

(2) Upon the death of a contributor who served in the forces for less than ten years and was a member of the forces at the time of his death, the widow and children of the contributor in any case where the contributor died leaving a widow or a child less than eighteen years of age, are entitled jointly to

(11) Section 50(3).

(a) a return of contribution or  
(b) a cash benefit as allowed  
whichever is the greater.

ENTITLEMENT TO WIDOW AND CHILDREN

50. (1) Where on the death of a contributor the widow and children of a contributor are entitled jointly to a return of contribution or a cash benefit as allowed, the total amount thereof shall be paid to the widow of the contributor, except that

(a) if at the time of the death of the contributor all of the children were less than eighteen years of age and at the time the payment is to be made the widow is dead or

Clause 11. Sections 50(1), (2) and 51(2).

(b) if at the time of the death of the contributor any of the children were less than eighteen years of age and the contributor died without leaving a widow or if the widow is dead or if the total amount to be paid to the children in each share as the Treasury Board may direct exceeds the total amount to be paid to the widow and children under the circumstances, or to any of them, as the Treasury Board may direct.

(2) If any of the children who were less than eighteen years of age at the time of the death of the contributor are living apart from the widow at the time the payment is to be made, the total amount shall be paid to the widow and the children as living apart from the widow and children as the Treasury Board may direct, or to the widow or any of the children as living apart from the widow, as the Treasury Board may direct.

(3) If the contributor died without leaving any children and at the time the payment is to be made the widow is dead or cannot be found, or if the contributor died leaving a widow and at the time the payment is to be made all of the children are dead or cannot be found, the total amount shall be paid to the contributor's estate.

(4) Where the widow or a contributor is entitled to an amount allowed under this Act, payment of the amount shall be made in the event of her death, or the death of the contributor, as follows: