1973. No. 135 [C]

ROYAL ULSTER CONSTABULARY

Pensions

ORDER, DATED 4TH APRIL 1973, MADE BY THE SECRETARY OF STATE UNDER SECTION 4 OF THE CONSTABULARY AND POLICE (IRELAND) ACT 1919, SECTION 2 OF THE CONSTABULARY ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1922 AND THE CONSTABULARY (PENSIONS) ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1949.

I, THE RIGHT HONOURABLE WILLIAM WHITELAW, M.C., M.P., one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, in exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 4 of the Constabulary and Police (Ireland) Act 1919(a), section 2 of the Constabulary Act (Northern Ireland) 1922(b) and the Constabulary (Pensions) Act (Northern Ireland) 1949(c) by virtue of section 1(1) of the Northern Ireland (Temporary Provisions) Act 1972(d) and of all other powers enabling me in that behalf, and after consulting the Police Association and, in accordance with the Police Act 1969(e), the Police Council for the United Kingdom, do hereby order as follows:—

Citation and commencement

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Royal Ulster Constabulary Pensions (Amending) Order 1973 and shall be construed as one with the Royal Ulster Constabulary Pensions Orders 1949 to 1972 and those Orders and this Order may be cited together as the Royal Ulster Constabulary Pensions Orders 1949 to 1973.

(2) Subject to paragraph 3, this Order shall have effect as from 1st April 1972.

(3) Article 5 shall have effect as from 1st May 1970.

Amendments to the Royal Ulster Constabulary Pensions Order 1949

2.—(1) The Schedule to the Royal Ulster Constabulary Pensions Order 1949(f) as amended(g) shall be further amended in accordance with the provisions of Articles 3, 4 and 5.

(2) Unless the context otherwise requires, a reference herein to a sub-paragraph, paragraph or appendix shall be deemed to be a reference to a sub-paragraph, paragraph or appendix in or to the said Schedule.

Increase in pension contributions

3. At the end of paragraph 36 (which relates to pension contributions) there shall be added the following sub-paragraph:—

"(8) Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this paragraph the pension contributions of a member in respect of service after 31st March 1972 shall be calculated—

(a) 9 & 10 Geo. 5. c. 68.
(b) 12 & 13 Geo. 5. c. 8 (N.I.).
(c) 1949. c. 9.
(d) 1972. c. 22.
(e) 1969. c. 63.
(f) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1949, No. 211.
(g) By the following S.R. & O.s (N.I.):—1950, No. 172; 1952, No. 89; 1953, No. 156; 1954, Nos. 98 and 118; 1955, No. 115; 1956, No. 49; 1957, No. 214; 1958, Nos. 81 and 184; 1959, No. 135; 1960, No. 13; 1961, Nos. 93 and 176; 1963, No. 64; 1964, Nos. 48 and 158; 1965, No. 66; 1966, Nos. 68 and 245; 1967, Nos. 18 and 277; 1968, No. 128; 1969, Nos. 39, 204 and 228; 1970, Nos. 98 and 203; 1971, Nos. 118, 404 and 407; 1972, Nos. 165 and 336.