Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Education this 10th day of September, Nineteen hundred and Sixty-five.

(L.S.) *J. Finney,*
Assistant Secretary.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Health and Social Services this tenth day of September, Nineteen hundred and Sixty-five.

(L.S.) *S. E. Taylor,*
Assistant Secretary.

The Ministry of Finance hereby approves the foregoing rules.
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(L.S.) *R. H. Kidd,*
Assistant Secretary.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Rules, but is intended to indicate their general purport.)

The Teachers Superannuation (Transfer from the Health Services to the Teaching Service) Rules (Northern Ireland) 1960 (S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1960, No. 184) preserve the superannuation rights of a person who moves from the health services to teaching service provided that he submits an application and complies with the other requirements of the rules within three months after the date on which he enters teaching service. The present amending rules give the Ministry discretion to accept applications made after the end of the period of three months.

The present amending rules also provide that the rules shall not apply to service in respect of which a forfeiture direction has been made under the Health Services Regulations.

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FACTORIES

Lead Processes (Medical Examinations)

REGULATIONS, DATED 6TH SEPTEMBER, 1965, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES UNDER THE FACTORIES ACTS (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1938 TO 1959 AND THE LEAD PAINT (PROTECTION AGAINST POISONING) ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1927.

The Ministry of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland in exercise of powers conferred by section 1 of the Lead Paint (Protection against

Poisoning) Act (Northern Ireland) 1927(a), section 65 of the Factories Act (Northern Ireland) 1938(b), section 28(1) of the Factories Act (Northern Ireland) 1959(c) and of all other powers in that behalf, hereby makes the following special Regulations:—

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Lead Processes (Medical Examinations) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1965, and shall come into operation on 1st November, 1965.

2. In these Regulations—

"appointed doctor" means a doctor authorised to act for the purposes of any of the instruments specified in the Schedule to these Regulations;

"approved" means approved for the time being by certificate of the Chief Inspector;

"haemoglobin estimation" means an estimation of the haemoglobin in grammes per 100 millilitres of the whole blood; and

"health register" means any health register used for the purposes of any of the instruments specified in the Schedule to these Regulations.

3.—(1) Every medical examination required by virtue of the instruments specified in the Schedule to these Regulations shall include a haemoglobin estimation by an approved method:

Provided that, subject to the provisions of paragraph (2) of this Regulation, a haemoglobin estimation shall not be required in the case of any person more frequently than once in every period of three months.

(2) Where as a result of any haemoglobin estimation the haemoglobin content of the blood of any person is estimated to be less than 13 grammes per 100 millilitres of whole blood in the case of a male or less than 12 grammes per 100 millilitres of whole blood in the case of a female, the appointed doctor may at his discretion require a further haemoglobin estimation by an approved method after such interval as he may determine.

4. The occupier of a factory shall send to the Chief Inspector within seven days after the end of the month in which the entry is made a copy of every entry made in the health register by the appointed doctor, together with particulars identifying the person to whom each entry relates.

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(L.S.) *W. Slinger,*
Assistant Secretary.

(a) 17 & 18 Geo. 5. c. 7 (N.I.). (b) 2 Geo. 6. c. 23 (N.I.). (c) 1959, c. 16.