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## ROYAL ULSTER CONSTABULARY

## Pensions

ORDER, DATED 25TH JANUARY 1967, MADE BY THE MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS, WITH THE CONCURRENCE OF THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE, UNDER SECTION 4 OF THE CONSTABULARY AND POLICE (IRELAND) ACT 1919, SECTION 2 OF THE CONSTABULARY ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1922 AND THE CONSTABULARY (PENSIONS) ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1949.

I, the Right Honourable William Craig, Minister of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland, in exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 4 of the Constabulary and Police (Ireland) Act 1919(a), as applied by the Constabulary Act (Northern Ireland) 1922(b), by the Constabulary (Pensions) Act (Northern Ireland) 1949(c) and of all other powers enabling me in that behalf, do hereby order as follows:—

*Citation*

1. This Order may be cited as the Royal Ulster Constabulary Pensions (Amending) Order 1967 and shall be construed as one with the Royal Ulster Constabulary Pensions Orders 1949 to 1966 and those Orders and this Order may be cited together as the Royal Ulster Constabulary Pensions Orders 1949 to 1967.

*Commencement*

2. This Order shall have effect as from 1st January 1967.

*Amendment of the Royal Ulster Constabulary Pensions Order 1949*

3. The Schedule to the Royal Ulster Constabulary Pensions Order 1949(d), as amended(e), shall be further amended as follows:—

(1) For paragraph 53 there shall be substituted the following paragraph:—

“53.—(1) This paragraph shall apply where a member has transferred from the force to a police force in Great Britain and the police authority for that police force is contingently liable to make payments to or in respect of him under any legislation for the time being in force relating to the superannuation of members of police forces in Great Britain.

(2) Where the transfer takes place on or after 1st January 1967, the said police authority shall be entitled to a transfer value from the Ministry.

(3) Where the transfer took place before 1st January 1967, the Ministry may in its discretion pay the said police authority a transfer value.

(4) A transfer value payable under this paragraph shall be calculated in accordance with Appendix V.”

(a) 9 & 10 Geo. 5. c. 68.

(b) 12 & 13 Geo. 5. c. 8 (N.I.).

(c) 1949. c. 9 (N.I.).

(d) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1949, No. 211.

(e) By the following S.R. & Os. (N.I.):—1950, No. 172; 1952, No. 89; 1953, No. 156; 1954, Nos. 98 and 118; 1955, No. 115; 1956, No. 49; 1957, No. 214; 1958, Nos. 81 and 184; 1959, No. 135; 1960, No. 13; 1961, Nos. 93 and 176; 1963, No. 64; 1964, Nos. 48 and 158; 1965, No. 66; 1966, Nos. 68 and 245.

(2) In paragraph 57(1) for the definitions of "police authority", "police force in Great Britain" and "regular policeman in Great Britain" there shall be substituted, respectively, the following definitions:—

"'police authority' has the same meaning as in the Police Pensions Act 1948(a) and accordingly in relation to a police force in Scotland has the same meaning as in the Police (Scotland) Act 1956(b)."

"'police force in Great Britain' means any police force within the meaning of the Police (Scotland) Act 1956 or the Police Act 1964(c)."

"'regular policeman in Great Britain' means a member of a police force in Great Britain who is not, within the meaning of any legislation for the time being in force relating to the superannuation of members of police forces in Great Britain, an auxiliary policeman."

(3) After Appendix IV there shall be added the following Appendix:—

"APPENDIX V                      Paragraph 53 (Schedule)

TRANSFER VALUES

1.—(1) Subject as hereafter in this Appendix provided the transfer value payable by the Ministry to a police authority under paragraph 53 of the Schedule shall be calculated in accordance with this paragraph.

(2) The amounts shown in the second and third columns of the table following or, where the transfer value is payable in respect of a woman, in the fourth and fifth columns thereof, in relation to an age which corresponds with that of the member immediately before the date of transfer (or 1st January 1967 if the date of transfer was earlier) are to be multiplied respectively by the number of completed years and the number of completed months aggregating less than a year which the member was entitled to reckon as pensionable service immediately before the date of transfer:

Provided that in calculating the number of completed years and completed months which he was entitled to reckon as aforesaid—

(a) any period by which his pensionable service exceeded 30 years shall be ignored; and

(b) any period by which his pensionable service exceeded 20 years but did not exceed 30 years shall be counted twice.

(3) The sum of the products aforesaid is the transfer value appropriate in respect of £100 of annual pensionable pay.

(4) The total transfer value referred to in sub-paragraph (1) is to be calculated proportionately by reference to the annual value of the member's pensionable pay immediately before the date of transfer, any retrospective increase therein granted after that time being ignored.

(a) 1948, c. 24.

(b) 1956, c. 26.

(c) 1964, c. 48.

