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The Special Constables (Pensions) (Scotland) Regulations, 1959

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Coming into Operation	*7th April,* 1959

In exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 11 of the Police (Scotland) Act, 1956(a), and of all other powers enabling me in that behalf, I hereby make the following regulations:—

Amendment of the Special Constables (Pensions) (Scotland) Order, 1955

1.—(1) For the Tables to the Schedule to the Special Constables (Pensions) (Scotland) Order, 1955(b), (which, as amended by Regulation 2 of the Special Constables (Pensions) (Scotland) Regulations, 1957(c), relates to the calculation of awards) there shall be substituted the following Tables:—

"FIRST TABLE

Men

Period during which office ceased to be held	Average pensionable pay or average pensionable pay for period of a week	Increment	Maximum
Before 20th December, 1945 ...	70s. a week	1s.	—
On or after 20th December, 1945, but before 21st May, 1947 ...	90s. a week	1s. 6d.	117s. a week
On or after 21st May, 1947, but before 1st July, 1949 ...	105s. a week	1s. 6d.	132s. a week
On or after 1st July, 1949, but before 3rd August, 1951	£330 a year	£5	£420 a year
On or after 3rd August, 1951, but before 14th January, 1954	£400 a year	£5	£505 a year
On or after 14th January, 1954, but before 8th September, 1955	£445 a year	£5	£550 a year
On or after 8th September, 1955, but before 1st February, 1957	£475 a year	£7 10s.	£640 a year
On or after 1st February, 1957, but before 22nd April, 1958...	£490 a year	£7 10s.	£660 a year
On or after 22nd April, 1958 ...	£510 a year	£8 5s.	£695 a year

(a) 4 & 5 Eliz. 2. c. 26. (b) S.I. 1955/703 (1955 II, p. 1895).
(c) S.I. 1957/743 (1957 II, p. 1892).

SECOND TABLE

Women

Period during which office ceased to be held	Average pensionable pay or average pensionable pay for period of a week	Increment	Maximum
Before 20th December, 1945 ...	70s. a week	1s.	—
On or after 20th December, 1945, but before 21st May, 1947 ...	90s. a week	1s. 6d.	117s. a week
On or after 21st May, 1947, but before 1st July, 1949 ...	105s. a week	1s. 6d.	132s. a week
On or after 1st July, 1949, but before 3rd August, 1951...	£290 a year	£5	£380 a year
On or after 3rd August, 1951, but before 14th January, 1954	£355 a year	£5	£455 a year
On or after 14th January, 1954, but before 8th September, 1955	£395 a year	£5	£495 a year
On or after 8th September, 1955, but before 1st February, 1957	£425 a year	£7 10s.	£575 a year
On or after 1st February, 1957, but before 22nd April, 1958...	£440 a year	£7 10s.	£595 a year
On or after 22nd April, 1958 ...	£460 a year	£8 5s.	£625 a year"

(2) Nothing in this Regulation shall affect any award which first became payable under the said Order of 1955 before the seventh day of April, nineteen hundred and fifty-nine.

Citation and commencement

2. These Regulations may be cited as the Special Constables (Pensions) (Scotland) Regulations, 1959, and shall come into operation on the seventh day of April, 1959.

Dated this 27th day of March, 1959.

John S. Maclay,
One of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

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Edinburgh, 1.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These Regulations, which are made under the Police (Scotland) Act, 1956, amend the Special Constables (Pensions) (Scotland) Order, 1955, which gave to special constables and their dependants certain pension benefits for which members of police forces and their dependants were eligible.

The Regulations provide for an increase in the notional average pensionable pay of a special constable ceasing to hold that office on or after 22nd April, 1958, where an award calculated on that pay first becomes payable on or after 7th April 1959.