

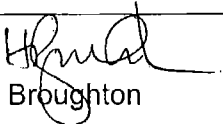


FIRST-TIER TRIBUNAL
SOCIAL ENTITLEMENT CHAMBER

Held at: Liverpool	Appellant: ██████████
On: 24/06/2016	NINO: ██████████
Before: Judge H Broughton	Tribunal Reference: SC068/16/01301
Respondent: Secretary of State for Work and Pensions	

Decision Notice

1. The appeal is refused.
2. The decision made by the Respondent on 23/12/2015 is confirmed.
3. The appellant had asked for her award of Employment and Support Allowance Income Related made from 10/12/2015 to be revised back to 17/08/2012 when her Incapacity Benefit claim had been converted to ESA contributory based with her being placed in the Support Group. The Tribunal was satisfied the appellant had not been in receipt of Income Support at the time of the conversion and accordingly ESA IR was not considered. Any claim for benefit has to be made in accordance with the Regulations the Tribunal did not accept that there had been official error and so no revision outside the period of 13 months could be made. The appeal therefore was refused.

Signed:  Judge H Broughton	Date: 24/06/2016
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