EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order applies to male members of the Royal Ulster Constabulary and authorises changes in the rates of pay for the various ranks of the Force.

1961. No. 201 **[C]**

ROYAL ULSTER CONSTABULARY

Pay (Women Members)

ORDER, DATED 11TH OCTOBER, 1961, MADE BY THE MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS UNDER SECTION FOUR OF THE CONSTABULARY AND POLICE (IRELAND) ACT, 1919(a), AND SECTION TWO OF THE CONSTABULARY ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1922(b).

I, the Right Honourable Brian Faulkner, Minister of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland, in exercise of the powers conferred on me by section four of the Constabulary and Police (Ireland) Act, 1919, and section two of the Constabulary Act (Northern Ireland), 1922, and of all other powers enabling me in that behalf, do hereby order as follows:—

Citation

1. This Order may be cited as the Royal Ulster Constabulary (Women Members) Pay Order, 1961.

Definitions

2. In this Order the following expressions have the meanings hereby respectively assigned to them—

"The Force" means the Royal Ulster Constabulary.

"Member" means a woman member of the Force.

"Ministry" means the Ministry of Home Affairs.

"Inspector General" means the Inspector General of the Royal Ulster Constabulary.

Revocation

3. The Royal Ulster Constabulary (Women Members) Pay Order, 1959(c), is hereby revoked.

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4. Subject to the conditions governing the management and control of the Force, the pay of members of the several ranks mentioned in the Schedule to this Order shall be in accordance with the rates, scales and conditions prescribed in that Schedule and shall apply from the date set out therein.

(a) 9 & 10 Geo. 5. c. 68.
(b) 12 & 13 Geo. 5. c. 8 (N.I.).
(c) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1959, No. 80.

5. In determining the point at which an existing member shall enter the scale of pay prescribed for her rank, credit shall be given to her for past service in that rank since her latest promotion thereto by reckoning it for purposes of increment.

6. Where a person who has previously been a member rejoins the force the Inspector General may, if he so thinks fit, allow the period which at the date of the termination of her previous service had been credited to her for the purposes of pay to be, in whole or in part, similarly credited to her for purposes of pay on her rejoining the force.

7. Where, within the meaning of the Royal Ulster Constabulary Pensions Orders, 1949 to 1961, a regular policewoman in Great Britain has been transferred to the force she shall be entitled to reckon for purposes of pay in the rank in which she joins the force all service in the corresponding rank which, at the date of the transfer, she was entitled to reckon for purposes of pay in the force from which she has been transferred.

8. Where a person who has been a regular policewoman in Great Britain, within the meaning of the Royal Ulster Constabulary Pensions Orders, 1949 to 1961, joins the force other than on transfer she shall, if the Ministry in its discretion thinks fit, be entitled to reckon for purposes of pay her period of service in the force in Great Britain.

9. Notwithstanding the provisions of section two of the Constabulary and Police (Ireland) Act, 1883(**a**), no deduction in respect of station accommodation shall be made from the pay prescribed in the Schedule to this Order.

10. There may be deducted from a member's pay the amount of any sickness benefit under the National Insurance Act (Northern Ireland), 1946(**b**), to which she was or may be entitled after 5th January, 1949, or injury benefit under the National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) Act (Northern Ireland), 1946(**c**), to which she was or may be entitled on or after 5th July, 1948.

And I certify that sub-section two of section four of the Constabulary and Police (Ireland) Act, 1919, which provides that a draft of any Order proposed to be made under the said section shall be submitted to the representative body or bodies constituted by the Act and representing any rank or ranks affected and that before making the Order the Minister shall consider any representations made by such body or bodies, has been fully observed.

Dated this 11th day of October, 1961.

Brian Faulkner,
Minister of Home Affairs
for Northern Ireland.

I, the Right Honourable Terence O'Neill, D.L., Minister of Finance for Northern Ireland, hereby signify my concurrence in the foregoing Order.

Dated this 16th day of October, 1961.

Terence O'Neill,
Minister of Finance
for Northern Ireland.

(**a**) 46 Vict. c. 14.
(**b**) 1946. c. 23.
(**c**) 1946. c. 21.

SCHEDULE

REFERRED TO IN THE FOREGOING ORDER

To have effect from 1st September, 1960.

	District Inspector	*Head Constable*	*Sergeant*	*Constable*
On appointment as constable or on promotion, as the case may be	£1,220 a year	£1,090 a year	£925 a year	£540 a year
After 1 year of service in the rank	£1,260 a year	£1,125 a year	£960 a year	£540 a year
After 2 years of service in the rank	£1,300 a year	£1,160 a year	£990 a year	£630 a year
After 3 years of service in the rank				£655 a year
After 4 years of service in the rank				£685 a year
After 5 years of service in the rank				£710 a year
After 6 years of service in the rank				£740 a year
After 7 years of service in the rank				£765 a year
After 8 years of service in the rank				£790 a year
After 9 years of service in the rank				£820 a year

In addition to the pay shown in the above scale for constable a supplementary payment of £25 a year shall be paid to a constable on the completion of seventeen years' service and a further supplementary payment of £30 a year shall be paid to a constable on the completion of twenty-two years' service.

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