STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1972 No. 495

SAVINGS BANKS

The Trustee Savings Banks (Pensions) (Amendment) Order 1972

Made - - -	*27th March* 1972
Laid before Parliament	*30th March* 1972
Coming into Operation	*20th April* 1972

The Minister for the Civil Service, in exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 82 of the Trustee Savings Banks Act 1969(**a**), as amended by section 29(1) of, and paragraph 76 of Schedule 6 to, the Superannuation Act 1972(**b**), and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, and after consulting the National Debt Commissioners, hereby makes the following Order:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Trustee Savings Banks (Pensions) (Amendment) Order 1972, and shall come into operation on 20th April 1972.

2. The Interpretation Act 1889(**c**) shall apply for the interpretation of this Order as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

3. In article 2 of the Trustee Savings Banks (Pensions) Order 1970(**d**) (interpretation) the following paragraph shall be added after paragraph (3):—

"(4) Any reference in this Order to any provisions of the Superannuation Act 1965(**e**) shall be construed as a reference to those provisions as having effect, by virtue of section 2(12) of the Superannuation Act 1972, as part of the principal civil service pension scheme within the meaning of section 2 of the said Act of 1972."

4. Article 12 of the Trustee Savings Banks (Pensions) Order 1970 is hereby revoked.

Given under the official seal of the Minister for the Civil Service on 27th March 1972.

(L.S.)

A. W. Wyatt,
Authorised by the Minister
for the Civil Service.

(**a**) 1969 c. 50.
(**b**) 1972 c. 11.
(**c**) 1889 c. 63.
(**d**) S.I. 1970/1056 (1970 II, p. 3289).
(**e**) 1965 c. 74.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This Order amends the Trustee Savings Banks (Pensions) Order 1970. That Order applies, with modifications, to the officers of trustee savings banks certain provisions of the Superannuation Act 1965 relating to widows', children's and dependants' pensions. The Superannuation Act 1972, which enables the civil service pension scheme to be set out in non-statutory documents, repeals those provisions, but provides for them to continue to have effect for the time being as part of the new scheme. This Order makes the necessary consequential amendment to the 1970 Order.

The Order also revokes a provision in the 1970 Order relating to increase of pensions payable by trustee savings banks in Northern Ireland, the provision having been superseded in consequence of the Pensions (Increase) Act 1971 (c.56).

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