EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These regulations provide that—

(*a*) if an established civil servant in the civil service of the United Kingdom transfers within a prescribed period (generally twelve months) to employment which is superannuable under the Local Government (Superannuation) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1950, and an appropriate transfer value is received by the fund established for the purposes of those regulations then the prior service as an established civil servant shall be reckonable by him for superannuation purposes in relation to his new employment; and

(*b*) if a person superannuable under the Local Government (Superannuation) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1950, transfers within a prescribed period (generally twelve months) to an established post in the civil service of the United Kingdom, a transfer value of an appropriate amount shall be payable to the United Kingdom Treasury out of the fund established for the purposes of the 1950 regulations.

The United Kingdom Treasury is making complementary rules providing for the reckoning of service and the payment of transfer value when the circumstances are the converse of those described in (*a*) and (*b*) above. In effect, therefore, these regulations and the rules made by the United Kingdom Treasury enable superannuation rights to be preserved on a change of employment between the Northern Ireland Local Government Service and the Civil Service of the United Kingdom.

The regulations are made retrospective in effect to a limited extent but the retrospective provisions will only apply if the person concerned so elects and the body administering the superannuation scheme to which he was formerly a contributor agrees to pay a transfer value in respect of his former service.

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DISABLED PERSONS (EMPLOYMENT)

Standard Percentage

ORDER, DATED 16TH MARCH, 1960, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND NATIONAL INSURANCE UNDER THE DISABLED PERSONS (EMPLOYMENT) ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1945.

The Ministry of Labour and National Insurance, in exercise of powers conferred by sections 10 and 20 of the Disabled Persons (Employment) Act