(*q*) paragraphs (3) and (5) of regulation 76 contain provisions corresponding (with necessary modifications) to the provisions applicable to persons transferring between superannuable local government employment and employment subject to a superannuation scheme providing benefits by means of insurance policies.

Other amendments (not purely of a drafting character) concerning matters of administrative detail, or which are consequential on changes in local government superannuation law, or are otherwise of comparatively minor importance, are included in regulations 4 (1), 7 (1) and (2), 8 (1) and (3), 10 (2) and (4), 12, 15 (1), 19 (1), 28, 29 (1) proviso (ii), 29 (5), 33, 35 (1), 44 (2) and (3), 50 (3), 76 (1), (3) and (5), 80 (1) proviso (iii), 84, and in the First and Second Schedules.

NATIONAL INSURANCE

ADMINISTRATION

1955 No. 45 (C. 1)

The National Insurance Act, 1954 (Commencement) Order, 1955

Made - - - - 7*th January*, 1955
Coming into Operation 13*th January*, 1955

The Minister of Pensions and National Insurance, in conjunction with the Treasury so far as relates to matters with regard to which the Treasury have so directed, and in exercise of powers conferred by section 5 of the National Insurance Act, 1954(a), and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby makes the following order:—

1. The appointed day for the purposes of any subject matter specified in the second column of the Schedule to this Order and contained in any provision of the said Act mentioned in the first column thereof shall be the appropriate date specified in the third column of that Schedule and set opposite to that subject matter.

2. This Order may be cited as the National Insurance Act, 1954 (Commencement) Order, 1955, and shall come into operation on the 13th January, 1955.

Dated this 6th day of January, 1955.

Osbert Peake,
Minister of Pensions and
National Insurance.

Dated this 7th day of January, 1955.

Edward Heath,
Gerald Wills,
Two of the Lords Commissioners
of Her Majesty's Treasury.

(a) 3 & 4 Eliz. 2. c. 1.

SCHEDULE Article 1

Provisions of the National Insurance Act, 1954	Subject Matter	Appointed Day
Section 1 (1) and First Schedule	Higher rates of contributions under the National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) Act, 1946 (a)...	6th June, 1955
Section 1 (2) and Second Schedule	Higher rates and amounts of benefit under the National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) Act, 1946, in the case of—	
	(*a*) death benefit	25th April, 1955
	(*b*) any other benefit	19th May, 1955
Section 2 (1) and Third Schedule	Higher rates of contributions under the National Insurance Act, 1946 (b)... ...	6th June, 1955
Section 2 (2) and Fourth Schedule	Higher rates and amounts of benefit under the National Insurance Act, 1946, in the case of—	
	(*a*) widow's benefit	25th April, 1955
	(*b*) guardian's allowance	25th April, 1955
	(*c*) retirement pension	25th April, 1955
	(*d*) maternity benefit	16th May, 1955
	(*e*) unemployment and sickness benefit...	19th May, 1955
Section 2 (2) and Fourth Schedule	Consequential amendment of Part II of the Second Schedule to the National Insurance Act, 1946, in relation to death grant ...	16th May, 1955
Section 3 and Fifth Schedule	Consequential amendments of—	
	(*a*) the National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) Act, 1946—	
	(i) sections 14 and 29	19th May, 1955
	(ii) section 30 and Fourth Schedule	25th April, 1955
	(*b*) the National Insurance Act, 1946—	
	(i) sections 17 and 23	25th April, 1955
	(ii) section 26	19th May, 1955
	(*c*) the National Insurance Act, 1951(c)	25th April, 1955
	(*d*) the National Insurance Act, 1953(d)	16th May, 1955

(a) 9 & 10 Geo. 6. c. 62.
(b) 9 & 10 Geo. 6. c. 67.
(c) 14 & 15 Geo. 6. c. 34.
(d) 1 & 2 Eliz. 2. c. 29.