

ordinary' family pension, at the rates set out below may be granted:—

Widows

Except as provided in Clause 7, the rate of Widow's pension will be:—

- (a) one-third of the half pay, retired pay or pension (including pensions increase if any) in payment to the husband at the date of death; or where it would be more favourable
- (b) one-third of the rate of half pay, retired pay or pension which would have been in payment on that date if the husband had already qualified for pensions increase, and subject to Clause 20, disregarding any commutation which may have been made; or
- (c) when death occurs while serving, one-third of the rate of half pay, retired pay or pension which would have been awarded if the husband had been invalided on the date on which he died, provided in the case of officers' widows that if the officer died before 1st April, 1964, but gave service on or after 1st February, 1964, the rate of widow's pension will, from 1st April, 1964, or the date of commencement of pension if later, be one-third of the rate of retired pay for which the husband would have become eligible on 1st April 1964.

Children

Each child one-third, or if motherless two-thirds, of the pension awarded to the widow, or which would have been awarded to the widow had she been alive and eligible for an award under this section.

"7. Minimum rates of Ordinary Family Pensions

If the rates of pension calculated in accordance with Clause 6 would be less than those set out below, the latter would be payable:

(a) Officers' Widows

	Annual Rates	
	£	s.
Admiral of the Fleet	646	17
Admiral/General, R.M.	549	17
Vice-Admiral/Lieutenant-General, R.M.	452	18
Rear-Admiral/Major-General, R.M....	388	3
Chaplain of the Fleet		
Captain, R.N., after six years' service	323	10
Colonel, R.M.		
Captain, R.N., with less than six years' service	284	14
Lieutenant-Colonel, R.M.		
Chaplain with 22 years' service and aged 50 or more at date of retirement*	232	17
Commander, R.N.		
Major, R.M.	181	3
Chaplain with 14 years' service and over, unless qualified for the rates at *		
Lieutenant-Commander, R.N.	142	9
Captain, R.M.		
Lieutenant-Commander, R.N. (S.D. List), after nine years' service in the rank	103	11
Lieutenant-Commander (Branch List), R.N.		
Captain, R.M. (S.D. List), after nine years' service in the rank	103	11
Captain (Branch List), R.M.		
Chaplain with 10, but less than 14 years' service	103	11
Lieutenant-Commander, R.N. (S.D. List) with less than nine years' service in the rank		
Captain, R.M. (S.D. List), with less than nine years' service in the rank	103	11
Lieutenant, R.N. and R.M.		
Lieutenant, R.N. and R.M. (S.D. List)	103	11
Lieutenant (Branch List), R.N. and R.M.		
Senior Commissioned Officer (Branch List), R.N. and R.M.	103	11
Sub-Lieutenant, R.N. (S.D. List)		
Second Lieutenant, R.M. (S.D. List)	103	11
Commissioned Officer (Branch List), R.N. and R.M.		

(b) R.N. Ratings' and R.M. Other Ranks' Widows

	Weekly Rates	
	£	s. d.
Regimental Sergeant Major, R.M.	1	10 3
Quartermaster Sergeant, R.M.	1	8 0
Chief Petty Officer/Colour Sergeant, R.M.	1	5 9
Petty Officer/Sergeant, R.M.	1	2 5
Leading Rating/Corporal, R.M., and all lower ranks	0	16 10

"8. Modified Family Pensions. If the death of the husband is due to service and the family is awarded an 'attributable' pension, an 'ordinary' family pension will not be payable. Instead a 'modified' family pension at one half of the ordinary rates as specified in clause 6 above may be awarded in addition to the 'attributable' pension. The rates in Clause 9 will, however, apply if more favourable.

"9. Minimum Rates of 'Modified' Family Pensions. If the rates of pension calculated in accordance with Clause 8 would be less than those set out below, the latter will be payable:

(a) Officers' Widows

	Annual Rates	
	£	s.
Admiral of the Fleet	174	13
Admiral/General, R.M.	161	17
Vice-Admiral/Lieutenant-General, R.M.	148	16
Rear-Admiral/Major-General, R.M....	136	0
Chaplain of the Fleet		
Captain, R.N., after six years' service	122	19
Colonel, R.M.		
Captain, R.N., with less than six years' service	110	3
Lieutenant-Colonel, R.M.		
Chaplain with 22 years' service and aged 50 or more at date of retirement*	97	2
Commander, R.N.		
Major, R.M.	84	5
Chaplain with 14 years' service and over, unless qualified for the rates at *		
Lieutenant-Commander, R.N.	71	5
Captain, R.M.		
Lieutenant-Commander, R.N. (S.D. List), after nine years' service in the rank	58	8
Lieutenant-Commander (Branch List, R.N.)		
Captain, R.M. (S.D. List), after nine years' service in the rank	58	8
Captain (Branch List), R.M.		
Chaplain with 10 but less than 14 years' service	58	8
Lieutenant-Commander, R.N. (S.D. List), with less than nine years' service in the rank		
Captain, R.M. (S.D. List), with less than nine years' service in the rank	58	8
Lieutenant, R.N. and R.M.		
Lieutenant, R.N. and R.M. (S.D. List)	58	8
Lieutenant (Branch List), R.N. and R.M.		
Senior Commissioned Officer (Branch List), R.N. and R.M.	58	8
Sub-Lieutenant, R.N. (S.D. List)		
Second Lieutenant, R.M. (S.D. List)	58	8
Commissioned Officer (Branch List), R.N. and R.M.		

(b) R.N. Ratings' and R.M. Other Ranks' Widows

	Weekly Rates	
	£	s. d.
Regimental Sergeant Major, R.M.	1	0 2
Quartermaster Sergeant, R.M.	0	18 8
Chief Petty Officer/Colour Sergeant, R.M.	0	17 2
Petty Officer/Sergeant, R.M.	0	14 11
Leading Rating/Corporal, R.M., and all lower ranks	0	11 2

"10. Age Addition. Widows in receipt of pension at any of the rates set out in Clauses 6, 7, 8 and 9 may be awarded an addition on reaching, or having reached, the age of 70 as follows:

(a) Officers' widows at the rate of £20 a year.

(b) R.N. ratings' and R.M. other ranks' widows at the rate of 7s. 8d. a week.

No additional increase under this Clause is to exceed one quarter of the pension payable to the pensioner.

"11. Supplements to 'Modified' Family Pensions

(a) Where, but for the pension or allowances awarded on the ground that the husband's death was due to service, a widow would have received a National Insurance award, the Admiralty may grant a supplementary pension equal to the amount by which the widow's 'attributable' pension and the 'modified' family pension falls short of an award of 'ordinary' family pension, together with the National Insurance award and a lead of £26 a year in the case of the widow of an officer, 7s. 6d. a week in the case of the widow of a Regimental Sergeant Major, Royal Marines, and 5s. 0d. a week in the case of the widow of any other rank or rating.

(b) A supplementary pension for a widow with children will be calculated as if the awards to that