

CHAPTER 594

LOCAL AUTHORITIES (PENSIONERS' ALLOWANCES)

Ordinance AN ORDINANCE TO MAKE PROVISION FOR THE PAYMENT OF ALLOWANCES IN
 No. 26 of 1946. RESPECT OF THE INCREASED COST OF LIVING TO PENSIONERS OF LOCAL
 AUTHORITIES, AND TO VALIDATE CERTAIN SUCH PAYMENTS HERETOFORE
 MADE.

[23rd July. 1946.]

Short title. 1. This Ordinance may be cited as the authority to any pensioner of that authority
 Local Authorities (Pensioners' Allowances) in consideration of the increased cost of
 Ordinance. living and in respect of any period
 commencing not earlier than the 1st day of

Power of local authority to grant allowance. 2. Each local authority is hereby authority, in addition to his pension, a cost
 authorized to grant to any pensioner of that of living allowance in accordance with the
 provisions of section 3. 15th day of July. 1945, shall be deemed for
 all purposes to have been validly granted in
 like manner as though that authority had
 power to grant such allowances in respect of
 such period and to make payments of such
 allowances out of the local fund of that
 authority.

Period for which and rate at which allowance may be granted. 3. (I) The cost of living allowance under section 2 may be granted only in
 respect of periods commencing on or after
 the 16th day of July, 1945. and no such
 allowance may be granted in respect of any
 period subsequent to such date as may be
 specified in that behalf by the Minister by
 Order published in the Gazette.

(2) The amount of the cost of living allowance granted under section 2 in respect of any period shall be determined according to the rates applicable in the case of the corresponding allowance payable in respect of that period to pensioners in receipt of pensions from the Government.

Validation of grants already made. 4. Every allowance, by whatsoever name called, heretofore granted by any local

5. In this Ordinance— Interpretation.

" local authority " means any Municipal Council, Urban Council, Town Council and Village Council, and includes any Sanitary Board, Local Board, Village Committee, Provincial Road Committee or District Road Committee;

" pensioner " means any person who, having been employed in the service of any local authority, is for the time being in receipt of a pension from that authority.