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THE POST OFFICE STAFF REGULATIONS 1951,
AMENDMENT NO. 23

BERNARD FERGUSSON, Governor-General

ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Government Buildings at Wellington this 18th day of April 1966

Present:

THE RIGHT HON. KEITH HOLYOAKE, C.H., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL

PURSUANT to the Post Office Act 1959, His Excellency the Governor-General, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, hereby makes the following regulations.

REGULATIONS

1. (1) These regulations may be cited as the Post Office Staff Regulations 1951, Amendment No. 23, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Post Office Staff Regulations 1951* (hereinafter referred to as the principal regulations).

(2) Except as otherwise provided herein, these regulations shall be deemed to have come into force on the 1st day of January 1966.

2. (1) The principal regulations are hereby amended by revoking regulation 58 (as substituted by regulation 5 of the Post Office Staff Regulations 1951, Amendment No. 14) and substituting the following regulation:

*S.R. 1951/158

Amendment No. 1: S.R. 1952/33
 Amendment No. 2: S.R. 1952/167
 Amendment No. 3: S.R. 1953/17
 Amendment No. 4: S.R. 1953/176
 Amendment No. 5: S.R. 1954/43
 Amendment No. 6: S.R. 1954/96
 Amendment No. 7: S.R. 1955/109
 Amendment No. 8: S.R. 1955/220
 Amendment No. 9: S.R. 1956/11
 Amendment No. 10: S.R. 1956/83
 Amendment No. 11: S.R. 1957/63
 Amendment No. 12: S.R. 1959/81
 Amendment No. 13: S.R. 1959/179
 Amendment No. 14: S.R. 1960/155
 Amendment No. 15: S.R. 1961/162
 Amendment No. 16: S.R. 1962/183
 Amendment No. 17: S.R. 1963/156
 Amendment No. 18: S.R. 1964/86
 Amendment No. 19: S.R. 1964/125
 Amendment No. 20: S.R. 1964/134
 Amendment No. 21: S.R. 1965/172
 Amendment No. 22: S.R. 1966/2

"58. (1) For the period beginning with the 1st day of September 1961 and ending with the 2nd day of February 1963 an officer entitled to receive an allowance of actual expenses disbursed while travelling for the purposes of duty or performing relieving duty shall be entitled to an additional payment of 2s. 6d. a day. Receipts for any amount in excess of 10s. paid for board or lodgings shall be submitted with a claim for refund of actual expenses.

"(2) For the period beginning with the 3rd day of February 1963 and ending with the 31st day of December 1965 an officer entitled to receive an allowance of actual expenses disbursed while travelling for the purposes of duty or performing relieving duty shall be entitled to an additional payment of 5s. a day. Receipts for any amount in excess of 10s. paid for board or lodgings shall be submitted with a claim for refund of actual expenses.

"(3) For any period after the 31st day of December 1965 an officer entitled to receive an allowance of actual expenses disbursed while travelling for the purposes of duty or performing relieving duty shall be entitled to an additional payment of 7s. 6d. a day. Receipts for any amount in excess of 10s. paid for board or lodgings shall be submitted with a claim for refund of actual expenses."

(2) Regulation 5 of the Post Office Staff Regulations 1951, Amendment No. 14, is hereby revoked.

3. Regulation 61 of the principal regulations is hereby amended by revoking subclauses (2), (2A), and (2B) (as substituted by regulation 5 of the Post Office Staff Regulations 1951, Amendment No. 22), and substituting the following subclause:

"(2) The scales of travelling allowance for any period after the 31st day of December 1965 shall be as follows:

"SCALE 1—FOR ABSENCE OTHERWISE THAN ON A SEA VOYAGE EXTENDING OVER MORE THAN 24 HOURS

Rate of Salary per Annum at Time of Duty	Rate of Payment a Day
	£ s. d.
(i) Not exceeding £1,014	2 17 6
(ii) Exceeding £1,014 but not exceeding £1,954	3 10 0
(iii) Exceeding £1,954 but not exceeding £2,899	4 0 0
(iv) Exceeding £2,899	4 12 6

"With a refund of the actual hotel surcharge when one night only is spent at a lodging place.

"SCALE II—FOR ABSENCE ON A SEA VOYAGE EXTENDING OVER MORE THAN 24 HOURS

"Instead of the sums prescribed in Scale 1 hereof: s. d.
(i) For the first day at sea

.....	10	0
.....	2	6"

(ii) For every subsequent day

4. Regulation 62 of the principal regulations is hereby amended by revoking subclauses (3) and (3A) (as substituted by regulation 6 of the Post Office Staff Regulations 1951, Amendment No. 22), and substituting the following subclause:

“(3) The scale of relieving allowances after the 31st day of December 1965 shall be as follows:

Rate of Salary per Annum at Time of Duty	Rate of Payment a Day
	£ s. d.
(i) Not exceeding £1,014	2 7 0
(ii) Exceeding £1,014 but not exceeding £1,315	2 12 6
(iii) Exceeding £1,315	2 16 0”

5. Regulation 63 of the principal regulations is hereby amended by revoking subclause (4) (as substituted by regulation 13 of the Post Office Staff Regulations 1951, Amendment No. 3), and substituting the following subclause:

“(4) For any period after the 31st day of August 1961 fares paid by an employee shall be refunded only on production of receipts for payments, except payments of 10s. or less or for railway, railway road service, aircraft, or steamer fares.”

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

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

The effect of this amendment is to increase Post Office travelling and relieving allowances and the allowance paid to officers for incidental expenses while travelling for the purposes of duty or performing relieving duty and when receiving actual reasonable expenses.

The amendments in respect of the production of receipts for disbursements and out-of-pocket expenses dating from 1961 and 1963 are necessary to bring the principal regulations up to date. They were previously deferred pending the revision and gazetting of the principal regulations. This revision has not yet been completed and it is not desired to defer the amendments any longer.

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These regulations are administered in the Post Office.