1961 No. 1246

INJURIES IN WAR COMPENSATION

The Injuries in War (Shore Employments) Compensation (Amendment) Scheme, 1961

Made - - - - *26th June*, 1961

The Army Council, in exercise of the powers conferred on them by Section 1 of the Injuries in War (Compensation) Act, 1914 (Session 2)(a) and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, hereby make the following Scheme:—

1. The Injuries in War (Shore Employments) Compensation Scheme, 1914, as amended by the Injuries in War (Shore Employments) Compensation (Amendment) Scheme, 1949(b), by the Injuries in War (Shore Employments) Compensation (Amendment) Scheme, 1953(c), by the Injuries in War (Shore Employments) Compensation (Amendment) Scheme, 1955(d), and by the Injuries in War (Shore Employments) Compensation (Amendment) Scheme, 1958(e), shall be further amended by substituting for paragraph (3) thereof the following paragraph:—

"(3) A person to whom this Scheme applies who is disabled may be paid an allowance in respect of his disablement at the weekly rate of 97s. 6d. where the degree of his disablement is 100 per cent., or where the degree of his disablement is less than 100 per cent., at the weekly rate which bears to 97s. 6d. the same proportion as the degree of his disablement bears to 100 per cent.".

2. This Scheme shall have effect as from 3rd April, 1961, so, however, that no payment shall be made thereunder in respect of any period before that date.

3. This Scheme may be cited as the Injuries in War (Shore Employments) Compensation (Amendment) Scheme, 1961, and the Injuries in War (Shore Employments) Compensation Schemes, 1914 to 1958, and this Scheme may be cited together as the Injuries in War (Shore Employments) Compensation Schemes, 1914 to 1961.

James Ramsden.
R. W. Goodbody.
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We consent.

David Gibson-Watt,
John Hill,
Two of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

Dated this 26th day of June, 1961.

(a) 5 & 6 Geo. 5. c. 18. (b) S.I. 1949/2285 (1949 I, p. 2360).
(c) S.I. 1953/699 (1953 I, p. 879). (d) S.I. 1955/1974 (1955 I, p. 1035).
(e) S.I. 1958/1003 (1958 I, p. 1290).

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Scheme, but is intended to indicate its general purport.)

The Injuries in War (Shore Employments) Compensation Schemes, 1914 to 1958, provide for the payment of weekly allowances to small numbers of ex-members of the women's auxiliary forces who suffered disablement from their service overseas during the 1914-18 war. The amending Scheme provides, with effect from 3rd April, 1961, that the maximum weekly allowance payable shall be increased from 85s. 0d. to 97s. 6d. and that other allowances shall be increased proportionately.