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FRIDAY, 29 NOVEMBER, 1957

At the Court at Buckingham Palace the 27th day of November, 1957.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by section 3 of the Naval and Marine Pay and Pensions Act, 1865 (28 & 29 Vict. c. 73), it is enacted that all pay, wages, pensions, bounty money, grants or other allowances in the nature thereof payable in respect of services in Her Majesty's naval or marine force to a person being or having been an officer, seaman or marine, or to the widow or any relative of a deceased officer, seaman or marine, 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 Her Majesty deems it expedient to amend certain Orders in Council concerning retired pay, pensions and other grants for officers, nurses and ratings disabled, and for the widows and children of officers and ratings deceased, in consequence of service during the 1914 World War:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, in exercise of the powers conferred upon Her as aforesaid and of all other powers whatsoever Her thereunto enabling, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

1. In this Order the following expressions have the meanings hereby respectively assigned to them:—

(1) "the 1920 Order" means the Order in Council of the 11th June, 1920 (S.R. & O. 1920/1021 (II, p. 295)), relating to seamen and marines, as amended by any subsequent Order in Council;

(2) "the 1921 (Officers) Order" means the Order in Council of the 9th March, 1921 (S.R. & O. 1921/360 (p. 770)), relating to commissioned and subordinate officers and nurses, as amended by any subsequent Order in Council;

(3) "the 1921 (Warrant Officers) Order" means the Order in Council of the 9th March, 1921 (S.R. & O. 1921/361 (p. 794)), relating to Commissioned Officers from Warrant Rank and Warrant Officers, as amended by any subsequent Order in Council;

(4) "the 1949 Order" means the Order in Council of the 29th September, 1949, as amended by any subsequent Order in Council.

2. In Article 6a of the 1920 Order, as amended (Order of 5th January, 1955), (which provides for the award of allowances for constant attendance on disabled ratings) for the figures 30s. and 60s. there shall be substituted the figures 35s. and 70s. respectively and in Article 7 of the 1921 (Officers) Order and of the 1921 (Warrant Officers) Order, as amended in both cases (Order of 5th January, 1955), (which make similar provisions for disabled officers) and in Article 27 of the 1921 (Officers) Order, as amended (Order of 5th January, 1955), (which makes similar provisions for disabled nurses) for the figures 60s. there shall be substituted the figures 70s.

3. In column 2 of the Table in Article 11 of the 1920 Order, as amended (Order of 5th January, 1955), (which sets out the rates of pension which may be awarded to widows of ratings) for the figures 57s. 6d., 56s. 6d., 55s. 6d., 54s. 6d., 53s. 6d. and 52s. 6d. there shall be substituted the figures 71s., 70s., 69s., 68s., 67s., and 66s. respectively.

4. In Article 12 of the 1920 Order, as amended (Order of 29th June, 1956), (which provides for the award of allowances for the children of ratings' widows) for the figures 21s. 6d., wherever the same appear, there shall be substituted the figures 25s.

5. In Article 18 (1) of the 1920 Order, as amended (Order of 5th January, 1955), (which provides for the award of pensions to certain ratings' children who have attained the age of 18 years and are incapable of self-support) for the figures 40s. there shall be substituted the figures 50s.

6. For the First Schedule to the 1920 Order, as amended (Order of 5th January, 1955), (which sets out the assessments of disablement caused by specified injuries and of certain other disablements and the pensions which may be granted to ratings for such injuries and disablements) there shall be substituted the First Schedule to this Order.

7. In Article 12 (1) of the 1921 (Officers) Order, as amended (Order of 29th June, 1956), (which provides for the award of allowances to widows of officers in respect of children) for the figures £63 10s. there shall be substituted the figures £73.

8. In Article 17 of the 1921 (Officers) Order, as amended (Order of 5th January, 1955), (which provides for the award of pensions to certain officers' children who have attained the age of 18 years and are incapable of self-support) for the figures £104 there shall be substituted the figures £130.

9. For Part I of the First Schedule to the 1921 (Officers) Order, as amended (Order of 5th January, 1955), (which sets out the rates of retired pay for disabled officers) there shall be substituted the Second Schedule to this Order.

10. For the figures in Columns (2) to (5) in the Second Schedule to the 1921 (Officers) Order, as amended (Order of 5th January, 1955), (which sets out the rates of pensions for officers' widows) there shall be substituted the figures in the following columns:—

(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
£	£	£	£
882	882	782	782
682	682	622	622
582	582	522	522
482	482	432	432
402	382	372	372
322	302	312	312
298	282	292	292
262	170	262	170
247	150	247	150
232	130	232	130