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## PENSIONS

**The Superannuation (Low Temperature Research Station and Civil Service) Transfer Rules, 1961***Made* - - - - 18th September, 1961*Laid before Parliament* 21st September, 1961*Coming into Operation* 22nd September, 1961

The Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by Section 2 of the Superannuation Act, 1957(a), and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, hereby make the following Rules:—

1.—(1) Where a person was on or after the first day of April, 1934, but not later than the first day of January, 1947, taken into the civil service of the State as an officer of the Department of Scientific and Industrial Research after having been employed by the University of Cambridge (hereinafter referred to as "the University") on research into the preparation and preservation of food at the Low Temperature Research Station and his employment by the University was in the opinion of the Treasury of the same nature and for the same purpose as his employment in the service of the State, his service in the employment of the University at the Low Temperature Research Station before the date on which he was taken into the civil service of the State but not before the first day of October, 1923, shall be reckoned for the purposes of the Superannuation Acts as employment in an unestablished capacity within the meaning of Section 3 of the Superannuation Act, 1935(b).

(2) Where a person to whom the foregoing paragraph of this Rule applies was, before he was taken into the civil service of the State, a participant in a pension scheme (hereinafter called "the said scheme") under which employer's contributions were payable in respect of him by the University and where, on that person's ceasing to be a participant in the said scheme, any amounts representing employer's contributions payable in respect of him were applied by the University for the benefit of that person, it shall be a condition of the making of any payment under the Superannuation Acts in respect of that person's service, so far as that payment is dependent on the provisions of the foregoing paragraph of this Rule, that there has been paid to the Exchequer a sum equal to the aggregate amount of the employer's contributions paid in respect of him and applied for his benefit by the University together with compound interest thereon calculated from the date on which each such contribution became payable at the rate of three per cent. per annum with yearly rests.

(3) These Rules shall not have effect so as to authorise an increase in an annual superannuation allowance or pension so far as the allowance or pension is payable in respect of a period before the coming into operation of these Rules.

2.—(1) In these Rules the expression “the Superannuation Acts” means the Superannuation Acts, 1834 to 1960.

(2) The Interpretation Act, 1889(a), shall apply for the interpretation of these Rules as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

3. These Rules may be cited as the Superannuation (Low Temperature Research Station and Civil Service) Transfer Rules, 1961, and shall come into operation on the 22nd day of September, nineteen hundred and sixty-one.

Dated this 18th day of September, 1961.

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Two of the Lords Commissioners  
of Her Majesty's Treasury.

### EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These Rules provide for service (after the age of 18) in the Low Temperature Research Station, Cambridge, of certain employees who, after 31st March, 1934, and before 2nd January, 1947, were taken into the Civil Service to be reckoned on certain conditions as unestablished civil service for the purposes of the Superannuation Acts.

(a) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63.