

BILL NO.

AN ACT TO AMEND THE SOLDIER SETTLEMENT ACT, 1919.

His Majesty by and with the consent of the Senate and House of Commons of Canada, enacts as follows:—

(1) Section 5 of the Soldier Settlement Act, 1919, Chapter 188 of the Revised Statutes of Canada of 1929, is amended by repealing subsection 2 thereof and substituting therefor the following subsections:—

(a) Such members of the staff of the Board appointed under the provisions of this Act before the first day of April, 1930, whose positions are certified by the Civil Service Commission upon the recommendation of the Minister, based upon the report in writing by the Board to be of indeterminate duration shall be permanent employees of the Civil Service at the salaries and in the classifications that have been fixed under the Soldier Settlement Act and approved by the Governor in Council.

(b) Any employee made permanent as aforesaid, shall notwithstanding anything in the Civil Service Superannuation Act, 1924, be subject to the provisions of and entitled to all the benefits and privileges under Part 2 or Part 4 of the said Superannuation Act, and shall be entitled to have counted towards superannuation benefits the period of his past employment with the Board, from the date on which he was first attached to it, provided such employee within one year after the 1st April, 1930, elects to become a contributor under the said Act.

Section 3 of the said Act is amended by adding the following subsection thereto:—

(5) Privileges with respect to superannuation as accorded in Section 5 of this Act, to members of the staff of the Board, shall be available to the Commissioners.