(*c*) A Constable who has served for at least seven years at the maximum of the ordinary scale of pay (117s. weekly) shall be eligible, at the discretion of the Inspector General, for the grant of an additional increment of 4s. per week and after a further period of at least five years from the date of the grant of such additional increment shall be eligible for the grant of a second additional increment of 4s. per week, provided that in each case the Inspector General is satisfied that she has been zealous and efficient in the discharge of her duties. Any such additional increments shall be reckoned as part of the Constable's pay for pension purposes ;

(*d*) A Constable with not less than five years' service shall be eligible for the grant of a special advance of one increment in the scale if her conduct has been good, her service has been marked by special zeal, general intelligence and proficiency, and she passes a qualifying examination in educational subjects and police work of the standard required for promotion. A second special advance of one increment may be granted after she has served for at least one year from the date of the grant of the first special advance of one increment if the Inspector General is satisfied that her conduct continues to be good and that she continues to show special zeal, general intelligence and proficiency in the performance of her duties ;

(*e*) The retention of an additional increment or special increment or increments granted under paragraphs (*c*) or (*d*) of this Article shall be subject to continued good conduct and efficiency in the performance of duty and if this condition is not satisfied the increment or increments shall be withdrawn.

6. Where a Constable who, at any time after completing her period of probation has resigned from the Royal Ulster Constabulary, subsequently rejoins the Force, the Inspector General may, if he thinks fit, allow the years which, at the date of her resignation, had been credited to her for the purpose of her pay in the Force to be, in whole or in part, similarly credited to her for the purposes of pay on her rejoining the Force.

7. The pay prescribed in this Schedule shall be subject in every case to a deduction at the rate of five per cent. as a contribution towards the general pension charge of the Royal Ulster Constabulary.

8. Notwithstanding the provisions of Section 2 of the Constabulary and Police (Ireland) Act, 1883, no deduction in respect of Barrack Accommodation shall be made from the pay prescribed in this Schedule.

THE RULES PUBLICATION ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1925

Rule-Making Authorities

REGULATION DATED 22ND NOVEMBER, 1947, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE WITH THE CONCURRENCE OF THE LORD CHIEF JUSTICE OF NORTHERN IRELAND AND THE SPEAKERS OF THE SENATE AND THE HOUSE OF COMMONS OF NORTHERN IRELAND UNDER SECTIONS ONE AND TWO OF THE RULES PUBLICATION ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1925.

1947. No. 195

The Ministry of Finance, in exercise of the powers conferred upon it by sub-section (4) of section one and sub-section (2) of section two of the Rules Publication Act (Northern Ireland), 1925, (hereinafter referred to " the Act "), with the concurrence of the Lord Chief Justice of Northern Ireland and the Speakers of the Senate and the

House of Commons of Northern Ireland as required by the Act, hereby makes the following Regulations :—

The National Insurance Joint Authority, being an authority to which paragraph (*f*) of sub-section (2) of section two of the Act applies, is hereby prescribed as a rule-making authority for the purposes of the Act.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland this 22nd day of November, 1947, in the presence of

(L.S.) *John I. Cook*,
Assistant Secretary.

I concur, *James Andrews*,
Lord Chief Justice.

I concur, *Bangor*,
Speaker of the Senate.

I concur, *C. N. L. Stronge*,
Speaker of the House of Commons.

SAFEGUARDING OF EMPLOYMENT

Exemption

ORDER DATED 31ST DECEMBER, 1947, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND NATIONAL INSURANCE UNDER THE SAFEGUARDING OF EMPLOYMENT ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1947.

1947. No. 210

The Ministry of Labour and National Insurance by virtue of the powers conferred on it by Section 7 of the Safeguarding of Employment Act (Northern Ireland), 1947 (hereinafter referred to as "the Act") hereby makes the following Order.

1. This Order may be cited as the Safeguarding of Employment (Exemption) Order (Northern Ireland), 1947, and shall come into force on the date hereof.

2. The following employment is exempted from the operation of the Act :—

The employment of a person reinstated in that employment pursuant to the provisions of the Reinstatement in Civil