

less than sixty years, and to any female contributor whose term of service is not less than thirty years and whose age is not less than fifty-five years, who retires from the Civil Service with the consent of the Governor in Council after giving three months' notice of his or her desire so to retire. and female contributors.

14. The annual retiring allowance to a contributor shall be two and one-half per centum of the total salary received by him during the last thirty-five years of his service, or if his period of service is less than thirty-five years, then during the whole of his period of service. Annual retiring allowance.

15. If any civil servant is not subject to the provisions of Part I of the Superannuation Act and is ineligible by reason of any limitation of age herein prescribed, to become a contributor under this Act, the Governor in Council may grant him an annual retiring allowance not exceeding one-half of the retiring allowance to which his period of employment, including any period of employment in a temporary capacity in the public service of Canada, would entitle him had he become a contributor in respect thereto under this Act. Half annual superannuation in special case.

2. The retirement with a retiring allowance of any civil servant to whom this section applies may, in the discretion of the Governor in Council, be deferred beyond the age of sixty-five years until he has completed thirty-five years service, but in no case beyond the age of seventy years. Age limit deferred.

3. Any such civil servant who is seventy years of age or over at the date of the coming into force of this Act shall not be eligible for any retiring allowance unless he is retired within twelve months of the said date. Seventy years at commencement of Act.

4. Nothing in this section contained shall affect the right of any civil servant to whom this section applies, and who at the time of being retired from the Civil Service is a member on the Retirement Fund, to the amount to his credit in the said Fund in accordance with the provisions of Part II of the Superannuation Act. Rights not affected.

16. The Governor in Council may reduce the amount of the retiring allowance or other benefit payable to a contributor under this Act if the service or any part of the service of such contributor has been unsatisfactory or if the contributor is being retired for incompetence or neglect of duty. Unsatisfactory service.

17. Every person who receives a retiring allowance upon the ground of being wholly incapacitated for the further performance of his duties and is less than sixty years of age, Evidence of incapacity required.