

THIRD SUPPLEMENT TO THE GIBRALTAR GAZETTE

No. 4613 of 16 September, 2019

B. 33/19

BILL

FOR

AN ACT to amend the Pensions (Widows and Orphans) Act.

ENACTED by the Legislature of Gibraltar.

Title and Commencement.

1. This Act may be cited as the Pensions (Widows and Orphans) (Amendment) Act 2019 and shall be deemed to have come into operation on 27 June 2017.

Amendment of the Pensions (Widows and Orphans) Act.

2.(1) The Pensions (Widows and Orphans) Act is amended in accordance with the provisions of this section.

(2) In paragraph (b) of the proviso to section 4(2) after “satisfaction of the Government” delete “at some time while she is still a civil servant,”.

(3) Section 5 is amended by-

(a) renumbering the section as subsection (1) and the proviso as subsection (2);

(b) in the new subsection (2)-

(i) for “Provided that any” substitute “Any”;

(ii) after “has ceased to” insert “be”;

(iii) for “left out of” substitute “taken into”.

(4) After section 18A insert-

“Resumption of contributions.

18B. A person may resume contributions if-

- (a) the requirements in section 18A(1)(a), (b) and (d) are satisfied; and
- (b) at any time during the period from 27 June 2017 to 30 September 2017 he has communicated in writing his intention to resume contributions.”

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

This Bill amends the Pensions (Widows and Orphans) Act to introduce the budget measure announced in the 2017 Budget Speech.