Third Table showing :—

(1) in the first and third columns, the rates of retirement pension (apart from any increase) payable to existing pensions contributors by virtue of regulation 14 ; and

(2) in the second and fourth columns, the corresponding rates of an increase of retirement pension in respect of a wife, or of a retirement pension payable to a wife by virtue of her husband's insurance.

Rate of retirement pension	*Corresponding rate of increase or retirement pension for a wife*	*Rate of retirement pension*	*Corresponding rate of increase or retirement pension for a wife*
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
25 0	15 6	12 0	7 6
24 0	15 0	11 6	7 0
23 0	14 0	11 0	6 6
22 0	13 6	10 6	6 6
21 0	13 0	10 0	6 0
20 6	12 6	9 6	6 0
20 0	12 0	9 0	5 6
19 6	12 0	8 6	5 0
19 0	12 0	8 0	5 0
18 6	11 0	7 6	4 6
18 0	11 0	7 0	4 6
17 6	11 0	6 6	4 0
17 0	11 0	6 0	3 6
16 6	10 0	5 6	3 6
16 0	10 0	5 0	3 0
15 6	9 6	4 6	3 0
15 0	9 6	4 0	2 6
14 6	9 0	3 6	2 0
14 0	8 6	3 0	2 0
13 6	8 6	2 6	1 6
13 0	8 0	2 0	1 6
12 6	7 6	1 6	1 0
		1 0	0 6

Reciprocal Arrangements with Great Britain

REGULATIONS, DATED 4TH FEBRUARY, 1948, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND NATIONAL INSURANCE, IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE, UNDER THE NATIONAL INSURANCE ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1946.

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The Ministry of Labour and National Insurance, acting in conjunction with the Ministry of Finance, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 60 of the National Insurance Act (Northern Ireland), 1946, and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following regulations :—

1.—(1) These regulations may be cited as the National Insurance (Great Britain Reciprocal Arrangements) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1948, and shall come into operation on the 9th February, 1948.

(2) In these regulations, unless the context otherwise requires—
" the Act " means the National Insurance Act (Northern Ireland), 1946 ;
" the Great Britain Act " means the National Insurance Act, 1946 ;
" the Ministry " means the Ministry of Labour and National Insurance for Northern Ireland ;
and other expressions have the same meanings as in the Act.

(3) References in these regulations to any enactment shall include references to such enactment as amended by any subsequent enactment, order or regulations.

(4) The Interpretation Act, 1921, applies to the interpretation of these regulations as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of the Parliament of Northern Ireland.

2. The provisions contained in the Memorandum of Reciprocal Arrangements set out in the First Schedule to these regulations shall have full force and effect so far as the same relate to Northern Ireland, and the Act shall have effect subject to such modifications as may be required therein for the purpose of giving effect to the provisions contained in the said Memorandum.

3. In particular but without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing regulation, the provisions of the Act and regulations specified or referred to in Part I of the Second Schedule to these regulations shall apply for the purposes of the Great Britain Act as they apply for the purposes of the Act, subject to the modifications relating thereto specified in Part II of that schedule.

4. For the purposes of the provisions of the Act specified in the first column of the Third Schedule to these regulations, the Joint Authority shall be substituted for the Ministry in relation to the making of the regulations specified in the third column of that schedule and set opposite to the provisions under which they are respectively authorised to be made.

Given under the Official Seal of the Ministry of Labour and National Insurance for Northern Ireland this 4th day of February, 1948.

(L.S.)

Brian Maginess,
Minister of Labour and National Insurance for Northern Ireland.

Given under the Official Seal of the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland this 4th day of February, 1948.

(L.S.)

J. M. Sinclair,
Minister of Finance for Northern Ireland.

Regulation 2.

FIRST SCHEDULE

MEMORANDUM OF RECIPROCAL ARRANGEMENTS RELATING TO NATIONAL INSURANCE BETWEEN THE MINISTER OF NATIONAL INSURANCE, WITH THE CONSENT OF THE TREASURY, OF THE ONE PART AND THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND NATIONAL INSURANCE FOR NORTHERN IRELAND, WITH THE CONSENT OF THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE FOR NORTHERN IRELAND, OF THE OTHER PART.

9 and 10 Geo. 6. c. 67. 1946 c. 23.

1.—(1) In this Memorandum, unless the context otherwise requires, the following expressions shall have the meanings hereby respectively assigned to them :—

" the Acts " means, in relation to Great Britain, the National Insurance Act, 1946, and, in relation to Northern Ireland, the National Insurance Act (Northern Ireland), 1946, in each case as amended by any subsequent enactment or by any order or regulations ;

" country " means Great Britain or Northern Ireland, as the case may require.

