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TUESDAY, 2 JULY, 1929.

Crown Office, House of Lords, S.W. 1. 28th June, 1929.

The KING has been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal bearing date the 8th day of June, 1929, to appoint:—

The Right Honourable James Ramsay MacDonald,

The Right Honourable Philip Snowden, to be Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury.

CIVIL SERVICE.

REGULATIONS dated the sixth day of June, 1929, made by the Treasury under Article 6 of the Order in Council dated the 22nd July, 1920, with respect to the sick leave pay to be allowed to Civil Servants to whom the provisions of Article 19 of the Order in Council of 10th January, 1910, have hitherto been applied.

In pursuance of Article 6 of the said Order of 22nd July, 1920, the Treasury hereby make the following Regulations:—

- 1. Sick leave may be granted by the Head of his Department to any officer to whom these regulations apply subject to the following conditions, viz.:—
 - (i) (a) After two days' continuous absence a certificate by a duly qualified medical prac-

titioner shall be furnished stating the cause of such absence; and further medical certificates shall be furnished from time to time thereafter as may be required by the Head of the Department.

- (b) If the number of days during which any officer is absent on sick leave in any period of twelve months without such certificate shall exceed seven in the aggregate, the number of days of absence in excess of seven shall be deducted from the amount of the ordinary annual holidays allowable.
- (c) Provided there is a reasonable prospect supported by medical certificates of eventual recovery, sick leave on full pay may be allowed for a period not exceeding six months in the aggregate during any period of twelve months, and thereafter sick leave on half-pay, subject always to a maximum of twelve months' sick leave in any period of four years or less. Where sick leave is not continuous, six months' and twelve months' sick leave shall be taken for this purpose as 183 and 365 days respectively, including Sundays and public holidays occurring within a period of sick leave.
- (d) When an officer's sick leave exceeds in the aggregate twelve months during any period of four years or less, no pay shall be allowed during any further sick leave except with the consent of the Treasury.
- (e) Sick leave in excess of twelve months during any period of four years or less shall