

Supplementary Order Paper

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, the 20th day of November, 1947

SUPERANNUATION BILL

AMENDMENTS proposed by His Excellency the Governor-General:—

Clause 39, paragraph (a): To omit subparagraph (i), and substitute the following subparagraph:—

- (i) An annuity during her widowhood at one-half of the rate of the retiring-allowance to which the deceased contributor was entitled at the time of his death, or to which he would have been entitled if he had then retired on the ground of being medically unfit for further duty, or at the rate of one hundred and four pounds a year, whichever is the greater; or

Clause 45: To add the following new subclause:—

- (3) After the death of a contributor who at the date of his or her retirement or death was an officer of the Cook Islands Public Service or of the Samoan Public Service, the total annual amount of the widow's annuity and the children's allowances payable under section *thirty-nine* of this Act or (in the case of a female contributor) the total annual amount of the children's allowances payable under section *forty* of this Act shall not exceed the amount of the annual salary on the basis of which the contributor was contributing to the Fund at the date of his or her retirement or death. Where necessary, the amount of the widow's annuity and of each allowance shall be reduced by the same proportion so that they do not exceed in the aggregate the maximum amount payable in accordance with this subsection.

Part IV: To add to the heading to this Part the words "and Maori Land Court Judges".

Clause 71: To add the words "or to Judges of the Maori Land Court".

Clause 72, subclause (1): To insert, after the word "Magistrates" in line 23, the words "and Judges of the Maori Land Court"; to insert, after the word "Magistrate" in line 24, the words "or Judge of the Maori Land Court".

Clause 72, subclause (2): To insert, after the word "Magistrate" in line 30, the words "or Judge of the Maori Land Court"; to insert, after the word "Magistrate" in line 1 (page 46), the words "or Judge of the Maori Land Court".

Clause 72, subclause (3): To insert, after the word "Magistrate" in line 11, the words "or Judge of the Maori Land Court".

Clause 72, subclause (4): To insert, after the word "Magistrate" wherever it occurs in lines 14 and 15, 18, 19, and 24, the words "or Judge of the Maori Land Court".

Clause 72, subclause (5): To insert, after the word "Magistrate" in line 30, the words "or Judge of the Maori Land Court"; to add the following additional proviso:—

Provided also that in the case of a Judge of the Maori Land Court in office at the commencement of this Act, and being at that date a contributor to the Public Service Superannuation Fund, the proportion shall be the percentage that would have been payable to the Fund if he had elected to remain an ordinary contributor to the Fund.

Clause 72, subclause (6): To insert, after the word "Magistrate" in line 43, the words "or Judge of the Maori Land Court".

Clause 72, subclause (7): To insert, after the word "Magistrate" in line 5, the words "or Judge of the Maori Land Court".

Clause 72, subclause (8): To insert, after the word "Magistrate" in line 10, the words "or Judge of the Maori Land Court".

Clause 73: To insert, after the word "Magistrate" in line 16, the words "or a Judge of the Maori Land Court"; to add the following new subclause:—

(2) Any person who is a Judge of the Maori Land Court and a contributor to the Fund at the commencement of this Act may, within *three* months after the commencement of this Act, by notice in writing to the Secretary of the Board, elect to remain an ordinary contributor to the Fund, and where any such election is duly made the provisions of Part II of this Act shall continue to apply to the contributor.