

regulated or regulate the grant of pensions and gratuities in Southern Rhodesia, to persons who have retired or shall retire from the Public Service of Southern Rhodesia, or whose offices in Southern Rhodesia have been or shall be abolished, shall be charged upon and paid out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund.

58.—(1) From and after the commencement of these Our Letters Patent the High Commissioner shall exercise only such power, jurisdiction or authority within the Colony as may be granted or reserved to him by these Our Letters Patent. Provided that any power jurisdiction or authority in relation to any Police or Volunteer force which under any law of the Colony is at the commencement of these Our Letters Patent vested in the High Commissioner shall, until other legislative provision shall have been made in that behalf, be exercised by the Governor in Council.

(2) Where under any Proclamation or Ordinance in force in the Colony any power, jurisdiction or authority is at the commencement of these Our Letters Patent vested in the High Commissioner such power, jurisdiction or authority shall if not hereby granted or reserved to the High Commissioner be deemed to be transferred to and vested in the Governor in Council so far as the continuance thereof, as a power, jurisdiction or authority so vested, is not inconsistent with the law conferring the same or repugnant to these Our Letters Patent.

59.—(1) Where, under any Law of the Colony, any power, jurisdiction or authority is at the commencement of these Our Letters Patent exercised by the Administrator, such power, jurisdiction or authority shall be exercised by the Governor in Council, and where, under any such Law, any power, jurisdiction or authority has been conferred on any Member of the existing Executive Council of Southern

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