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EDUCATION

Teachers' Superannuation (Family Benefits) (Amending) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1972

REGULATIONS, DATED THE 28TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER 1972, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION, WITH THE CONSENT OF THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE UNDER ARTICLE 11 OF THE SUPERANNUATION (NORTHERN IRELAND) ORDER 1972.

The Ministry of Education on behalf of the Secretary of State in exercise of the powers conferred upon it by Article 11 of the Superannuation (Northern Ireland) Order 1972(**a**) and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, and after consultation with representatives of local education authorities, teachers and with such representatives of other persons likely to be affected as required by Article 11(5) of the said Order, and with the consent of the Ministry of Finance, hereby makes the following Regulations:—

Citation and commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Teachers' Superannuation (Family Benefits) (Amending) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1972 and shall be construed as one with the Teachers' Superannuation (Family Benefits) Rules (Northern Ireland) 1972(**b**) and shall be deemed to have come into operation on 1st April 1972.

General Account A

2. All sums payable to the Ministry in respect of contributions so payable after 31st March 1972 under the Teachers' Superannuation (Family Benefits) Rules (Northern Ireland) 1972 shall be paid into a part of the General Account, to be called General Account A, which shall be kept separate from the rest of that Account; and the provisions of those rules which relate to payment out of the General Account shall have no application in respect of General Account A.

Discontinuance of normal contributions under the Teachers' Widows' and Children's Pension Scheme

3.—(1) Subject to paragraph (2) normal contributions under rules 27(*a*) and 28(1) of the Teachers' Superannuation (Family Benefits) Rules (Northern Ireland) 1972 shall cease to be payable to the Ministry and accordingly—

(*a*) in rule 27(*a*), the words "normal contributions in respect of reckonable service after the Scheme becomes applicable to him and"; and

(*b*) in rule 28, paragraph (1)—

shall cease to have effect and are hereby revoked;

(2) The provisions of paragraph (1) shall not affect any liability to pay normal contributions under paragraphs (2) and (3) of rule 28 of the Teachers' Superannuation (Family Benefits) Rules (Northern Ireland) 1972.

(a) S.I. 1972, No. 1073 (N.I. 10). (b) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1972, No. 82.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Education for Northern Ireland this 28th day of September 1972.

(L.S.) *J. Finney,*
Deputy Secretary.

The Ministry of Finance on behalf of the Secretary of State hereby consents to the foregoing regulations.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland this 28th day of September 1972.

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

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These Regulations amend the Teachers' Superannuation (Family Benefits) Rules (Northern Ireland) 1972 by providing for the discontinuance of normal contributions and the payment of additional contributions into, and their retention in, a separate account.

The regulations have retrospective effect by virtue of Article 14(1) of the Superannuation (Northern Ireland) Order 1972.