

SCHEDULE

SECTION 2.

Denomination of Coin	Standard Weight		Standard Composition	Remedy Allowance		Composition
	Imperial Weight Grains	Metric Weight Grams		Weight per Piece		
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CUPRO-NICKEL—						
Crown ...	436.36363	28.27590	Three-quarters copper, one-quarter nickel.	2.000	.1296	1 per cent.
Half-Crown ...	218.18181	14.13795		1.216	.0788	
Florin ...	174.54545	11.31036		.997	.0646	
Shilling ...	87.27272	5.65518		.578	.0375	
Sixpence ...	43.63636	2.82759		.346	.0224	
Threepence ...	21.81818	1.41379		.212	.0138	

GIVEN at Our Court at Buckingham Palace this fourteenth day of October, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and forty-seven, and in the Eleventh year of Our Reign.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 14th day of *October*, 1947.

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 20th day of August, 1947 (N2/N.6570/47), 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 by Order in Council dated 21st day of December, 1933, sanction was given to the establishment of the non-substantive rates of Visual Signaller 1st Class and Wireless Telegraphist 1st Class:

"And whereas we are of opinion that the titles of Signal Instructor and Wireless Instructor more suitably describe the duties of the ratings:

"We beg leave humbly to recommend that Your Majesty may be graciously pleased, by Your Order in Council, to sanction the change of title of these ratings to Signal Instructor and Wireless Instructor respectively.

"The Lords Commissioners of Your Majesty's Treasury have been informed of these alterations."

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.

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

E. C. E. Leadbitter.

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 14th day of *October*, 1947.

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 20th day of August, 1947 (N2/N.6921/47), 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 by an Order in Council dated 20th day of May, 1903, sanction was given to the scheme for the entry, training and pay of Bandsmen, including Bandmaster 1st and 2nd Class, in the Royal Marines:

"And whereas we are of the opinion that the titles of 'Bandmaster 1st Class' and 'Bandmaster 2nd Class' in the Royal Marines are unsatisfactory:

"We beg leave humbly to recommend that Your Majesty may be graciously pleased by Your Order in Council to sanction the following new titles:—

"Bandmaster—for Bandmaster 1st Class.

"Band Sergeant—for Bandmaster 2nd Class.

"The Lords Commissioners of Your Majesty's Treasury have been informed of these alterations."

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.

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

E. C. E. Leadbitter.

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 14th day of *October*, 1947.

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 20th day of August, 1947, in the words following, viz.:—

"Whereas by Section I of the Greenwich Hospital Act, 1947, it was enacted that so much of Section 5 of the Greenwich Hospital Act, 1869, as limited the amount of the Special Greenwich Hospital Pensions which might be appointed to non-commissioned officers or men admitted to the benefits of Greenwich Hospital in lieu of maintenance should cease to have effect.

"And whereas it appears to us to be desirable to revise the existing Table of the Scales of 'Greenwich Hospital Special Pensions' awarded under the authority vested in us by Orders in Council made by Her late Majesty Queen Victoria.

"We humbly recommend that Your Majesty will be graciously pleased to approve of the accompanying regulations being substituted for those now in force.

"Should Your Majesty be graciously pleased to approve, we would further most humbly recommend that the provisions of these Regulations should be made retrospective so far as to include certain cases, which would not be excluded by the accompanying Table, where payments on the basis proposed therein have been specially sanctioned by us.