

1973 No. 956

**EDUCATION, ENGLAND AND WALES**
**The Remuneration of Teachers (Primary and Secondary  
Schools) Order 1973**

*Made* - - - 24th May 1973

*Coming into Operation* 25th May 1973

Whereas—

- (1) the Committee constituted under section 1 of the Remuneration of Teachers Act 1965(a) (“the Act”) for the purpose of considering the remuneration of teachers in primary and secondary schools maintained by local education authorities (“the Committee”) have, in pursuance of section 2(2) of the Act, transmitted to the Secretary of State for Education and Science (“the Secretary of State”) recommendations agreed on by them with respect to the remuneration of such teachers;
- (2) the Committee have, in pursuance of section 2(2) of the Act as modified by the Counter-Inflation (Modification of the Remuneration of Teachers Act 1965) Order 1973(b), also transmitted to the Pay Board established under section 1(1) of the Counter-Inflation Act 1973(c) (“the Pay Board”) the proposals contained in those recommendations for increases in the remuneration of such teachers;
- (3) the Pay Board have approved the said proposals;
- (4) the Secretary of State has, as required by section 2(3) of the Act as modified as aforesaid, prepared a draft document setting out the scales and other provisions required for determining the remuneration of such teachers in the form in which, in her opinion, those scales and provisions should be so as to give effect to the recommendations;
- (5) the Secretary of State has, as required by section 2(4) of the Act, consulted the Committee with respect to the draft document and has made such modifications thereof as were requisite for giving effect to representations (not being representations involving increases in remuneration in excess of those approved by the Pay Board) made by the Committee;
- (6) the Secretary of State has arranged for a document setting out the requisite scales and other provisions in the form of the draft as modified as aforesaid to be published by Her Majesty’s Stationery Office on 24th May 1973 under the title “SCALES OF SALARIES FOR TEACHERS IN PRIMARY AND SECONDARY SCHOOLS, ENGLAND AND WALES, 1973.”

Now therefore the Secretary of State, in pursuance of section 2(4) of the Act, hereby makes the following Order:—

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(a) 1965 c. 3.

(b) S.I. 1973/616 (1973 I, p. 1950).

(c) 1973 c. 9.

*Citation and Commencement*

1. This Order may be cited as the Remuneration of Teachers (Primary and Secondary Schools) Order 1973 and shall come into operation on 25th May 1973.

*Interpretation*

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

*Remuneration of Teachers*

3. The remuneration payable from 1st April 1973 to teachers in primary and secondary schools maintained by local education authorities shall be determined in accordance with the scales and other provisions set out in the document published by Her Majesty's Stationery Office as aforesaid.

*Revocation*

4. The Remuneration of Teachers (Primary and Secondary Schools) Order 1972(b) is hereby revoked and section 38(2) of the Interpretation Act 1889 (which section relates to the effect of repeals) shall have effect in relation to that Order as if both it and this Order were Acts of Parliament.

Given under the Official Seal of the Secretary of State for Education and Science on 24th May 1973.

(L.S.)

*Margaret H. Thatcher,*  
Secretary of State for Education and Science.

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## EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This Note is not part of the Order.)*

This Order brings into operation the scales and other provisions relating to the remuneration of teachers in primary and secondary schools maintained by local education authorities set out in a document published by Her Majesty's Stationery Office, which document contains the recommendations of the committee constituted under the Remuneration of Teachers Act 1965 for the purpose of considering the remuneration of such teachers. Increases in remuneration resulting from the Order have been approved by the Pay Board.

The Order has effect from 1st April 1973 by virtue of section 7(3) of the Act.

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(a) 1889 c. 63.

(b) S.I. 1972/1082 (1972 II, p. 3194).



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