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ROYAL ULSTER CONSTABULARY

Pay

REGULATIONS, DATED 26TH AUGUST 1971, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS UNDER SECTION 25 OF THE POLICE ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1970.

The Ministry of Home Affairs in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Section 25 of the Police Act (Northern Ireland) 1970(**a**) and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf and after consulting the Police Association, the Police Authority and the Police Council for the United Kingdom in accordance with the Police Act 1969(**b**) hereby makes the following Regulations:—

Citation and commencement

1.—(1) The Regulations may be cited as the Royal Ulster Constabulary Pay (No. 3) Regulations 1971.

(2) These Regulations shall come into operation on 27th August 1971 and shall have effect from 1st September 1970.

Definitions

2. In these Regulations the following expressions have the meanings hereby respectively assigned to them:—

"the Force" means the Royal Ulster Constabulary;

"member" means a member of the Force;

"Principal Regulations" means the Royal Ulster Constabulary Pay (No. 2) Regulations 1971(**c**).

3. For Regulation 3 of the Principal Regulations (which relates to the partial revocation of the Royal Ulster Constabulary Pay Regulations 1970(**d**)) there shall be substituted the following Regulation:—

"**3.** The Royal Ulster Constabulary Pay Regulations 1970 are hereby revoked."

4. In Regulation 5 of the Principal Regulations (which relates to scales and conditions of pay)—

(*a*) For paragraph (1) there shall be substituted the following paragraph:—

"(1) Subject to the conditions governing the management and control of the Force and to these Regulations, the pay of members shall be determined in accordance with the scales and conditions set out in Schedules I and II."

(*b*) there shall be added the following paragraphs:—

"(3) Any member who on 31st May 1970 was on a scale of pay related to a rank then applicable as set out in Schedule IV to the Royal Ulster Constabulary Pay Regulations 1970 (otherwise than

(a) 1970. c. 9 (N.I.).
(b) 1969. c. 63.
(c) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1971, No. 154.
(d) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1970, No. 205.

in a temporary capacity, in which case the scale of pay for his substantive rank was applicable) and who on 26th August 1971 had not elected to be paid in accordance with the scales and conditions provided for in Regulation 5(1) of those Regulations may elect to be paid either—

(*a*) in accordance with the appropriate scale in Schedule III or IV of these Regulations; or

(*b*) in accordance with the scales and conditions provided for in paragraph (1),

so, however, that when a member elects to be paid under the provisions of sub-paragraph (*b*) he may not thereafter elect to be paid under the provisions of sub-paragraph (*a*).

(4) Where the election as specified in paragraph (3) is made on or after 27th August 1971 such election shall be deemed to have effect from such date as may be specified by the member, not being a date earlier than 1st September 1970."

5. There shall be added to the Principal Regulations the following Schedules:—

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SCHEDULE III

Men

Service in the rank	Ranks and rates of annual pay	
	County Inspector	District Inspector
	£	£
Under 1 year	3,750	2,532
After 1 year	3,888	2,622
„ 2 years	4,026	2,712
„ 3 years	4,164	2,802
„ 4 years	4,302	2,901
„ 5 years	4,440	3,000
„ 6 years		3,099
„ 7 years		3,204
„ 8 years		3,309
„ 9 years		3,414
„ 10 years		3,519

SCHEDULE IV

Women

Service in the rank	Rank and rate of annual pay
	District Inspector
	£
Under 1 year	2,043
After 1 year	2,109
After 2 years	2,175

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland this 26th day of August 1971.

(L.S.) *M. K. Harris,*
Assistant Secretary.

The Ministry of Finance hereby concurs in the foregoing Regulations.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland this 26th day of August 1971.

(L.S.) *James Reid,*
Assistant Secretary.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These Regulations provide for an increase, with effect from 1st September 1970, in the pay scales of those former county and district inspectors of the Royal Ulster Constabulary who have not exercised the option to transfer to the scales of pay relative to equivalent ranks as specified in the Royal Ulster Constabulary (Ranks) Regulations 1970.