EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

Under Rules 1 and 3 the pay of whole time women probation officers will be increased by stages until 1961 when the pay of men and women whole time probation officers will be equal. Rule 2 makes fresh provision for the sick leave of probation officers.

1955 No. 1800 (L. 15)

The Probation (No. 2) Rules, 1955

Made - - - - 29*th November*, 1955
Coming into Operation 10*th December*, 1955

In pursuance of the powers conferred on me by the Fifth Schedule to the Criminal Justice Act, 1948(**a**), I hereby make the following Rules:—

1. In Part II of the First and Second Schedules to the Probation Rules, 1949(**b**) (which relate to the scale of annual salary for whole-time women probation officers), as amended by Rule 6 of the Probation Rules, 1950(**c**), and Rule 3 of the Probation Rules, 1955(**d**), for any reference to May 1st in any year, other than May 1st, 1955, there shall be substituted a reference to January 1st in that year, and for any reference to April 30th in any year there shall be substituted a reference to December 31st of the preceding year.

2. These Rules may be cited as the Probation (No. 2) Rules, 1955, and shall come into operation on the tenth day of December, 1955.

G. Lloyd-George,
One of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

Home Office,
Whitehall.
29th November, 1955.

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By the Probation Rules, 1949, as previously amended, the pay of whole-time women probation officers was to be increased on May 1st in each year till it equalled the pay of male probation officers. These Rules alter the date to January 1st in each year.

(**a**) 11 & 12 Geo. 6. c. 58.
(**b**) S.I. 1949/1328 (1949 I, p. 3508).
(**c**) S.I. 1950/2136 (1950 II, p. 435).
(**d**) S.I. 1955/639 (p. 2055 above).