

IRISH UNIVERSITIES ACT, 1908

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UNIVERSITY COLLEGE, GALWAY.

STATUTE LXI

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 Nineteenth day of October, 1965.

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

L.S.

Máirtín Ó Tnúthail, *Uachtarán*.  
Séamus Mistéal, *Rinai*.

SCHEDULE—STATUTE LXI

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

CHAPTER I

PENSION FUND NO. 2

1. The moneys set apart in pursuance of this Statute shall constitute a Pension Fund to be known as Pension Fund No. 2.
2. Out of the annual income granted by the Oireachtas for the general purposes of the College or out of any other moneys of the College applicable thereto the following sums shall be set apart by the Governing Body and transferred to Pension Fund No. 2 at the times following that is to say :—
  - (i) On or before the 31st July, 1966, the sum of £4,000 ;
  - (ii) On or before the 31st July in every succeeding year thereafter a further sum of £500.
3. Any expenses which may be incurred in the administration of Pension Fund No. 2 other than costs of investment shall be defrayed out of the general funds of the College. Any costs or expenses of investment or variation of investment shall be paid out of the said Pension Fund No. 2.
4. Pension Fund No. 2 shall be held upon the trusts and for the purposes of the Scheme set forth in the Schedule to this Statute and shall not be applied to any other purpose whatever. Such Scheme provides for the payment of annual pensions for life on retirement (whether due to age, ill-health or other incapacity

from infirmity of mind or body) for the non-statutory Staff (permanent Teaching Assistants, Administrative Staff, Library Staff, Clerical Staff) of the College holding office on the Nineteenth day of October, 1965 together with such gratuities as are contained in said Scheme.

5. There shall be maintained by the Bursar a Table A in which shall be recorded the name, office and date of appointment of every permanent member of the non-statutory Staff (permanent Teaching Assistants, Administrative Staff, Library Staff, Clerical Staff) entitled to participate in the benefits of the Scheme. Whenever a Teaching Assistantship or office declared by the Governing Body to be pensionable shall be added to the said Table A the Governing Body may in its discretion and with a view to maintaining the solvency of the Fund direct to be paid into Pension Fund No. 2 an appropriate additional sum for the purpose of providing pension for any such Teaching Assistantship or office.
6. Years of service shall in all cases be reckoned from the date of first appointment to a permanent Teaching Assistantship or office provided that no account shall be taken for pension purposes of services rendered by any person before he or she attains the age of twenty-one years. In the case of a permanent Teaching Assistant only the Governing Body shall add to the actual years of service in the College a further period of seven years provided that the actual years of service in the College have not been less than ten.
7. Whenever a full-time Professor or full-time Lecturer hereafter retires there shall be taken into account for the purpose of computing Pension any years of service rendered by such Professor or Lecturer as a permanent Teaching Assistant in the College. Such years of service shall also be taken into account for the qualification of ten actual years of service required by Section 3 of the existing Pension Scheme contained in Chapter XXV of Statute XVII of University College, Galway and the amendments thereto: Provided always that Pension payable in any such case as aforesaid shall be paid only out of the existing Pension Fund created by the said Chapter.
8. Unless the Governing Body shall otherwise determine no member of the non-statutory Staff (permanent Teaching Assistants, Administrative Staff, Library Staff, Clerical Staff) of the College shall have any claim to pension or gratuity under this Statute in the event of his removal from office for "good cause" as defined in the Statutes of the University and College.
9. The decision of the Governing Body shall be accepted as final in the interpretation of any of the clauses of the Scheme herein provided.
10. The Governing Body may from time to time revoke or vary the Scheme herein provided.

## CHAPTER II

1. Nothing herein contained shall affect any appointment made, right acquired or act done under any previous Statute of the College.
2. This Statute shall come into operation on the Nineteenth day of October, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty-five and

may be cited as Statute LXI of University College, Galway or Stat. LXI, Univ. Coll., Galway.

SCHEDULE

PENSION SCHEME

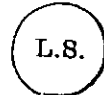
NON-STATUTORY STAFF (Permanent Teaching Assistants, Administrative Staff, Library Staff, Clerical Staff).

1. The pensionable offices under this Scheme shall be those specified in Table A and such other permanent Assistantships and offices as the Governing Body shall from time to time decide to make pensionable.
2. The holder of a pensionable office shall when so required furnish evidence of age satisfactory to the Governing Body.
3. Pensions on retirement whether on the ground of ill-health or other incapacity from infirmity of mind or body shall be paid only after ten actual years of service. Gratuities in the case of retirement or death shall be paid only after five actual years of service.
4. A holder of a pensionable office may retire on attaining the age of sixty-five years or if a female on attaining the age of sixty years and on so retiring shall receive a pension calculated in accordance with the provisions of this Scheme together with the gratuity herein provided.
5. A holder of a pensionable office who has not attained the age of sixty-five years or sixty as the case may be who satisfies the Governing Body by medical evidence that he/she is incapable from infirmity of mind or body of discharging the duties of his/her office and that such incapacity is likely to be permanent shall subject to the provisions of this Scheme receive a pension and gratuity on retirement.
6. The pension shall in all cases be an annual allowance calculated by multiplying a sixtieth part of the retiring salary by the number of completed years of service of the holder Provided always that the maximum pension shall not exceed two-thirds of the retiring salary.
7. In addition to pension there shall be paid to the holder of a pensionable office on retirement or to his or her personal representative in the case of death a gratuity as hereinafter provided.
8. The gratuity shall be computed upon the basis of one-tenth of the retiring salary for each year of actual service in a pensionable office in the College Provided that :
  - (a) Gratuity shall be paid only after five actual years of service in the College in a pensionable office ;
  - (b) The maximum number of years to be taken into account when calculating the amount of the gratuity shall be ten.
9. If the holder of an office in the College pensionable under this Scheme shall vacate such office by reason of appointment to another pensionable office within the College the pension of

such person on retirement shall subject to the provisions of this Scheme be computed upon the retiring salary of the former office for the actual years of service in such office and upon the retiring salary of the subsequent office for the actual years of service in that office : Provided that for the qualification of ten actual years of service required by Section 3 hereof ten years of service jointly in such offices shall be sufficient.

10. The Governing Body may prior to the making of any pension payment require evidence that the party entitled is still alive.
11. Pension shall be payable by equal quarterly instalments on the 1st day of January, 1st day of April, 1st day of July and 1st day of October in each year, and if necessary any instalment may be apportioned.
12. Gratuity payable on retirement shall be paid within three months after retirement and in case of death shall be paid to the legal personal representative of the deceased.

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



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Séamus Mistéal, *Rúnaí*.