## 1971 No. 2035

## **PENSIONS**

## The Increase of Pensions (Governors) Regulations 1971

Made - - - - 14th December 1971
Laid before Parliament 21st December 1971
Coming into Operation 12th January 1972

In exercise of the powers conferred upon me by section 5(3) and (4) of the Pensions (Increase) Act 1971(a) and with the approval of the Minister for the Civil Service, I hereby make the following Regulations:—

- 1. These Regulations may be cited as the Increase of Pensions (Governors) Regulations 1971 and shall come into operation on 12th January 1972.
- 2. In these Regulations, unless the context otherwise requires, the following expressions have the meanings respectively assigned to them, that is to say—
  - "The Act" means the Pensions (Increase) Act 1971;
  - "Governor" has the meaning assigned to it by section 1 of the Governors' Pensions Act 1957(b);

The Interpretation Act 1889(c) shall apply for the interpretation of and otherwise in relation to these Regulations as it applies for the interpretation of and otherwise in relation to an Act of Parliament.

- 3. The provisions of the Act shall apply to any pension payable to or in respect of a Governor under the Governors' Pensions Acts 1957 and 1967 (other than a pension granted under sections 8 or 10 of the Governors' Pensions Act 1957 or a pension to which section 4(6) of the Superannuation (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1967(d) applies) subject to the modifications specified in regulation 4 of these Regulations.
- 4. In relation to any pension to which the preceding regulation applies the Act, but not any order made under section 6 of the Act, shall apply as if section 8(2) and (3) and any references in the Act to either of those provisions were omitted and as if—
  - (a) a pension to which section 1(1) of the Pensions (Governors of Dominions, etc.) Act 1929(e) applied began on 27th March 1929;
  - (b) a pension to which section 2(1) of the Pensions (Governors of Dominions, etc.) Act 1947(f) applied either directly or by virtue of section 14 of the Governors' Pensions Act 1956(g) began on 18th December 1947:
  - (c) a pension granted under the Governors' Pensions Acts 1957 and 1967 began on whichever is the later of—
    - (i) the date of first appointment of the recipient to the last office of Governor in which he served in respect of which a pension has been granted to him under the Governors' Pensions Acts 1957 and 1967, or

<sup>(</sup>a) 1971 c. 56. (b) 1957 c. 62. (c) 1889 c. 63. (d) 1967 c. 28. (e) 1929 c. 16 (19 & 20 Geo 5). (f) 1947 c. 12 (11 & 12 Geo 6). (g) 1956 c. 64.

- (ii) the date on which the salary enjoyed by him during service in that last office was last revised; and
- (d) a substituted pension began on the same date as the original pension is deemed to have begun under this regulation or, if earlier, on the date from which the surrender of the original pension took effect.
- 5. These Regulations shall be deemed to have taken effect from 1st September 1971.

Alec Douglas-Home,
Secretary of State for Foreign and
Commonwealth Affairs.

1st December 1971.

Consent of the Minister for the Civil Service given under his Official Seal on 14th December 1971.

A. W. Wyatt,

Authorised by the Minister for the Civil Service.

## EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Regulations.)

These Regulations apply the provisions of the Pensions (Increase) Act 1971 to pensions payable to or in respect of Governors under the Governors' Pensions Acts 1957 and 1967 subject to modifications in relation to the dates on which pensions are deemed to begin.

The Regulations have retrospective effect from 1st September 1971, in pursuance of the powers conferred by section 5(4) of the Act.