

No. 25—1942.

*Widows' and Orphans' Pensions (Amendment).*

AN ORDINANCE to amend the Widows' and Orphans' Pensions Ordinance, Ch. 9. No. 8.

Commencement.

[5th December, 1942.]

Short title.

Construction.

Ch. 9. No 8.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Widows' and Orphans' Pensions (Amendment) Ordinance, 1942, and shall be read as one with the Widows' and Orphans' Pensions Ordinance, hereinafter referred to as the Principal Ordinance.

Section 29  
(1) (b) of  
Principal  
Ordinance  
further  
amended.

2. The following is hereby substituted for paragraph (b) of subsection (1) section 29 of the Principal Ordinance, as amended by section 2 of the Widows' and Orphans' Pensions (Amendment) Ordinance, 1941 —

(b) if retiring with a pension immediately payable to him, to remain a contributor until he has attained the age or been a contributor for the period aforesaid, paying an annual contribution which shall be calculated on the basis of his annual pension at the appropriate rate fixed by section 10 of this Ordinance (whenever such annual pension is at least four hundred and eighty dollars) or at the rate of four per centum (whenever such annual pension is less than four hundred and eighty dollars): Provided that a contributor whose annual pension is less than four hundred and eighty dollars and who was contributing in December, 1941, the fixed annual sum of nineteen dollars and twenty cents in respect of such pension, may, not later than the 31st March, 1943, elect to continue to contribute such fixed sum as from January, 1942; or.

Retrospective  
effect.

3. Paragraph (b) of subsection (1) section 29 of the Principal Ordinance, as amended by the preceding section of this Ordinance, shall be deemed to have had effect from the 31st of December, 1941.