STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1973 No. 1635

INJURIES IN WAR COMPENSATION

The Injuries in War (Shore Employments) Compensation (Amendment) Scheme 1973

Made - - 26th September 1973

The Defence Council, with the consent of the Minister for the Civil Service, in exercise of the powers conferred on them by section 1 of the Injuries in War Compensation Act 1914 (Session 2)(a) (as amended by the Defence (Transfer of Functions) (No. 1) Order 1964(b)) and section 1(1) and (3) of the Defence (Transfer of Functions) Act 1964(c) and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, hereby make the following Scheme:—

1. The Injuries in War (Shore Employments) Compensation Scheme 1914 as amended(d) shall be further amended as follows:

In paragraph (3) thereof for the figures "£11.20', wherever they occur, there shall be substituted the figures "£12.80".

- 2. This Scheme shall have effect as from 1st October 1973 so, however, that no payment shall be made thereunder in respect of any period before that date.
- 3. This Scheme may be cited as the Injuries in War (Shore Employments) Compensation (Amendment) Scheme 1973 and the Injuries in War (Shore Employments) Compensation Schemes 1914 to 1972 and this Scheme may be cited together as the Injuries in War (Shore Employments) Compensation Schemes 1914 to 1973.

Dated 21st September 1973.

Antony Buck,
Peter Hunt,
Members of the Defence Council.

Consent of the Minister for the Civil Service given under his Official Seal.

K. H. McNeill,
Authorised by the Minister of the Civil Service.

Dated 26th September 1973.

⁽a) 5 & 6 Geo. 5 c. 18.

⁽b) S.I. 1964/488 (1964 I, p. 769).

⁽c) 1964 c. 15. (d) The relevant amending instrument is S.I. 1972/1280 (1972 II, p. 3841).

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Scheme.)

The Injuries in War (Shore Employments) Compensation Schemes 1914 to 1972 provide for the payment of weekly allowances to small numbers of exmembers of the Women's Auxiliary Forces who suffered disablement from their services overseas during the 1914-18 war. This amending Scheme provides that the maximum weekly allowance payable shall be increased from £11-20 to £12-80 and that other allowances shall be increased proportionately. The increases will take effect as from 1st October 1973 in accordance with section 1(5) of the Injuries in War Compensation Act, 1914 (Session 2).

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