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RULES, DATED 30TH MAY 1972, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION JOINTLY WITH THE MINISTRY OF DEVELOPMENT UNDER SECTIONS 12A AND 25 OF THE TEACHERS (SUPERANNUATION) ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1950, WITH THE APPROVAL OF THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE.

The Ministry of Education hereinafter referred to as "the Ministry" and the Ministry of Development acting jointly in exercise of the powers conferred on them by Sections 12A and 25 of the Teachers (Superannuation) Act (Northern Ireland) 1950(**a**), and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, and with the approval of the Ministry of Finance, hereby make the following Rules:—

1. These Rules may be cited as the Teachers' Superannuation (Transfer from the Local Government Service to the Teaching Service) (Amending) Rules (Northern Ireland) 1972, and shall come into operation on 30th May 1972.

2. The existing Rules hereby amended are the Teachers' Superannuation (Transfer from the Local Government Service to the Teaching Service) Rules (Northern Ireland) 1960(**b**) as amended by the Teachers' Superannuation (Transfer from Local Government Service to the Teaching Service) (Amending) Rules (Northern Ireland) 1961(**c**).

3. In Rule 2 of the existing Rules, in the definition of "national service" for the words "Service of a description specified in the first schedule to" there shall be substituted the words "service which is relevant service within the meaning of".

4. To Rule 3 Paragraph 3 of the existing Rules there shall be added the following:—

"Provided that the said period of twelve months or six months as the case may be, may be extended by such period as the Ministry may in any particular case allow."

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Education this 30th day of May 1972.

(L.S.) *A. Howard,*
Assistant Secretary.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Development this 30th day of May 1972.

(L.S.) *J. A. D. Higgins,*
Assistant Secretary.

(**a**) 1950. c. 33.
(**b**) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1960, No. 74.
(**c**) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1961, No. 245.

The Ministry of Finance hereby approves of the foregoing Rules.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Finance this 30th day of May 1972.

(L.S.) *R. M. MacDonald,*
Assistant Secretary.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These Rules provide for minor amendments to bring the existing Rules into line with the Local Government (Superannuation) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1971.

1. The amendment to Rule 2 of the existing Rules provides for an extension of the definition of "National Service" to include service under the Army Reserves Act 1962.

2. The existing Rules provide for the preservation of the superannuation rights of a person who moves, within certain time limits, from local government service to teaching service. The amendment to Rule 3 allows for an extension, at the Ministry's discretion, of the time limits within which movements between these employments must take place.