

IRISH UNIVERSITIES ACT, 1908
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UNIVERSITY COLLEGE, GALWAY
STATUTE LXXIV

WE, the Governing Body of University College, Galway, under and by virtue of the powers in that behalf conferred on us by the above Acts DO by this present instrument under the Seal of University College, Galway, make the Statute contained in the Schedule hereto for the general government of the said College.

Given under the Common
Seal of University College,
Galway, this Fifth day of
February, 1969.

Present when the Common
Seal of University College,
Galway, was affixed hereto:--

L.S.

Máirtín Ó Tuúthail,
Uachtarán.
Díoraí Ó Cóirbhín,
Rúnaí.

SCHEDULE—STATUTE LXXIV

All previous Statutes of University College, Galway, shall be read and construed with the alterations, modifications and additions hereinafter set forth.

CHAPTER I

NON-CONTRIBUTORY PENSION SCHEME FOR WIDOWS
AND ORPHANS

- 1 There shall be instituted in the College, in lieu of the existing contributory pension scheme for widows of the deceased statutory pensionable staff of the College (hereinafter called "the former scheme") a non-contributory pension scheme for widows and orphans of pensionable staff. The former scheme shall cease to exist and the new scheme shall come into existence from the date this Statute shall come into operation. The funds of the former scheme shall be disposed as the Governing Body may, in its absolute discretion, determine. The new scheme shall apply to all pensionable Officers and to all pensionable Professors and Lecturers (whether in service or in retirement at the date this Statute shall come into operation) and to all permanent members of non-Statutory staff whose Offices are declared to be pensionable and are entered in Table A as prescribed by Statute LXI hereinafter called 'participants'. The new scheme shall not apply to any pensionable staff of the College who shall have died prior to

this Statute having come into operation with the exception of those members of Staff who participated in the "former scheme" PROVIDED always that the Governing Body of the College shall be, and is hereby empowered, at its absolute discretion, to make such payments under and in accordance with the new scheme as it, in its absolute discretion, shall think fit, to the widows and children of such statutory pensionable staff who shall have died prior to this Statute having come into operation and who were not participants in the "former scheme"

2. The provisions of the new scheme shall be as follows:

Table A: Widows

- (1) The widow of a participant who dies in the service of the College shall be entitled to an annual pension for life of one-half of the pension to which the participant would have been entitled had he lived to attain the age of sixty-five years, provided always that the maximum annual pension payable to a widow shall not exceed one-third of the salary payable to the participant at the date of his death.
- (2) The widow of a retired participant shall be entitled to an annual pension for her life of one-half of the pension of such participant at the date of his death provided always that the maximum annual pension payable to the widow shall not exceed one-third of the final salary for pension purposes of the participant. In relation to a retired participant widow means the person who was his wife both at the time of his retirement and of his death.
- (3) The amount of the pension as determined in sub sections (1) and (2) hereof shall be subject to a reduction of $2\frac{1}{2}\%$ in respect of each full year in excess of ten by which the widow's age was less than that of her husband. This reduction shall not apply to the widows of persons who were participants in the "former scheme".
- (4) A widow's pension shall cease on her death or remarriage.
- (5) A widow must produce such evidence as the Governing Body may require in order to establish her status and age at all relevant times.
- (6) If the widow of a participant who dies in service should so desire a lump sum payment, of such amount as the Governing Body at its absolute discretion may determine, may be paid to the widow in lieu of pension or of any portion thereof.

Table B: Children's Allowances

- (7) For the purposes of this Section 'child' means a child of the participant born before the participant's retirement or within one year of his retirement or within one year of his death should he die before retiring. It also means a child legally adopted by a participant who dies before retiring or, in the case of a participant who has retired, a child legally adopted by him prior to his retirement.
- (8) Children's allowances are payable to the holders of certain pensionable posts who are either married men or widowers or widows, in respect of their children from the date of birth up to the age they cease full-time education until the completion of their twenty-first year of age, which ever shall first occur. Any such allowances payable at the date of retirement shall continue to be payable during retirement on the same basis and in accordance with the statutory provisions for the payment of such allowances.
- (9) Where a participant has been in receipt of children's allowances payable by the College at the date of his death, the amount of such allowances payable to the legal guardian of the children will be doubled subject to the statutory provisions governing such allowances. Where the legal guardian of the children is the widow of the participant, the amount of the allowances will revert to the normal rate should she re-marry.
3. The Governing Body is hereby empowered to establish such fund and make such payments into the fund and such payment of premiums as it may in its absolute discretion determine as necessary to implement the scheme.

CHAPTER II

1. The Lectureship in Romance Languages established by Chapter I of Statute XXXIII of University College, Galway, is hereby extinguished and in lieu thereof there shall be established in the College in the event of its institution by the Senate of the National University of Ireland a full-time Lectureship in French (No. 3).
2. The holder of the foregoing Lectureship shall carry out the duties of the Lectureship under the direction of the Professor of Romance Languages.

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CHAPTER III

1. Nothing herein contained shall affect any appointments made or rights acquired or act done under any previous Statute of the College.
2. This Statute shall come into operation on the Fifth February, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty-Nine, and may be cited as Statute LXXIV of University College, Galway, or Stat. LXXIV Univ. Coll., Galway

Present when the Common
Seal of University College,
Galway, was affixed thereto.

L.S.

Máirtín Ó Tuúthán *Univ. Coll. Galway*

Díoraí Ó Coirbhín *Rev.*