1526 Pandora Ave. Victoria, B.C. March 1936. Sir: Subject- pension adjustment, Mrs. Good. This is a pathetically sad case, and one which deserves immediate consideration before it is too late. The facts are as follows! H.L. Good (deceased) served in the Canadian Customs Service approximately 50 years. He joined the Dominion Civil Service in 1881 at 20 years of age, retired at 70 in 1932, and died one year later. He rose during these years from Custom Clerk to Collector of Customs in the Port of Nanaimo, B.C. Under the provisions of the Superannuations Act, Mr. Good contributed to this fund for the limit of 35 years. During this period the original Superannuation Act was revised, and the contributions as well as the benefits changed. Mr. Good elected to come under the new revised Act, and according to his private papers, it appeared he was lead to believe his wife, now his widow, would be treated in a similar manner, as wives of other contributors to the same fund.

Due to an unfavorable interpretation of the Superannuation Act, (which the Finance Department has consistently refused to consider) Mrs. Good now receives only \$37.21 per month when her pension should be over \$50.00 per month.

One point that might be considered: -- if Mr. dood had bontributed to an ordinary annuity for his widow; the same amount to be paid into the pension fund, his widow would now be receiving over \$50.00 per month.

Mr. Good was considered a most officient officers He also did valuable work for the Naval Intelligence Department during the War.

Your help is enriestly solicited on behalf of this deserving and elderly widow, my mother, now in her 73rd. year.

Yours respectfully,

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