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PENSIONS

Increase of Pensions

REGULATIONS, DATED 4TH DECEMBER, 1962, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS UNDER SECTION 3 OF THE PENSIONS (INCREASE) ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1959.

The Ministry of Home Affairs, in exercise of the powers conferred upon it by sub-sections (1) and (3) of section three of the Pensions (Increase) Act (Northern Ireland), 1959(a), and with the consent of the Ministry of Finance, hereby makes the following Regulations:—

Citation and Operation

1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Increase of Pensions (Modification) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1962.

(2) The Regulations shall come into operation on 17th December, 1962, and shall have effect as from 1st August, 1959.

Interpretation

2. In these Regulations—

(*a*) the expression "the Act" means the Pensions (Increase) Act (Northern Ireland), 1959;

(*b*) the expression "police pension" means such a pension as is referred to in paragraph 3 of Part I of the Schedule to the Act;

(*c*) the expression "fire service pension" means such a pension as is referred to in paragraph 4 of Part II of the Schedule to the Act; and

(*d*) the expression "pension" includes an allowance.

Police and Fire Service Pensions

3. In relation to a police or fire service pension sub-section (1) of section one of the Act shall have effect as if at the end thereof there were added the following words:—

"and in determining for the purposes of this sub-section the adjusted rate of a pension which is reduced in amount or is not payable at all on account of the payment of any benefit under the National Insurance Acts (Northern Ireland), 1946(b), or any family allowance under the Family Allowances Act (Northern Ireland), 1945(c), the said aggregate annual rate of the pension shall be calculated as if no such benefit or family allowance were payable".

Fire Service Pensions

4. In relation to a fire service pension calculated otherwise than by reference to pensionable pay or average pensionable pay which began for the purposes of the Act after 1st April, 1952, sub-section (1) of section one of the Act shall apply as it applies to a pension which so began before that date.

(a) 1959. c. 10.
(b) 1946. c. 21 and 1946. c. 23.
(c) 1945. c. 19.