Local Government Superannuation

ORDER DATED 26TH MAY, 1954, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS UNDER SECTION 10 OF THE FIRE SERVICES (AMENDMENT) ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1950.

1954. No. 74

The Ministry of Home Affairs in pursuance of the powers conferred upon it by paragraph (*a*) of sub-section (2) of section ten of the Fire Services (Amendment) Act (Northern Ireland), 1950, hereby makes the following Order:—

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Northern Ireland Fire Authority (Administrative Officers) Superannuation Order (Northern Ireland), 1954.

(2) The Interpretation Act, 1889, shall apply to the interpretation of this Order as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of the Parliament of Northern Ireland.

2.—(1) The Local Government (Superannuation) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1950 to 1954, shall apply as from the appointed day as defined in those Regulations to officers (other than fire officers) employed by the Northern Ireland Fire Authority.

(2) A reference in this Order to any Regulations shall be construed as a reference to those Regulations as amended by any subsequent regulations.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland this 26th day of May, 1954, in the presence of

(L.S.) *R. F. R. Dunbar,*
Assistant Secretary.

REGULATIONS*, DATED 26TH MAY, 1954, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT WITH THE APPROVAL OF THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE UNDER SECTION 2 AND SECTION 7 OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT (SUPERANNUATION) ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1950.

1954. No. 78

The Ministry of Health and Local Government for Northern Ireland, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by sub-section (1) of Section two of the Local Government (Superannuation) Act (Northern Ireland), 1950, (in these Regulations referred to as "the Act") and with the approval of the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland under sub-section(2) of Section seven of the Act, hereby makes the following Regulations:—

1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Local Government (Superannuation) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1954, and shall be deemed to have come into operation on the appointed day.

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* A Draft of these Regulations was approved by Resolutions of the Senate and of the House of Commons on the 25th day of May, 1954.

(2) These Regulations and the Local Government (Superannuation) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1950(a), the Local Government (Superannuation) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1950(b), and the Local Government (Superannuation) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1952(c), shall be construed as one, and may be cited together as the Local Government (Superannuation) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1950 to 1954.

(3) In these Regulations, unless the context otherwise requires, the following expressions have the meanings hereby assigned to them—

"the principal regulations" means the Local Government (Superannuation) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1950, as amended by the Local Government (Superannuation) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1950, and the Local Government (Superannuation) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1952; and

"regulation" means regulation contained in the principal regulations.

(4) The Interpretation Act, 1921, shall apply for the purpose of the interpretation of these regulations in like manner as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of the Parliament of Northern Ireland.

2. In Regulation 3, at the end of sub-paragraph (*g*), the following words shall be added:—

"Provided also that the regulations shall not apply to an officer in the employment of the Northern Ireland Fire Authority immediately before the 1st May, 1954, unless, not later than the 30th June, 1954, he elects that the regulations shall apply to him and, if he so elects, he shall thereupon be entitled, on payment into the Superannuation Fund of the employee's contributions calculated in accordance with regulation 5, to count as contributing service the period of employment represented by such contributions, provided that the Northern Ireland Fire Authority also pays the appropriate contributions into the Fund in accordance with regulation 6."

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Health and Local Government for Northern Ireland this twenty-sixth day of May, 1954, in the presence of

(L.S.) *W. McCaughey,*
Assistant Secretary.

The Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland, in so far as its approval is necessary under sub-section (2) of Section 7 of the Act, hereby approves the foregoing Regulations.

(a) S.R. & O. (N.I.), 1950, No. 103.
(b) S.R. & O. (N.I.), 1950, No. 225.
(c) S.R. & O. (N.I.), 1952, No. 113.