

2. The competent authority of the Czech Republic may, in regard to a recipient of a benefit under its legislation, limit the application of the legislative provisions mentioned in paragraph 1 concerning the reduction, suspension or cancellation of benefits which overlap with other benefits, or it may entirely waive the application of those provisions. The application of those provisions shall be waived in all cases in which the application of the provisions would result in a lower entitlement to benefit than would occur through the application of the provisions of the legislation of the Czech Republic concerning overlapping benefits in regard to a State with which the Czech Republic has not concluded an international agreement on social security.

3. A person whose invalidity began before he or she reached age 18 and who has not participated in the insurance scheme of the Czech Republic for the necessary period shall acquire the right to a full invalidity pension only if that person is a permanent resident of the Czech Republic.