STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1970 No. 588

PENSIONS

The Superannuation (Prison Service) Order 1970

Made - - - -	16*th April* 1970
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Coming into Operation	1*st May* 1970

In pursuance of sections 26(1) (read with Article 2(1) of the Minister for the Civil Service Order 1968(**a**)) and 95 of the Superannuation Act 1965(**b**), I hereby, with the approval of the Minister for the Civil Service, make the following Order:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Superannuation (Prison Service) Order 1970 and shall come into operation on 1st May 1970.

2. Section 26 of the Superannuation Act 1965 shall apply to employment as a Senior Prison Officer in Her Majesty's Prison Service for England and Wales.

James Callaghan,
One of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

10th April 1970.

Approval of the Minister for the Civil Service given under his Official Seal on 16th April 1970.

(L.S.)

K. H. McNeill,
Authorised by the Minister of the Civil Service.

(a) S.I. 1968/1656 (1968 III, p. 4485).

(b) 1965 c. 74.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

Section 26 of the Superannuation Act 1949 provides that, in the case of prison employment to which that section is applied by order, the retiring age shall be 55 instead of 60 and each year of service after the first 20 shall count as two for the purposes of superannuation. This Order applies that section to employment as a Senior Prison Officer in H.M. Prison Service for England and Wales.

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