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POLICE

Police Cadets (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1974

Made 18th December 1974

Coming into operation. 1st February 1975

To be laid before Parliament

REGULATIONS, DATED 18TH DECEMBER 1974, MADE BY THE SECRETARY OF STATE UNDER SECTION 10 OF THE POLICE ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1970 AND SECTION 18 OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE AND FINANCIAL PROVISIONS ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1962.

In pursuance of the powers conferred by section 10 of the Police Act (Northern Ireland) 1970(a), read with section 18 of the Administrative and Financial Provisions Act (Northern Ireland) 1962(b), and after consulting the Police Council for the United Kingdom and, in accordance with section 34(2) of the said Act of 1970 the Police Authority for Northern Ireland and the Police Association for Northern Ireland, I hereby, with the concurrence of the Minister for the Civil Service(c), make the following Regulations:-

Citation and commencement

- 1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Police Cadets (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1974.
- (2) These Regulations shall come into operation on 1st February 1975 and shall have effect-
 - (a) for the purposes of Regulation 3(1) as from 1st September 1973;
 - (b) for the purposes of Regulations 3(2) and 6 as from 1st February 1975:
 - (c) for the purposes of Regulation 4(1) as from 1st April 1974;
 - (d) for the purposes of Regulation 4(2) as from 7th November 1973;
 - (e) for the purposes of Regulation 5 as from 25th May 1974.

Interpretation

2. In these Regulations any reference to the principal Regulations is a reference to the Police Cadets Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1970(d).

Clothing or allowances in lieu

- 3.—(1) In paragraph (1A) of Regulation 16 of the principal Regulations (supply of footwear or allowance in lieu) for the rate "£1.04 per month" there shall be substituted the rate "£0.29 a week".
- (2) In paragraph (1B) of the said Regulation 16 (supply of women's stockings or tights or allowance in lieu)—

⁽a) 1970 c.9 (N.I.)

⁽a) 1962 c.7
(b) 1962 c.7
(c) Formerly the ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland; see S.I. 1973/2163
(d) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1970 No. 245 as amended by S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1972 No. 133 and S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1973 No. 240.

- (a) for the words "18 pairs" there shall be substituted the words "24 pairs", and
 - (b) for the rate "£0.75 per month" there shall be substituted the rate "£12 a year".

Pày scales

4.—(1) For the Table in Schedule 1 to the principal Regulations (scales of pay) there shall be substituted the following Table:—

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Age	Rate of annual pay
Under 17 years 17 years 18 years	£ 711 759 876 "

(2) In paragraph 2 of the said Schedule 1 (supplement payable to a cadet whose normal place of duty is with police cadets attached to the Metropolitan Police Force) for the rate "£30 yearly" there shall be substituted the rate "£44 yearly".

Pay increases related to Retail Price Index

- 5.—(1) This Regulation shall have effect, notwithstanding anything in the principal Regulations, for the purpose of supplementing the pay of a police cadet.
- (2) Subject to paragraphs (3) and (4) the annual pay of a police cadet shall be increased.
 - (a) with effect from the first day of his pay period first beginning after 24th May 1974, by £62.64, and
 - (b) with effect from the first day of his pay period first beginning after 21st June 1974 by a further £41.76.
- (3) Where the Secretary of State is satisfied that the Retail Price Index figure as published on any date falling after 21st June 1974 but before 16th November 1974 exceeds by 12% or more the base figure, that is to say so exceeds 185.4, he may, in lieu of the increase under paragraph (2) above, or of any increase previously authorised hereunder, authorise the increase of the annual pay of a police cadet in pursuance of this paragraph and, for the purposes thereof, shall specify—
 - (a) the amount of the increase, being £20.88 in respect of each full 1%, over and above 6%, by which the Retail Price Index figure in question exceeds the base figure; and
 - (b) the date of publication of the Retail Price Index figure in question.
- (4) The annual pay of a police cadet shall be increased in pursuance of an authorisation under paragraph (3) above by the amount specified under sub-paragraph (a) thereof with effect from the first day of his pay period first beginning on or after the date specified under sub-paragraph

- (b) thereof; but, with effect from that day, no increase shall be payable in his case under paragraph (2) or in pursuance of any authorisation under paragraph (3) above given before the authorisation in question was given.
- (5) In this Regulation the following expressions have the meanings hereby respectively assigned to them, that is to say—
 - "annual pay" means annual pay determined in accordance with the principal Regulations;
 - "base figure" means the Retail Price Index figure for October 1973;
 - "pay period" means the period in respect of which a police cadet receives payments by way of pay;
 - "Retail Price Index figure" means that figure as published by the Department of Employment.

Board and lodging charges

6. In Schedule 2 to the principal Regulations (charge for board and lodging) for the reference to "£120" there shall be substituted a reference to "£135" and for the reference to "£129" there shall be substituted a reference to "£144".

Merlyn Rees,

Northern Ireland Office. 16th December 1974.

One of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

The concurrence of the Minister for the Civil Service given under his Official Seal on 18th December 1974.

(L.S.)

R. W. Williams,

Authorised by the Minister for the Civil Service.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These Regulations amend the Police Cadets Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1970.

Regulation 3(1) increases the footwear allowance with effect from 1st September 1973 and Regulation 3(2) increases the scale of issue of stockings or tights, and the allowance payable as an alternative, to women cadets with effect from the date of the coming into operation of the Regulations.

Regulation 4(1) increases the pay of a police cadet by amounts which vary according to age and Regulation 4(2) increases by £14 the supplement payable to a cadet whose normal place of duty is with police cadets attached to the Metropolitan Police Force with effect from 7th November 1973.

Regulation 5 provides, with effect from 25th May 1974, for threshold increases in the pay of a police cadet which are related to increases in the Retail Price Index (over that for October 1973) during the period up to 16th November 1974.

Regulation 6 increases the charges payable by police cadets for board and lodgings by £15 a year.

The dates from which the various Regulations have effect are specified in Regulation 1. Retrospection is authorised by section 18 of the Administrative and Financial Provisions Act (Northern Ireland) 1962.