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EDUCATION

Pensions Increase (Teachers) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1974

REGULATIONS, DATED THE 17TH DAY OF OCTOBER 1974, MADE BY THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION WITH THE APPROVAL OF THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE UNDER THE PENSIONS (INCREASE) (NORTHERN IRELAND) ORDER 1974.

The Department of Education in exercise of the powers conferred upon it by Articles 2(2) and 3(1) and (2) of the Pensions (Increase) (Northern Ireland) Order 1974(**a**) and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf and with the approval of the Department of Finance, hereby makes the following regulations:

Citation, commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) These regulations may be cited as the Pensions Increase (Teachers) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1974 and shall come into operation on 1st November 1974.

(2) In these regulations—

"the Order" means the Pensions (Increase) (Northern Ireland) Order 1974; other expressions have the meanings assigned to them by the Teachers' Superannuation Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1972(**b**).

Prescription of regulations

2. There are hereby prescribed for the purposes of Article 3(1) of the Order pensions payable under regulations made or deemed to be made under Article 11 of the Superannuation (Northern Ireland) Order 1972(**c**) ("prescribed pensions").

The relevant date

3. The date on which, in the opinion of the Department, the emoluments relevant for the purpose of calculating any prescribed pension were increased by the principal pay increase made during the year ending with 6th November 1974, in accordance with the code in force under section 2 of the Counter-Inflation Act 1973(**d**) at the time of the increase is 1st April 1974.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Education for Northern Ireland this 16th day of October 1974.

(L.S.) *E. J. Kirkpatrick,*
Assistant Secretary.

The Department of Finance hereby approves the foregoing regulations.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Finance for Northern Ireland this 17th day of October 1974.

(L.S.) *J. S. H. Gaw,*
Assistant Secretary.

(a) S.I. 1974, No. 1267 (N.I. 2).
(b) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1972, No. 319.
(c) S.I. 1972, No. 1073 (N.I. 10).
(d) 1973. c. 9.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These regulations enable pensions payable to or in respect of teachers to be increased under Article 3 of the Pensions (Increase) (Northern Ireland) Order 1974, which provides for increases in official pensions affected by the Counter-Inflation Act 1973.

The regulations have retrospective effect by virtue of Article 6(*a*) of the Pensions (Increase) (Northern Ireland) Order 1974.