STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1966 No. 445

PENSIONS

The Increase of Pensions (Extension) Regulations 1966

Made - - - -	*20th April* 1966
Laid before Parliament	*27th April* 1966
Coming into Operation	*28th April* 1966

The Treasury, in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by section 3(3)(*b*) and (4) of the Pensions (Increase) Act 1959(**a**) as applied by section 5(2) of the Pensions (Increase) Act 1965(**b**) and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, hereby make the following Regulations:—

1.—(1) The persons specified in the first column of the Schedule hereto are hereby empowered to pay increases of the pensions specified in the second column of that Schedule not exceeding the increases authorised by section 1 of the Pensions (Increase) Act 1965 which would be payable if those pensions were specified in Schedule 1 thereto.

(2) Any increase authorised by these Regulations may take effect as from 1st January 1966.

2. The Interpretation Act 1889(**c**) shall apply for the interpretation of these Regulations as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

3. These Regulations may be cited as the Increase of Pensions (Extension) Regulations 1966, and shall come into operation on 28th April 1966.

William Whitlock,
Joseph Harper,
Two of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

20th April 1966.

SCHEDULE

Persons empowered to pay increases	Pensions which may be increased
1. The Greater London Council and the mayor, aldermen and burgesses of the London Boroughs of Bexley, Croydon, Newham, Redbridge and Waltham Forest.	A pension payable under subsections (9) to (11) of section 80 of the London Passenger Transport Act 1933(**d**).
2. The mayor, aldermen and burgesses of the London Borough of Southwark.	A pension payable by them in respect of employment in the Borough Market, Southwark.

(a) 1959 c. 50. (b) 1965 c. 78. (c) 1889 c. 63. (d) 1933 c. 14.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Regulations.)

These Regulations authorise the local authorities mentioned in paragraph 1 of the Schedule to grant increases, not exceeding those for which section 1 of the Pensions (Increase) Act 1965 provides, to those pensioners who were formerly employed in tramway undertakings and who elected to continue to be members of local authority Superannuation Funds after the undertakings were taken over under the London Passenger Transport Act 1933.

The Regulations also empower the London Borough of Southwark to grant similar increases to those receiving pensions from their Superannuation Fund in respect of former employment in the Borough Market, Southwark.

In accordance with section 3(4) of the Pensions (Increase) Act 1959, the increases may take effect as from 1st January 1966.