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STATE INTELLIGENCE

PRIVY COUNCIL OFFICE

At the Court at Buckingham Palace the 21st day of December 1960.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council

Whereas by section 3 of the Naval and Marine Pay and Pensions Act, 1865 (28 & 29 Vict. c. 73), it is enacted that all pay, wages, pensions, bounty money, grants or other allowances in the nature thereof payable in respect of services in Her Majesty's naval or marine force to a person being or having been an officer, seaman or marine, or to the widow or any relative of a deceased officer, seaman or marine shall be paid in such manner and subject to such restrictions, conditions and provisions, as are from time to time directed by Order in Council:

And whereas Her Majesty deems it expedient to amend certain Orders in Council concerning retired pay, pensions and other grants for officers, nurses and ratings disabled, and for the widows and children of officers and ratings deceased, in consequence of service during the 1914 World War:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, in exercise of the powers conferred upon Her as aforesaid and of all other powers whatsoever Her thereunto enabling, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:

1. In this Order the following expressions have the meanings hereby respectively assigned to them:—

- (1) "the 1920 Order" means the Order in Council of the 11th June 1920 (S.R. & O. 1920/1021 (II, p. 295)), relating to seamen and marines, as amended by any subsequent Order in Council;
- (2) "the 1921 (Officers) Order" means the Order in Council of the 9th March 1921 (S.R. & O. 1921/360 (p. 770)), relating to commissioned and subordinate officers and nurses, as amended by any subsequent Order in Council;
- (3) "the 1921 (Warrant Officers) Order" means the Order in Council of the 9th March, 1921 (S.R. & O. 1921/361 (p. 794)), relating to Commissioned Officers from Warrant Rank and Warrant Officers, as amended by any subsequent Order in Council;
- (4) "the 1949 Order" means the Order in Council of the 29th September 1949, as amended by any subsequent Order in Council.

2. In Article 6a of the 1920 Order as amended (Order of 27th November 1957), (which provides for the award of allowances for constant attendance on disabled ratings (for the words "disabled in the highest degree" there shall be substituted the words and

figures "the degree of whose disablement is not less than 80 per cent." and for the figures 35s. and 70s. there shall be substituted the figures 40s. and 80s.

3. In column 2 of the Table in Article 11 of the 1920 Order, as amended (Order of 27th November 1957), (which sets out the rates of pension which may be awarded to widows of ratings) for the figures 71s., 70s., 69s., 68s., 67s. and 66s. there shall be substituted the figures 81s., 80s., 79s., 78s., 77s. and 76s. respectively.

4. In Article 12 of the 1920 Order, as amended (Order of 27th November 1957), (which provides for the award of allowances for the children of ratings' widows) for the figures 25s., wherever the same appear, there shall be substituted the figures 29s.

5. In Article 18 (1) of the 1920 Order, as amended (Order of 27th November 1957), (which provides for the award of pensions to certain ratings' children who have attained the age of 18 years and are incapable of self-support) for the figures 50s. there shall be substituted the figures 57s. 6d.

6. For the First Schedule to the 1920 Order, as amended (Order of 27th November 1957), (which sets out the assessments of disablement caused by specified injuries and of certain other disablements and the pensions which may be granted to ratings for such injuries and disablements) there shall be substituted the First Schedule to this Order.

7. In Article 7 of the 1921 (Officers) Order, as amended (Order of 27th November 1957), (which provides for the award of allowances for constant attendance on disabled officers) for the words "the highest degree" there shall be substituted the words and figures "a degree of not less than 80 per cent." and for the figures £100 and 70s. there shall be substituted the figures £104 and 80s. respectively.

8. In Article 12 (1 of the 1921 (Officers) Order, as amended (Order of 27th November 1957), (which provides for the award of allowances to widows of officers in respect of children) for the figures £73 there shall be substituted the figures £83 10s.

9. In Article 17 of the 1921 (Officers) Order, as amended (Order of 27th November 1957), (which provides for the award of pensions to certain officers' children who have attained the age of 18 years and are incapable of self-support) for the figures £130 there shall be substituted the figures £149 10s.

10. In Article 27 of the 1921 (Officers) Order, as amended (Order of 27th November 1957), (which provides for the award of allowances for constant attendance on disabled nurses) for the words "disabled in the highest degree" there shall be substituted