TABLE

## Transfer Value payable under Paragraph 53

Age in Years	Sum in respect of £100 of annual pensionable pay			
	In the case of a man, for each completed		In the case of a woman, for each completed	
	Year	Month	Year	Month
	£ s.	£ s.	£ s.	£ s.
Less than 24	19 14	1 13	12 10	1 1
24	19 14	1 13	12 12	1 1
25	19 14	1 13	12 17	1 1
26	19 14	1 13	13 6	1 2
27	19 14	1 13	13 18	1 3
28	19 14	1 13	14 12	1 4
29	19 14	1 13	15 8	1 6
30	19 15	1 13	16 5	1 7
31	19 17	1 13	17 3	1 9
32	20 1	1 13	18 1	1 10
33	20 6	1 14	18 18	1 11
34	20 12	1 14	19 15	1 13
35	21 0	1 15	20 11	1 14
36	21 9	1 16	21 5	1 15
37	21 19	1 17	21 17	1 16
38	22 9	1 17	22 8	1 17
39	22 19	1 18	22 18	1 18
40	23 9	1 19	23 8	1 19
41	23 18	2 0	23 18	2 0
42	24 7	2 1	24 8	2 1
43	24 16	2 1	24 18	2 1
44	25 5	2 2	25 8	2 2
45	25 13	2 3	25 18	2 3
46	25 19	2 3	26 8	2 4
47	26 4	2 4	26 17	2 5
48	26 8	2 4	27 5	2 5
49	26 11	2 4	27 11	2 6
50	26 13	2 4	27 16	2 6
51	26 14	2 4	28 1	2 7
52	26 15	2 5	28 6	2 7
53	26 16	2 5	28 10	2 8
54	26 17	2 5	28 14	2 8
55 or more	26 18	2 5	28 17	2 8

2.—(1) A transfer value calculated in accordance with paragraph 1 shall be reduced in accordance with sub-paragraphs (2) and (3)—

(a) in the case of a member other than one who, immediately before the date of transfer, was paying pension contributions at the rate of 2d. a week less than the appropriate percentage of his pensionable pay;

(b) in the case of a member entitled to reckon pensionable service immediately before the date of transfer by virtue of a participating period of relevant employment, as defined in the National Insurance (Modification of the Royal Ulster Constabulary Pensions Provisions) Regulations 1961(a).

(2) The amount shown in the second column of the following table or, in the case of a woman, in the third column thereof, in relation to an age which corresponds with that of the member immediately before the date of transfer is the amount of the reduction in respect of each £1 by which the annual value of his pension would be reduced—

(a) under Part III of Appendix I, in a case in which sub-paragraph (1)(a) applies; and

(b) under regulations 5 and 6 of the National Insurance (Modification of the Royal Ulster Constabulary Pensions Provisions) Regulations 1961, in a case in which sub-paragraph (1)(b) applies,

in respect of any period beyond insured pensionable age, as defined in the said Regulations, if he had become entitled to a pension on the date of transfer.

(3) The total reduction is to be calculated proportionately by reference to the amount by which the annual value of such a pension would be so reduced.

TABLE

## Reduction of Transfer Value

Age in years	Reduction for each £1 by which annual value of pension would be reduced	
	In the case of a man	In the case of a woman
	£ s.	£ s.
Less than 24	1 16	1 8
24	1 19	1 13
25	2 2	1 18
26	2 5	2 4
27	2 7	2 11
28	2 9	2 18
29	2 12	3 6
30	2 14	3 15
31	2 16	4 5
32	2 19	4 14
33	3 1	5 2
34	3 4	5 9
35	3 6	5 15
36	3 9	6 1
37	3 12	6 7
38	3 14	6 13
39	3 17	6 19
40	4 0	7 5
41	4 3	7 11
42	4 6	7 16
43	4 9	8 1
44	4 12	8 6
45	4 15	8 12
46	4 19	8 19
47	5 3	9 6
48	5 7	9 13
49	5 11	10 0
50	5 15	10 7
51	5 19	10 14
52	6 4	11 2
53	6 9	11 10
54	6 14	11 18
55	7 0	12 7
56	7 6	12 16
57	7 12	13 6
58	7 19	13 17
59	8 6	14 9"
60	8 14	
61	9 3	
62	9 12	
63	10 2	
64	10 12	

Dated this 25th day of January 1967.

*Wm. Craig,*  
Minister of Home Affairs  
for Northern Ireland.

The Ministry of Finance hereby signifies its concurrence in the foregoing Order.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Finance this 26th day of January 1967.

(L.S.)

*R. R. Butler,*  
Assistant Secretary.

#### EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This note is not part of the Order but is intended to indicate its general purport.)*

This Order amends the provisions of the Royal Ulster Constabulary Pensions Order 1949 relating to the discharge of the Ministry's pension liability in respect of members who transfer to police forces in Great Britain. Hitherto this liability has been discharged by the Ministry's contributing to the awards eventually becoming payable to transferred members. It is now to be discharged at the time of transfer by the payment of lump sum transfer values.

#### 1967. No. 19

As this Order has been classified as local it is not printed at length in this volume. A summary is given in the List of Statutory Rules and Orders of a Local Character under the heading STREET TRADING.

#### 1967. Nos. 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25

These Orders have been exempted from printing by the Statutory Rules Act (Northern Ireland) 1958. Summaries are given in the List of Statutory Rules and Orders of a Local Character under the heading ROADS.