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PENSIONS

The Superannuation (Judicial Offices) (Amendment) Rules 1975

Made	17th July 1975
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Coming into Operation	16th August 1975

The Minister for the Civil Service, in exercise of powers conferred by section 38 of the Superannuation Act 1965(a) and now vested in him(b), and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby makes the following Rules:—

- 1. These Rules may be cited as the Superannuation (Judicial Offices) (Amendment) Rules 1975, and shall come into operation on 16th August 1975.
- 2. The Interpretation Act 1889(c) shall apply for the interpretation of these Rules as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.
- 3. The Superannuation (Judicial Offices) Rules 1968(d), as amended(e), shall be further amended, in Rule 4, by substituting for paragraph (1) (definition of "judicial office") the following paragraph:-
 - "(1) In these Rules the expression "judicial office" means any office which-
 - (a) is a public office within the meaning of section 39 of the Superannuation Act 1965, and
 - (b) is listed, or treated by virtue of any enactment as listed, in Schedule 1 to the Administration of Justice (Pensions) Act 1950(f),

but does not, in relation to any person, include any such office if the Superannuation Act 1965 applies to him in respect of his service in that office; and the said expression includes, in relation to any person, the office of chairman of value added tax tribunals if the Treasury, with the approval of the Minister for the Civil Service, has determined under paragraph 7(4) of Schedule 6 to the Finance Act 1972(g) that any pension payable to or in respect of that person by virtue of his service as a chairman of value added tax tribunals shall be such a pension as would have been payable by virtue of section 9 of the Superannuation (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1967(h) (pensions for whole-time presidents or chairmen

⁽a) 1965 c. 74.

⁽c) 1889 c. 63. (e) S.I. 1968/2071 (1968 III, p. 5608). (g) 1972 c. 41.

⁽b) S.I. 1968/1656 (1968 III, p. 4485). (d) S.I. 1968/1363 (1968 II, p. 3792). (f) 1950 c. 11 (14 & 15 Geo. 6). (h) 1967 c. 28.

of industrial tribunals) if he had been the holder of any of the offices specified in that section."

Given under the official seal of the Minister for the Civil Service on 17th July 1975.

(L.S.)

C. R. Morris, Minister of State, Civil Service Department.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Rules.)

These Rules amend the Superannuation (Judicial Offices) Rules 1968, which provide for the pension payable to or in respect of a person who has served in two or more judicial offices to be based on his aggregate service in those offices instead of on his service only in the last office held by him.

These Rules amend the definition of "judicial office" in the Rules of 1968 so as to extend the benefit of those Rules to a person who has held the office of chairman of value added tax tribunals and whose pension rights in that office correspond to those of a president or chairman of industrial tribunals under section 9 of the Superannuation (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1967.

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