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## THE WAR PENSIONS REGULATIONS 1945, AMENDMENT NO. 3

FREYBERG, Governor-General  
ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 24th day of  
March 1952

Present :

THE RIGHT HON. S. G. HOLLAND PRESIDING IN COUNCIL

PURSUANT to the War Pensions Act 1943, His Excellency the Governor-General, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, hereby makes the following regulations.

## REGULATIONS

1. These regulations may be cited as the War Pensions Regulations 1945, Amendment No. 3, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the War Pensions Regulations 1945\* (hereinafter referred to as the principal regulations).

2. (1) Regulation 33 of the principal regulations (as amended by regulation 3 of the War Pensions Regulations 1945, Amendment No. 2) is hereby further amended by omitting from subclause (2) the expression "20s.", and substituting the expression "30s."

(2) Regulation 3 of the War Pensions Regulations 1945, Amendment No. 2, is hereby revoked.

3. Rule 8 of the Schedule to the principal regulations is hereby amended by omitting from subclause (1) the expression "£25", and substituting the expression "£100".

4. (1) Rule 10 of the Schedule to the principal regulations (as amended by regulation 5 of the War Pensions Regulations 1945, Amendment No. 2) is hereby further amended as follows:—

(a) By omitting from subclause (2) the expression "25s.", and substituting the expression "30s.";

(b) By omitting from subclause (3) the expression "13s. 9d.", and substituting the expression "15s."

(2) Regulation 5 of the War Pensions Regulations 1945, Amendment No. 2, is hereby amended by revoking paragraph (b) of subclause (1).

\* Statutory Regulations 1945, Serial number 1945/159, page 380.

Amendment No. 1: (*Revoked by Serial number 1949/181*).

Amendment No. 2: Statutory Regulations 1949, Serial number 1949/181, page 723.

5. The Schedule to the principal regulations is hereby amended by inserting, after rule 13, the following rule :—

“13A. Any person in receipt of a permanent pension in respect of his total disablement who is totally blind or has suffered the loss of both lower limbs above the knee or is otherwise unfit to travel alone may, at the discretion of the Secretary, be granted a travelling allowance or allowances in respect of the personal expenses of himself and his escort (if any) not exceeding £26 in any year.”

T. J. SHERRARD,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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EXPLANATORY NOTE

[*This note is not part of the regulations, but is intended to indicate their general effect.*]

Regulation 2 increases from 20s. a week to 30s. a week the amount that may be paid to a service patient while he is maintained in a hospital or other institution.

Regulation 3 increases from £25 to £100 the maximum amount that may be paid towards the cost of structural alterations to provide special accommodation for a war pensioner suffering from pulmonary tuberculosis.

Regulation 4 increases the allowances payable to war pensioners reporting for medical examination or treatment as follows :—

(a) Allowances for accommodation expenses are increased from 25s. a day to 30s. a day :

(b) Compensation in respect of loss of earnings is increased from 13s. 9d. a half day to 15s. a half day.

Regulation 5 provides for payment of an annual travelling allowance of up to £26 a year to pensioners who are totally disabled and are unfit to travel alone.

The increase provided by regulation 3 and the allowance provided by regulation 5 give effect to recommendations of the Commission of Inquiry appointed in 1950 to inquire into and report on war pensions.

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These regulations are administered in the Social Security Department.