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And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty are to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

M. P. A. Hankey.

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 22nd day of *October*, 1937.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS there was this day read at the Board a Memorial from the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, dated the 7th day of September, 1937 (N. 5834/37), in the words following, viz.:—

"Whereas by Section 3 of the Naval and Marine Pay and Pensions Act, 1865, it is enacted *inter alia* that all pay, pensions or other allowances in the nature thereof payable in respect of services in Your Majesty's Naval or Marine Force to a person being or having been an Officer, Seaman or Marine therein shall be paid in such manner and subject to such restrictions, conditions and provisions as are from time to time directed by Order in Council:

"And whereas we consider it desirable that some extra remuneration should be payable to ratings who have the care of parachutes:

"We beg leave humbly to recommend that Your Majesty may be graciously pleased by Your Order in Council to sanction an allowance of 3d. a day, with effect from 1st January, 1937, to Naval ratings not higher than Able Seaman and not holding a higher non-substantive rating than Seaman Gunner, Seaman Torpedoman, Visual Signaller 3rd Class or Wireless Telegraphist 3rd Class, who are qualified in and are employed on the duties of the care, packing and maintenance of parachutes; the allowance to be payable only for actual days of employment on the duty.

"The Lords Commissioners of Your Majesty's Treasury have signified their concurrence in this proposal."

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WHEREAS there was this day read at the Board a Memorial from the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, dated the 1st day of October, 1937 (C.E. 4672/37), in the words following, viz.:—

"Whereas by Section 3 of the Naval and Marine Pay and Pensions Act, 1865, it is

enacted, *inter alia*, that all pay, pensions, or other allowances in the nature thereof payable in respect of services in Your Majesty's Naval or Marine Force to a person being or having been an Officer, Seaman, or Marine therein, shall be paid in such manner and subject to such restrictions, conditions and provisions as are from time to time directed by Order in Council:

"And whereas under Order in Council of the 23rd July, 1931, regulations have been laid down concerning the conditions of service of officers of Your Majesty's Naval and Marine Force who are employed on certain Inspection, Research, Design and Experimental Ordnance duties:

"And whereas by Clause 5 of the Schedule to the aforesaid Order in Council Officers employed on these duties are required to terminate their employment at the following ages:—

Higher posts	...	...	...	57
Senior posts	...	...	...	52
Junior posts	...	...	...	47

except in the case of Officers already holding confirmed appointments in such employment on the 21st November, 1929, where the Admiralty may decide to extend the age limit:

"And whereas we consider it desirable that this rule should be revised:

"We beg leave humbly to recommend that Your Majesty may be graciously pleased, by Your Order in Council, to sanction the substitution of the following ages for the compulsory termination of the employment of these Officers:—

Higher posts	...	...	...	57
Senior posts	...	...	...	55
Junior posts	...	...	...	52

except in the case of Officers already holding confirmed appointments in such employment on the 21st November, 1929, where the Admiralty may decide to extend the age limit.

"The Lords Commissioners of Your Majesty's Treasury have signified their concurrence in these proposals."

His Majesty, having taken the said Memorial into consideration, was pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to approve of what is therein proposed.

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WHEREAS by the Osborne Estate Act, 1914, it is enacted that His Majesty may, by Order in Council, add to the persons for whose benefit the part of Osborne House mentioned in paragraph (b) of sub-section (4) of section one of the Osborne Estate Act, 1902, is to be used, such other classes of persons as, subject to such conditions and restrictions as may be imposed by the Order, He may determine to be qualified on account of their public services to