

6. An officer whose retired pay has been suspended under Clause 1 may receive, on reversion to the Retired List on or after 1st April 1970 terminal grant or additional terminal grant calculated as follows:

- (a) If retired pay has been re-assessed under Sub-Clauses 3(a)(i) or 3(a)(ii) above, the award shall be, for each complete year of re-employed service, one-tenth of the difference between 3 times the annual amount of retired pay awarded on termination of re-employment and the terminal grant (if any) previously awarded.
- (b) If retired pay has been re-assessed under Sub-Clause 3(b) above, and the officer originally retired before 1st January 1956, as in Sub-Clause (a) above.
- (c) If retired pay has been re-assessed under Sub-Clause 3(a)(iii), or under Sub-Clause 3(b) above where the officer originally retired on or after 1st January 1956, the difference between the terminal grant previously awarded and 3 times the amount of retired pay awarded on termination of re-employment.

7. An officer who originally retired at his own request with a gratuity only, may receive an additional gratuity of £255 for each completed year of re-employed service.

8. An officer who re-enters the Service within 5 years of being discharged on redundancy will be required to refund a portion of the Special Capital Payment awarded to him as follows:

<i>Break in Service</i>	<i>Refund of Special Capital Payment</i>
1 year	4/5ths
2 years	3/5ths
3 years	2/5ths
4 years	1/5ths
5 years and over	NIL

SECTION II

Retired Officers of the Royal Navy and Royal Marines: Re-employment in Emergency

9. On recall for service at a time of imminent national danger or of great emergency, or when re-employed with the armed forces on general mobilisation, one-half of the retired pay of a retired officer will remain in issue concurrently with the pay and allowances appropriate to his rank on re-employment. Any portion of the retired pay that has been commuted will be recovered from the retired pay remaining in issue, or, when this is insufficient to meet the liability, from his pay to the extent of the deficiency.

10. For the purpose of applying the provisions of Clause 8 to a retired officer compulsorily recalled at a time of national emergency when general mobilisation has not been announced, the operative period will be determined by the Secretary of State for Defence in consultation with the Minister for the Civil Service.

SCHEDULE IV

Officers of the Women's Royal Naval Service and Members of Queen Alexandra's Royal Naval Nursing Service

(Note—For the general purposes of the regulations in this Schedule, the term "Officer" shall include a member of the Queen Alexandra's Royal Naval Nursing Service.)

1. Except as otherwise provided in this Schedule, officers of the Women's Royal Naval Service (W.R.N.S.) and members of Queen Alexandra's Royal Naval Nursing Service (Q.A.R.N.N.S.) holding appointments in the Permanent Service who retire from the Active List on or after 1st April 1970 may be granted retired pay or gratuities under the general conditions applicable to officers of the Royal Navy holding permanent regular commissions as prescribed in Schedule I, Section II. The rates will be 87 per cent. of the rate for men officers of equivalent rank as indicated below.

Rank	Equivalent R.N. (General List) Rank for Retired Pay Purposes
Second Officer, W.R.N.S. Nursing Sister or Senior Nursing Sister, Q.A.R.N.N.S.	} Lieutenant.
First Officer, W.R.N.S. Superintending Sister/Matron, Q.A.R.N.N.S.	} Lieutenant Commander.
Chief Officer, W.R.N.S. Principal Matron, Q.A.R.N.N.S.	} Commander.
Principal Matron, Q.A.R.N.N.S. Superintendent, W.R.N.S., with less than 6 years' service in the rank.	} Captain with less than 6 years' service in the rank.
Commandant, W.R.N.S. Superintendent, W.R.N.S., after 6 years' service in the rank. Matron-in-Chief, Q.A.R.N.N.S.	} Captain after 6 years' service in the rank.

2. The general conditions in Schedule I, Sections III, IV, VI (as amplified in Clause 7 below), Section V of Schedule II and Sections 1 and II of Schedule III will also apply to officers except as provided in Clauses 4 to 6 following.

3. Retirement on marriage, or for compassionate reasons where the Secretary of State for Defence is satisfied that such reasons necessitate retirement or termination of service, on or after 1st April 1970 to be treated as compulsory retirement for purposes of awards of retired pay.

4. *Gratuities for Third Officers, W.R.N.S. retired compulsorily after 7 years' service.* Third Officers, W.R.N.S. who are retired compulsorily for non-employment on completion of 7 years' service in the rank will be eligible for a gratuity of £1,552 19s. 0d. (£1,552.95).

5. *Gratuities for Officers on short service engagements.* (a) *W.R.N.S. Officers.* W.R.N.S. Officers granted short service commissions and who satisfactorily complete a 7-year commission on or after 31st March 1970 will be eligible for a gratuity of £1,552 19s. 0d. (£1,552.95). On optional withdrawal after satisfactorily completing 5 years' service on a short service commission, they will be eligible for a gratuity of £1,109 5s. 0d. (£1,109.25).

(b) *Nursing Sisters.* Nursing Sisters entered for short service will, on satisfactorily completing the period of service undertaken, be eligible for a gratuity at the rate of £221 17s. 0d. (£221.85) for each year of short service.