



A. by Ord: 7-1959

TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO

No. 10—1957

[L.S.]

I ASSENT,

SOLOMON HOCHOY

Acting Governor.

9th July, 1957.

AN ORDINANCE to amend the School Teachers' Pensions Ordinance, Ch. 14. No. 5.

[1st January, 1957.]

ENACTED by the Governor of Trinidad and Tobago with the Enactment. advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof.

1. (1) This Ordinance may be cited as the School Teachers' Short title and commencement. Pensions (Amendment) Ordinance, 1957, and shall be read as one with the School Teachers' Pensions Ordinance, hereinafter Ch. 14. No 5. referred to as the Principal Ordinance.

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(2) This Ordinance shall be deemed to have ^{had effect as from} ~~come into~~ operation ~~on the first day of January, 1957.~~ ^{the 8th day of August 1953}

Subsection (1) of section 18 of Principal Ordinance repealed and new subsections (1) and (1A) inserted in the said section

2. Subsection (1) of section 18 of the Principal Ordinance is hereby repealed and the following new subsections are hereby inserted in the said section 18 as subsections (1) and (1A) thereof:—

"Gratuity to dependants when teacher dies in service or shortly after retirement therefrom.

18. (1) (a) Where a teacher who served as such for not less than five years, dies while in service as a teacher, it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council to grant to the dependants, if any, of such teacher, a gratuity of an amount not exceeding nine months' salary of such teacher, or his commuted pension gratuity, if any, whichever is the greater; and any gratuity so granted shall be divided among the dependants in such proportion as the Governor in Council shall think fit.

(b) For the purposes of this subsection the expression "commuted pension gratuity" means the gratuity, if any, calculated in the manner prescribed in section 14 of this Ordinance, which might have been granted to the teacher if he had retired immediately before his death in circumstances rendering him eligible to receive a gratuity and reduced pension instead of an unreduced pension.

(1A) Where any teacher to whom either an unreduced pension or a gratuity and reduced pension has been granted under this Ordinance, dies after retirement from service as a teacher and the sums paid or payable to him at his death on account of such unreduced pension or gratuity and reduced pension, as the case may be, amount to less than nine months' salary of such teacher, it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council to grant a gratuity equal to the deficiency; and any gratuity so granted shall be divided among his dependants in such proportion as the Governor in Council shall think fit."

Passed in Council this fourteenth day of June, in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-seven.

G. E. L. LAFOREST
Clerk of the Council