to be covered by the unemployment benefits system

- Act No 435/2004 on employment (Employment Act), as amended; (Regulation 465/2012 applies since 27 June 2012).
- Act No 589/1992 on social security contributions and the contribution to the state employment policy, as amended. (Regulation 465/2012 applies since 27 June 2012).
- Act No 155/1995 on pension insurance (Pension Insurance Act), as amended; Regulation (EC) No 883/2004 applies to this act as of 1 May 2010 (Regulation 465/2012 applies since 27 June 2012).

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