EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order but is intended to explain its general purport.)

This Order, which is to come into force on the 22nd day of December, 1958, provides for the closing of the Registry of Deeds on Saturdays in conformity with similar arrangements now in operation for other Government Offices.

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Allowances

ORDER, DATED 1ST MAY, 1958, MADE BY THE MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS UNDER THE CONSTABULARY AND POLICE (IRELAND) ACT, 1919, AS APPLIED BY THE CONSTABULARY ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1922.

1958. No. 69 [C]

I, the Right Honourable W. W. B. Topping, Q.C., Minister of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland, in exercise of the powers conferred on me by section two of the Constabulary Act (Northern Ireland), 1922, and by sub-section (1) of section four of the Constabulary and Police (Ireland) Act, 1919, as applied by the said Act of 1922, and of all other powers enabling me in that behalf, do hereby order as follows, and I certify that sub-section (2) of section four of the Constabulary and Police (Ireland) Act, 1919, which provides that a draft of any Order proposed to be made under the said section shall be submitted to the representative body or bodies constituted by the Act and representing any rank or ranks affected and that before making the Order the Minister shall consider any representations made by such body or bodies, has been fully observed:—

1.—(*a*) At the end of sub-paragraph (*a*) of paragraph 3 of the Schedule to the Royal Ulster Constabulary Allowances Order, 1954, as amended by the Royal Ulster Constabulary Allowances (Amending) Order, 1956, there shall be inserted the following:—

"For the purposes of this sub-paragraph "sub-district" and "County Borough" shall, respectively, be deemed to include any area or place for the protection of which members stationed in the sub-district or County Borough are responsible."

(*b*) In sub-paragraph (*b*) of the said paragraph 3 for the rates shown under "Class 2" there shall, with effect from the 1st August, 1957, be substituted the following rates:—

Rank	First 14 nights in any one place	After 14 nights or after 7 nights if the member knows beforehand that his stay will exceed 14 nights	After 30 nights
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Officers	11 6	8 6	5 6
Head Constables ...	10 6	7 6	4 6
Sergeants and Constables ...	9 6	6 6	4 3

2. For paragraph 4 of the said Schedule there shall, with effect from the 1st April, 1957, be substituted the following paragraph:—

"4. A married man who is residing with his family at his station and who becomes necessarily separated from them as a result of transfer from that station or as a result of other action of his authorities shall be paid Separation Allowance in accordance with the undernoted scale:—

(1) Where accommodation for the night is provided for the member at Government expense—

	s.	d.	
Officers	4	6	in respect of each night
Head Constables	4	3	in respect of each night
Sergeants and Constables	4	0	in respect of each night

(2) Where accommodation for the night is not provided for the member at Government expense—

	s.	d.	
Officers	9	0	in respect of each night
Head Constables	8	6	in respect of each night
Sergeants and Constables	8	0	in respect of each night

Separation Allowance shall not be paid continuously to any member for a period in excess of 61 nights without the prior approval of the Ministry.

Separation Allowance shall not be payable to a member in respect of any period during which—

(*a*) he is in hospital;

(*b*) he is a recruit undergoing a recruit's course of instruction;

(*c*) he is provided with food and lodging at Government expense or any allowance other than Class 1 or Class 2 subsistence towards the cost of food and lodging."

3. In paragraph 5 of the said Schedule for the words "Cycle Maintenance Allowance at the rate of £4 per year" there shall be substituted, with effect from the 1st June, 1957, the words "Cycle Maintenance Allowance at the rate of £4 13s. 0d. a year".