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FRIDAY, 22 OCTOBER, 1954

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 19th day of October, 1954.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'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 6th day of October, 1954 (N.P. 3612/54), 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 the 8th day of December, 1950, certain rates of pay were laid down for Officers of Your Majesty's Naval and Marine Forces:

"And whereas we are of opinion that certain of these rates of pay require revision:

"We beg leave humbly to recommend that Your Majesty may be graciously pleased by Your Order in Council to sanction the rates of pay contained in the Schedules annexed hereto, with effect from the 1st day of April, 1954.

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

"SCHEDULE I—GENERAL.

"1. The rates of full pay in the following Schedule to apply to Officers of the Royal Navy and Royal Marines, and also in accordance with their several ranks and subject to the regulations governing their service, to Officers of the Royal Naval Reserve and the Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve, while serving or training in H.M. Ships or Establishments or while called out for actual service in war or emergency. The rates of full pay in Schedule II not to apply to National Service Officers or to Officers appointed for time only or otherwise holding naval rank for purposes of status only.

"2. Increments of full pay for Royal Naval Reserve and Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve Officers to continue to depend on mobilised service on naval rates of full pay in the confirmed rank.

"SCHEDULE II—FULL PAY.

"(a) Executive, Air, Engineering, Electrical, Supply and Secretariat, and Special Branches (General List Officers).

Rank or Relative Rank.	Daily Rate.
	£ s. d.
Cadet in training	0 4 0
Cadet	0 6 0*
Cadet in ship of the Fleet	0 7 6
Midshipman	0 9 6*

* These rates to apply to Cadets and Midshipmen who train under the scheme commencing May, 1955, and to become effective at our discretion.

Rank or Relative Rank.	Daily Rate.
	£ s. d.
Midshipman	0 12 0
Lieutenant after 4 years	1 14 0
Lieutenant after 6 years	1 16 0
Lieutenant-Commander on promotion	2 4 0
Lieutenant-Commander after 2 years	2 6 0
Lieutenant-Commander after 4 years	2 8 0
Lieutenant-Commander after 6 years	2 10 0
Lieutenant-Commander after 8 years	2 13 0
Lieutenant-Commander after 10 years	2 15 0
Commander on promotion	3 1 6
Commander after 2 years	3 4 0
Commander after 4 years	3 6 6
Commander after 6 years	3 9 0
Commander after 8 years	3 11 6
Captain on promotion	4 0 0
Captain after 2 years	4 3 0
Captain after 4 years	4 6 0
Captain after 6 years	4 9 0
Captain after 8 years	4 12 0

Note.—The rates for Lieutenant-Commander and Captain are subject to overriding maxima (basic pay and flying pay together) of 63s. and 92s. per day respectively.

"2. Chaplains of all denominations.	Daily Rate.
	£ s. d.
Chaplain after 4 years	1 16 6
Chaplain after 6 years	1 19 0
Chaplain after 8 years	2 2 6
Chaplain after 10 years	2 5 0
Chaplain after 12 years	2 7 6
Chaplain after 14 years	2 10 0
Chaplain after 16 years	2 12 6
Chaplain after 18 years	2 17 6
Chaplain after 20 years	3 1 0
Chaplain after 22 years	3 3 6
Chaplain after 24 years	3 6 0
Chaplain after 26 years	3 8 6
Chaplain of the Fleet	4 4 6

The two Senior Chaplains holding the appointments of Senior Chaplains, Church of Scotland and Free Churches and Senior Roman Catholic Chaplain respectively, to receive a special rate of full pay of £3 13s. 6d. a day whilst so appointed, and on ceasing to hold these appointments, to revert to their normal rate of pay on the scale above.

"3. Instructor Officers

"(a) The following scale does not apply to the Instructor Commanders shown at (b) below:—

Rank.	Daily Rate.
	£ s. d.
Instructor Lieutenant at 4 years seniority	1 14 0
Instructor Lieutenant at 6 years seniority	1 16 0