

STATUTORY RULES.

1948. No. 86.

REGULATIONS UNDER THE AIR FORCE ACT 1923-1941.*

I THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL in and over the Commonwealth of Australia, acting with the advice of the Federal Executive Council, hereby make the following Regulations under the *Air Force Act 1923-1941*.

Dated this thirtieth day of June, 1948.

W. J. McKELL

Governor-General.

By His Excellency's Command,

ARTHUR S. DRAKEFORD

Minister of State for Air.

AMENDMENTS OF THE AIR FORCE REGULATIONS.†

1. Regulation 546 of the Air Force Regulations is amended by omitting sub-regulation (1.) and inserting in its stead the following sub-regulation:—

“(1.) Subject to regulation 547_A of these Regulations, deferred pay at the prescribed rates shall be credited annually to the account of an officer who was appointed prior to the date of commencement of the *Defence Forces Retirement Benefits Act 1948*.”

2. Regulation 547 of the Air Force Regulations is amended by omitting from sub-regulation (1.) the words “Interest” and inserting in its stead the words and figures “Subject to regulation 547_A of these Regulations, interest”.

3. After regulation 547 of the Air Force Regulations the following regulation is inserted:—

“547_A.—(1.) This regulation shall apply to an officer who elects to become a contributor for full benefits or a contributor for limited benefits under the *Defence Forces Retirement Benefits Act 1948*, and any reference to an officer in the succeeding provisions of this regulation shall be read as a reference to such an officer.

“(2.) Deferred pay and interest shall not be credited to an officer under these Regulations in respect of any period after the day prior to the date of commencement of the *Defence Forces Retirement Benefits Act 1948*.

* Notified in the *Commonwealth Gazette* on 1st July, 1948.

† Statutory Rules 1927, No. 161, as amended by Statutory Rules 1928, Nos. 52 and 109; 1929, Nos. 75 and 114; 1930, Nos. 77, 94 and 135; 1931, Nos. 3, 78 and 115; 1932, Nos. 9, 63 and 133; 1933, Nos. 10, 46, 58, 82, 89 and 117; 1934, Nos. 25, 51, 74, 81, 122 and 125; 1935, Nos. 32 and 98; 1936, No. 17; 1937, No. 21; 1938, Nos. 12, 13, 22, 48, 77, 97 and 130; 1939, Nos. 21, 64 and 142; 1940, Nos. 31, 53, 75, 114, 123, 140, 220, 241 and 279; 1941, Nos. 68, 106, 137, 181 and 226; 1942, Nos. 29, 158, 232, 254, 346, 383, 406, 440, 441, 476 and 543; 1943, Nos. 110 and 198; 1944, Nos. 34, 50, 64, 75, 146 and 153; 1945, Nos. 49, 70, 95, 105, 196 and 201; 1946, Nos. 40, 111, 145 and 162; 1947, No. 22; and 1948, Nos. 34, 51 and 67.—Eighty-seventh amendment.

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“(3.) Interest at the rate of $3\frac{1}{2}$ per centum per annum on the accumulated deferred pay standing at the credit of an officer on the thirtieth day of June prior to the date of commencement of the *Defence Forces Retirement Benefits Act* 1948, shall be allowed from the first day of July to the day prior to the date of commencement of that Act.”.

By Authority: L. F. JOHNSTON, Commonwealth Government Printer, Canberra.