(2) Unless the context otherwise requires, expressions in this Memorandum shall have the same meanings as in the Acts.

52 and 53 Vict. c. 63.

(3) The Interpretation Act, 1889, applies to the interpretation of this Memorandum as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

2. For the purposes of all or any of the provisions of the systems of insurance established by the Acts, acts, omissions and events having effect for all or any of those purposes in one country shall be treated as if they had been respectively such acts, omissions and events in the other country and in particular insurance, residence, employment, contributions paid (including contributions credited or treated as paid), exceptions from liability to pay contributions, and benefit paid or claimed, in one country shall be treated as if they had been respectively insurance, residence, employment, contributions paid (including contributions credited or treated as paid), exceptions from liability to pay contributions, and benefit paid or claimed, in the other country :

Provided that —

(*a*) any appeal from a decision of any question arising under or in connection with the Acts, including any claim for benefit, shall be made, and any question with a view to the review of any such decision shall be raised, in the country in which such decision was given ; and

(*b*) this Article shall not confer a right to double benefit.

3. The National Insurance Joint Authority shall from time to time determine the procedure appropriate for the purposes of these arrangements, including all matters of an incidental and supplementary nature which in their opinion are relevant for the purpose of giving effect thereto.

4. This Memorandum of arrangements shall come into operation on the 11th November, 1947, but the said Minister of National Insurance or the said Ministry of Labour and National Insurance for Northern Ireland may terminate the arrangements herein contained on giving not less than six months previous notice in writing.

Given under the official seal of the Minister of National Insurance this 11th day of November, nineteen hundred and forty-seven.

(L.S.)

James Griffiths,
Minister of National Insurance.

Given under the official seal of the Ministry of Labour and National Insurance for Northern Ireland this 11th day of November, nineteen hundred and forty-seven.

(L.S.)

Brian Maginess,
Minister of Labour and National Insurance for Northern Ireland.

We consent,

R. J. Taylor,
C. James Simmons,
Two of the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury.

The Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland hereby consents.

Given under the official seal of the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland this 11th day of November, nineteen hundred and forty-seven.

(L.S.) *J. M. Sinclair,*
Minister of Finance for Northern Ireland.

SECOND SCHEDULE

Regulation 3.

PART I

PROVISIONS OF THE ACT AND REGULATIONS APPLYING FOR THE PURPOSE OF THE GREAT BRITAIN ACT

Provision	Subject matter
Subsection (6) of section 2 ...	Penalty for not paying contributions.
Subsection (2) of section 6 ...	Penalty for unlawful deduction of employer's contribution.
Regulations for the time being in force under paragraph (*e*) of subsection (1) of section 7.	Recovery of contributions on prosecutions.
Section 31	Benefit to be inalienable.
Section 32	Proceedings by employees for benefit lost by employer's default.
Regulations for the time being in force under subsection (6) of section 40	Decisions to be conclusive for purpose of proceedings under the Act.
Subsections (2) to (6) of section 47	Powers of inspectors.
Subsections (2) and (3) of section 48	Proof of age, marriage and death.
Section 49	Exemption from stamp duty.
Section 50	General provisions as to offences and penalties.
Section 51	General provisions as to prosecutions.
Section 52	Civil proceedings to recover sums due to National Insurance Fund.
Section 53	Priority of contributions in winding up and bankruptcy.

PART II

MODIFICATIONS

In the provisions of the Act and the regulations specified or referred to in Part I of this schedule —

(*a*) references to the Act shall be construed as including references to the Great Britain Act;

(*b*) references to the Family Allowances Act (Northern Ireland), 1945, shall be construed as including references to the Family Allowances Act, 1945;

(*c*) references to the Industrial Injuries Act shall be construed as including references to the National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) Act, 1946;

(*d*) references to the Ministry shall be construed as including references to the Minister of National Insurance of His Majesty's Government of the United Kingdom;

(*e*) references to the Northern Ireland National Insurance Fund shall be construed as including references to the National Insurance Fund established under the Great Britain Act;

(*f*) references to contributions shall be construed as including references to contributions under the Great Britain Act;

(*g*) references to insured persons, employed persons, benefit, beneficiaries, insurance stamps, insurance cards and regulations shall be construed as including references to insured persons, employed persons, benefit, beneficiaries, insurance stamps, insurance cards and regulations respectively within the meaning of the Great Britain Act; and

(*h*) references to the Sixth Schedule to the Act shall be construed as including references to the Seventh Schedule to the Great Britain Act.