
 STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1962 No. 196

COMMONWEALTH TELEGRAPHS

**The Commonwealth Telegraphs (Cable and Wireless Ltd.
Pension) Regulations, 1962**

Made - - - - - 30th January, 1962

Laid before Parliament 2nd February, 1962

Coming into Operation 2nd April, 1962

I, The Right Honourable John Reginald Bevins, M.P., Her Majesty's Postmaster General, with the consent of the Treasury, by virtue of the powers vested in me by section six of the Commonwealth Telegraphs Act, 1949(a), as amended by section twenty-eight of the Post Office Act, 1961(b), and of all other powers enabling me in this behalf, do hereby make the following regulations :—

Interpretation

1.—(1) These regulations shall be read as one with the Commonwealth Telegraphs (Cable and Wireless Ltd. Pension) Regulations, 1955(c).

(2) The Interpretation Act, 1889(d), applies for the interpretation of these regulations as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

Widows' Pension Scheme

2.—(1) The Company may for the purposes of section six of the Act establish and administer or provide for the establishment and administration of any pension scheme which has been approved by the Postmaster General, for the payment of a pension to the widow or children of any male transferee (not being a member of the Post Office Transferees' Pension Fund) who :

- (a) is a member of any of the existing pension schemes (other than the Post Office Transferees' Pension Fund) or of the Cable and Wireless Pension Fund ; and
- (b) elects or is deemed to have elected to become a member of any pension scheme established as aforesaid ; and
- (c) dies prior to his being retired from pensionable service in the Post Office.

(2) Nothing in these regulations shall be taken as precluding the Company from providing for the admission of any persons other than transferees referred to in sub-paragraphs (a) and (b) of paragraph (1) of this regulation to membership of any pension scheme established by virtue of these regulations.

(a) 12, 13 & 14 Geo. 6. c. 39.
(c) S.I. 1955/1893 (1955 I, p. 500).

(b) 9 & 10 Eliz. 2. c. 15.
(d) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63.

Citation and commencement

3. These regulations may be cited as the Commonwealth Telegraphs (Cable and Wireless Ltd. Pension) Regulations, 1962, and shall come into operation on the 2nd day of April, 1962.

Dated the 25th day of January, 1962.

R. J. Bevins,
Her Majesty's Postmaster General.

We consent to these regulations.

John Hill,
W. S. I. Whitelaw,

Two of the Commissioners of
Her Majesty's Treasury.

30th January, 1962.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These Regulations make provision for Cable and Wireless Ltd. to establish an approved pension scheme (the Widows' Pension Scheme) and to admit thereto former male employees of the Company who became employed in the Post Office as a result of the transfer of the United Kingdom assets of the Company into public ownership on the 1st April, 1950, and who are members of any of the schemes for the payment of pensions referred to in subsection (8) of section six of the Commonwealth Telegraphs Act, 1949 (other than the Post Office Transferees' Pension Fund) or of the Cable and Wireless Pension Fund established by virtue of regulation three of the Commonwealth Telegraphs (Cable and Wireless Ltd. Pension) Regulations, 1955. The scheme is for the benefit of widows and children of any such employees who die prior to retirement from pensionable service in the Post Office.