RANKS AND CONDITIONS OF SERVICE

1952 No. 1422

The Fire Services (Appointments and Promotion) Regulations, 1952

Made - - - -	26*th July*, 1952
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Coming into Operation	1*st August*, 1952

In pursuance of the powers conferred on me by subsection (1) of section eighteen of the Fire Services Act, 1947(a), I hereby make the following Regulations :—

1.—(1) In paragraph (1) of Regulation 2 of the Fire Services (Appointments and Promotion) Regulations, 1950(b), after the words " as a whole-time member thereof " there shall be inserted the words " holding the rank of fireman ".

(2) In sub-paragraph (*a*) of paragraph (2) of the said Regulation 2 for the words " he is a member of another brigade " there shall be substituted the words " he is a whole-time member of another brigade ".

(3) For sub-paragraph (*b*) of paragraph (2) of the said Regulation there shall be substituted the following sub-paragraph :—

" (*b*) the appointment of a person to a brigade who has previously retired from the same or another brigade or from a fire brigade maintained by a fire authority in Scotland under the provisions of the Fire Services Act, 1947, and was, immediately before his retirement, serving in that brigade or, as the case may be, that fire brigade as a whole-time member on terms under which he was or might have been required to engage in fire-fighting and which were not such that his engagement in that brigade or that fire brigade were expressed to be temporary only.".

2. For paragraph (1) of Regulation 4 of the said Regulations there shall be substituted the following paragraph :—

"(1) The qualifications for appointment to any rank in a brigade of a male person who is not a member of the brigade and is to serve therein as a whole-time member thereof on terms under which he will not be solely engaged on control room duties, shall be as follows, that is to say, he shall, at the time when it is decided to appoint him to the said rank, be—

(*a*) a whole-time member of another brigade either holding a rank not lower than the rank to which he is to be appointed or possessing such qualifications as would be required under Regulation 3 of these Regulations for promotion into that rank in such other brigade, or

(*b*) a person who has previously retired from a brigade and to whom sub-paragraph (*b*) of paragraph (2) of Regulation 2 of these Regulations applies and who immediately before his retirement either held a rank not lower than the rank to which he is to be appointed or possessed such qualifications as would be required under Regulation 3 of these Regulations for promotion into that rank:

(a) 10 & 11 Geo. 6. c. 41. (b) S.I. 1950/619; 1950 I, p. 691.

Provided that a person may with the approval of the Secretary of State be appointed to a rank in a brigade to perform in that rank particular duties for which special qualifications are required if he possesses those qualifications notwithstanding that he does not possess the qualification specified in this Regulation for appointment to that rank.".

3.—(1) Sub-paragraph (*e*) of paragraph (1) of Regulation 6 of the said Regulations shall be omitted.

(2) In sub-paragraph (i) of paragraph (1) of the said Regulation 6 after the words " the expression ' rank ' " there shall be inserted the words " except in Regulation 2 ".

4. These Regulations may be cited as the Fire Services (Appointments and Promotion) Regulations, 1952, and shall come into operation on the first day of August, 1952.

David Maxwell Fyfe,
One of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

Home Office,
Whitehall.
26th July, 1952.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Regulations, but is intended to indicate their general purport.)

These Regulations amend the Fire Services (Appointments and Promotion) Regulations, 1950, so that the qualifications required by Regulation 2 thereof for appointment to a brigade are limited to appointments as firemen (Regulation 1(1) and Regulation 3(2)). In addition exemption from those qualifications in the case of transfers from one brigade to another is limited to transfers of whole-time members (Regulation 1(2)). Provision is also made for any person with previous whole-time fire service to be re-appointed to a brigade (Regulation 1(3), Regulation 2 and Regulation 3(1)).

1952 No. 334 (S. 13)

The Fire Services (Conditions of Service) (Scotland) Regulations, 1952

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Laid before Parliament	*21st February*, 1952
Coming into Operation	*22nd February*, 1952

In exercise of the powers conferred on me by subsection (1) of section seventeen of the Fire Services Act, 1947(a), I hereby make the following Regulations:—

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Fire Services (Conditions of Service) (Scotland) Regulations, 1952, and shall come into operation on the twenty-second day of February, 1952.

(a) 10 & 11 Geo. 6. c. 41.