(2) After sub-paragraph (2) of the said paragraph there shall be added the following sub-paragraph:—

"(3) For the purposes of this paragraph the expression "any form of civil defence" means any form of civil defence for the time being recognised by the Secretary of State as being appropriate to be undertaken by members of fire brigades".

Hector McNeil,
One of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

St. Andrew's House,
Edinburgh, 1.

3rd October, 1951.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

Regulation 2 provides that a firewoman who has attained the age of twenty years shall not count service before that age in calculating her pay.

Regulation 3 provides that the rates of subsistence allowance shall be determined by fire authorities instead of being prescribed by Regulation. Regulation 4 increases the value of free meals that may be provided by fire authorities. Regulations 5, 7, 8, 9 and 10 provide for the payment of an allowance to members of a brigade who give instruction in civil defence to part-time members of brigades. Regulation 6 makes provision for the calculation of the allowance therein referred to in the case of members of a brigade who are promoted; in particular it provides that the pay increases granted by the Fire Services (Conditions of Service) (Scotland) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations, 1951, shall not be taken into account for the purposes of such calculation.

The Fire Services (Conditions of Service) (Scotland) Amendment No. 4 Regulations, 1951

1951 No. 2299 (S. 109)

Made - - - -	*22nd December,* 1951
Laid before Parliament	*24th December,* 1951
Coming into Operation	*1st January,* 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) Amendment No. 4 Regulations, 1951, and shall come into operation on the first day of January, 1952.

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

2. For the Table subjoined to sub-paragraph (2) of paragraph 24 of the Fourth Schedule to the Fire Services (Conditions of Service) (Scotland) Regulations, 1948(a), there shall be substituted the following Table:—

"TABLE	£
Section Leader	20
Leading Fireman	18
Fireman	15"

3. For paragraph 2 of the Fifth Schedule to the said Regulations there shall be substituted the following paragraph:—

"2.—(1) The payment of a retaining fee shall be subject to the satisfactory performance of the duties to which the obligations set out in paragraph 8 of this Schedule relate.

(2) The annual retaining fee shall—

(*a*) in the case of a male retained member of a brigade, be that set opposite in the subjoined Table to the rank that he holds:—

TABLE	£	s.
Company Officer or officer of higher rank ...	62	
Section Leader	39	
Leading Fireman	32	10
Fireman	30	

(*b*) in the case of a female retained member of a brigade, be £20:

Provided that—

(i) the annual retaining fee for a section leader in charge of a station shall be £52 and for a leading fireman in charge of a station £39;

(ii) if a retained member has enrolled on conditions requiring his attendance only during limited periods, the retaining fee may be proportionately reduced;

(iii) if a retained member fails to attend in accordance with the obligations set out in sub-paragraph (1) (*a*) or sub-paragraph (2) (*a*) of paragraph 8 of this Schedule, the retaining fee may be proportionately reduced."

4.—(1) For the Table subjoined to sub-paragraph (4) of paragraph 3 of the Fifth Schedule to the said Regulations there shall be substituted the following Table:—

"TABLE	s.
Company Officer or officer of higher rank ...	18
Section Leader	16
Leading Fireman	14
Fireman	12"

(2) For the Table subjoined to sub-paragraph (5) of the said paragraph there shall be substituted the following Table:—

"TABLE	s.
Company Officer or officer of higher rank ...	6
Section Leader	6
Leading Fireman	5
Fireman	5"

(a) S.I. 1948 (No. 941) I, p. 1158; *and see* S.I. 1948 (No. 1954) I, p. 1178; 1949 (No. 2253) I, p. 1686; 1950 (No. 405) I, p. 703; 1950 (No. 887) I, p. 706; 1951 Nos. 291 and 1766, pp. 700 and 706 above.

5. For the Table subjoined to sub-paragraph (3) (*a*) of paragraph 4 of the Fifth Schedule to the said Regulations there shall be substituted the following Table:—

"TABLE

	s.
Company Officer or officer of higher rank ...	10
Section Leader	9
Leading Fireman	8
Fireman	7"

6.—(1) In paragraph 5 of the Fifth Schedule to the said Regulations the words " or to an attendance fee " shall be omitted.

(2) At the end of the said paragraph there shall be added the following sub-paragraph:—

" (2) Where a retained member of a brigade has become entitled to an attendance fee and remains on duty on that occasion for more than one hour from the time of his first attendance at the station, he shall be paid in respect of each hour after the first hour in the case of a male retained member the amount set opposite in the Table subjoined to sub-paragraph (5) of paragraph 3 of this Schedule to the rank he holds and in the case of a female retained member 2s."

7. In paragraph 6 of the Fifth Schedule to the said Regulations for the words " 3s. in respect of each hour " there shall be substituted the words " 4s. in respect of each hour ".

8. For sub-paragraph (2) of paragraph 12 of the Fifth Schedule to these Regulations there shall be substituted the following sub-paragraph:—

" (2) In reckoning an hour for the purposes of paragraph 3 or 6 of this Schedule, or in reckoning an hour after the first two hours for the purposes of sub-paragraph (1) of paragraph 5 of this Schedule, or in reckoning an hour after the first hour for the purposes of sub-paragraph (2) of the said paragraph 5, a period of time less than a complete hour but which exceeds fifteen minutes shall be reckoned as a complete hour."

James Stuart,
One of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

St. Andrew's House,
Edinburgh 1.
22nd December, 1951.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These Regulations (other than Regulation 6) increase the fees payable to retained part-time members of fire brigades and to whole-time members who undertake the duties of retained members; Regulation 3 also provides that the retaining fee payable to a retained part-time member may be reduced where the retained member does not fulfil his obligations. Regulation 6 provides that the hourly rate of pay to a retained part-time member who is entitled to an attendance fee shall be paid after the first hour, instead of after the first two hours, on duty.