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The Teachers Superannuation (Accepted Schools) Amending Scheme, 1954

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The Minister of Education in exercise of his powers under Section 21 (1) (*a*), of the Teachers (Superannuation) Act, 1925(**a**), as amended by Section 9 (2) of the Superannuation (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act, 1948(**b**), hereby makes the following Scheme:—

1. This Scheme may be cited as the Teachers Superannuation (Accepted Schools) Amending Scheme, 1954, and shall come into operation on the 15th day of December, 1954.

2. The Interpretation Act, 1889(**c**), applies for the purpose of the interpretation of this scheme as it applies for the purpose of the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

3. As respects service of any teacher on and after 1st April, 1954, clause 9 of the Teachers Superannuation (Accepted Schools) Scheme, 1948(**d**), is hereby altered as follows:—

(*a*) Paragraph (1), which prescribes 6¼ per cent. instead of 5 per cent. of the amount of the teacher's salary for the time being to be paid as contributions by teachers and employers under Section 9 (1) of the Teachers (Superannuation) Act, 1925, shall have effect with the substitution of "6 per cent." for "6¼ per cent."

(*b*) Paragraph (2), which prescribes 12½ per cent. instead of 10 per cent. of the amount of the teacher's salary to be paid as contributions by a teacher during the intervals of service under Section 2 (1) of the Teachers (Superannuation) Act, 1937(**e**), shall have effect with the substitution of "12 per cent." for "12½ per cent."

Concur.

Martin Redmayne,
R. H. M. Thompson,
Two of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

13th December, 1954.

Given under the Official Seal of the Minister of Education this 7th day of December, 1954.

(L.S.)

David Eccles,
Minister of Education.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

The Scheme of 1948 for non-grant-aided schools fixed the rate of contributions at 12½ per cent. in order to comply with the statutory requirement that the Scheme should be self-supporting. This amending Scheme reduces the rate to 12 per cent. in accordance with the findings in the Government Actuary's Report (H.C.168/1954).

(**a**) 15 & 16 Geo. 5. c. 59. (**b**) 11 & 12 Geo. 6. c. 33. (**c**) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63.
(**d**) S.I. 1948/1740 (Rev. VI, p. 439: 1948 I, p. 760). (**e**) 1 Edw. 8 & 1 Geo. 6. c. 47.