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Resident Commissioner in the New Hebrides

QUEEN'S REGULATION

TO APPLY the pensions law of the Solomon Islands to Her Majesty's service in the New Hebrides.

MADE BY Her Britannic Majesty's Resident Commissioner in the New Hebrides in pursuance of the powers contained in the New Hebrides Orders. In the name of Her Majesty Elizabeth the Second, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and Her other Realms and Territories Queen, Head of the Commonwealth, Defender of the Faith.

1. This Regulation may be cited as the Pensions Laws (Application) Regulation 1976 and upon its prior publication by the Resident Commissioner causing a copy thereof to be exhibited at the Public Office of the Resident Commissioner shall come into operation on the 1st day of January 1977.

2. (1) The law relating to pensions, gratuities and other allowances granted in respect of offices held in the Public Service of the Solomon Islands, that is to say, the Pensions Ordinance and the subsidiary legislation made thereunder, in force in the Solomon Islands on the commencement of this Regulation, shall be deemed to apply to Her Majesty's service in the New Hebrides in like manner as it applies to the Public Service in the Solomon Islands.

(2) Such law of the Solomon Islands shall be in force so far only as the circumstances of the New Hebrides and the limits of Her Majesty's jurisdiction permit.

Power to
adapt
law

3. For the purposes of this Regulation, any court may construe any provision of the said law of the Solomon Islands aforesaid with such modification not affecting the substance as may be necessary or proper to adapt the same to the circumstances of the New Hebrides, and the Resident Commissioner may, from time to time, by order published in the Gazette prescribe any such modification and by what person or authority any jurisdiction, power or duty incident to the operation of any such law shall or may be exercised or performed.

Saving of
rights,
benefits
etc.

4. All rights, benefits, obligations, duties and powers vested in or imposed or conferred upon Her Majesty's Service in the New Hebrides, the Resident Commissioner or any person with respect to any office in the said Service under the said law of the Solomon Islands in existence immediately before the commencement of this Regulation shall be deemed to have accrued or been imposed or conferred under and by virtue of this Regulation.

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Resident Commissioner

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ATTORNEY GENERAL