

" Provided that where, during a period of absence owing to illness, a teacher's salary is reduced to half rate under the Salary Regulations, school contributions shall be calculated on the full rate of salary normally payable to the teacher."

3.—The following shall be added to Article 9 (1) of the Principal Scheme as amended :—

" Provided that where the three years immediately preceding the date of retirement include any period of absence owing to illness during which the teacher was in receipt of salary at half rate under the Salary Regulations, the rate of salary for such period shall, for the purpose of assessing average annual salary, be deemed to be the full rate of salary normally payable to the teacher."

4.—Teachers employed in teaching service or temporarily out of the service at the date of the sealing of this Scheme shall be required to pay contributions in accordance with Article 1 hereof in respect of any period prior to the 1st January, 1939, which comes within the three years of service prior to retirement on pension, but otherwise the Article shall have effect as from the 1st January, 1939.

5.—Pensions in existence at the date of the sealing of this Scheme shall be revised in accordance with the provisions of this Scheme, and the pensions so revised shall be payable as from the date of retirement of the teacher, subject to the deduction therefrom of additional teacher's contributions during the last three years of service calculated in accordance with Article 1 hereof.

6.—In any case where additional teacher's contributions are payable under Article 4 or 5 hereof corresponding additional school contributions shall be payable by the School Authority in accordance with Article 2 hereof.

7.—The expression " pension " shall for the purpose of this Scheme be deemed to include the additional allowance.

8.—Article 7 (2) of the Principal Scheme as amended is hereby revoked and the following shall be substituted therefor :—

" Teachers who having interrupted their service resume after a period of not exceeding fifteen years may be admitted or re-admitted to the scheme on the recommendation of the Ministry of Education."

9.—This scheme may be cited as the Teachers' (Secondary and Preparatory) Superannuation (Amendment) Scheme, 1939.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Finance this
23rd day of May, 1939, in the presence of

(L.S.)

G. C. Duggan,
Assistant Secretary.

Superannuation: Teachers: Service in the Forces.

ORDER IN COUNCIL, DATED 15TH DECEMBER, 1939, APPROVING
TEACHERS' SUPERANNUATION SCHEME FRAMED BY THE MINISTRY
OF FINANCE IN PURSUANCE OF SECTIONS 70 AND 71 OF THE
EDUCATION ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1923, AND OF ARTICLE
18 (e) OF THE RESERVE AND AUXILIARY FORCES (CONSEQUENTIAL
PROVISIONS) ORDER, 1939.

1939. No. 187.

BY THE GOVERNOR IN THE PRIVY COUNCIL OF NORTHERN IRELAND.
ABERCORN.

WHEREAS by sub-section (1) of Section 4 of the Reserve and
Auxiliary Forces Act, 1939, it is provided that His Majesty may
by Order in Council make provision for such consequential matters

as it appears to him expedient to provide for by reason of the passing of that Act, and may by any such Order modify any enactment relating to such matters :

AND WHEREAS in pursuance of the said sub-section an Order in Council was made on the 23rd day of June, 1939, which provided *inter alia* for the modification of the Teachers' Superannuation Act, 1925, in regard to the service of teachers in Great Britain called out for service under the Reserve and Auxiliary Forces Act, 1939 :

AND WHEREAS by Article 18 (e) of the said Order in Council it is provided that the power of the Ministry of Finance, in consultation with the Ministry of Education, to amend any superannuation scheme or schemes in force under the Education Acts (Northern Ireland), 1923 to 1938, shall include power to amend any such scheme or schemes so as to make, in the case of teachers in Northern Ireland to whom such a scheme or schemes apply, provisions similar to those contained in the said Order in Council relating to teachers in Great Britain :

AND WHEREAS the Ministry of Finance, in consultation with the Ministry of Education, has, in pursuance of Article 18 (e) of the said Order in Council and of Sections 70 and 71 of the Education Act (Northern Ireland), 1923, framed a Scheme, which Scheme is set out in the Schedule to this Order and is in this Order referred to as " the Scheme " :

AND WHEREAS the Scheme has been laid before both Houses of Parliament, and neither such House has within the period prescribed in that behalf by Section 71 of the Education Act (Northern Ireland), 1923, as amended by Section 4 of the Rules Publication Act (Northern Ireland), 1925, presented an Address praying the Governor of Northern Ireland to withhold his assent from the Scheme :

NOW I, JAMES ALBERT EDWARD, DUKE OF ABERCORN, Knight of the Most Noble Order of the Garter, Knight of the Most Illustrious Order of Saint Patrick, Governor of Northern Ireland, by and with the advice of the Privy Council of Northern Ireland, in exercise of the powers conferred upon me by Section 71 of the Education Act (Northern Ireland), 1923, do hereby approve of the Scheme.

Given at Government House, Hillsborough, this 15th day of December, 1939.

Craigavon.

John M. Andrews.

R. Dawson Bates.

John F. Gordon.

J. H. Robb.

Basil Brooke.

J. Milne Barbour.

SCHEDULE.

In pursuance of Article 18 (e) of the Reserve and Auxiliary Forces (Consequential Provisions) Order, dated 23rd day of June, 1939, made under Section 4 of the Reserve and Auxiliary Forces Act, 1939, and of Sections 70 and 71 of the Education Act (Northern Ireland), 1923, the Ministry of Finance, in consultation with the Ministry of Education, hereby frames the following Teachers' Superannuation (Service in the Reserve and Auxiliary Forces) Scheme.

1.—This Scheme may be cited as the Teachers' Superannuation (Service in the Reserve and Auxiliary Forces) Scheme, 1939.

2.—The Interpretation Act, 1921, shall apply to the interpretation of this Scheme as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

3.—Where a person called out is a teacher within the meaning of any Scheme (hereinafter referred to as the "relevant Superannuation Scheme") framed under Sections 70 and 71 of the Education Act (Northern Ireland), 1923, or under that Act as amended by the Teachers' Superannuation Act (Northern Ireland), 1926, he shall be deemed to be employed in service within the meaning of the relevant Superannuation Scheme during the period of his service as a person called out.

4.—Teachers' and (where applicable) school contributions shall be payable by or in respect of him during the period of his service as a person called out provided that the teacher continues to receive from the Ministry, local authority, managing authority or other body, by whom he was employed, the whole or part of the salary received by him before being called out.

5.—For the purposes of the relevant superannuation scheme a teacher shall be deemed to be in receipt, during the period of his services as a person called out, of a salary of such annual amount as in the opinion of the Ministry he would have received if he had been employed during the said period in service as a teacher.

6.—In this Scheme the following expressions have the meaning hereby respectively assigned to them:—

"the Ministry" means "the Ministry of Education";

"local authority" or "managing authority" has the same meaning as in Section 10 of the Teachers' Superannuation Act (Northern Ireland), 1926;

"called out" has the same meaning as in the Reserve and Auxiliary Forces (Consequential Provisions) Order, 1939.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland this 27th day of September, 1939, in the presence of

(L.S.)

C. H. Petherick,
Assistant Secretary.

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1939. No. 21.

The Ministry of Agriculture for Northern Ireland, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Section Seven of the Marketing