

THE PENSIONS (AMENDMENT) ACT, 1983**No. 5 of 1983***Date of Assent: 31st May, 1983**Date of Commencement:*(i) *Sections 2 and 3 — 13th August, 1968*(ii) *Section 4 — 1st July, 1977***An Act of Parliament to amend the Pensions Act****ENACTED** by the Parliament of Kenya as follows:—

1. (1) This Act may be cited as the Pensions (Amendment) Act, 1983.

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(2) The amendments contained in sections 2 and 3 shall be deemed to have come into operation on the 13th August, 1968.

(3) The amendment contained in section 4 shall be deemed to have come into operation on the 1st July, 1977.

2. Section 6 of the Pensions Act is amended—

Amendment
of section 6
of Cap. 189.

(a) by deleting paragraph (a) and substituting the following—

- (a) (i) in the case of a superscale officer, who between the 13th August, 1968 and 30th June, 1971, or in case of an officer serving in Job Group L or above, who on or between the 1st July, 1971 and the 13th August, 1985, completes not less than ten years public service or attains the age of forty-five years within the period commencing on the 13th August, 1968 and ending on the 13th August, 1985:

Provided that the application of the officer to retire from the public service shall be submitted and approved in accordance with the procedure outlined in Personnel Circular No. 19 of 13th August, 1968 as amended or replaced from time to time;

- (ii) in any other case not falling within the succeeding paragraphs of this section, on or after attaining the age of fifty years.

(b) by renumbering the existing section as subsection (1) and adding the following new subsection—

(2) For the purposes of paragraph (a) (i) of subsection (1)—

“Job Group L” means the salary scale of that designation set out in Personnel Circular No. 6 of 26th May, 1971 and any amendments or additions thereto;

“superscale officer” means an officer who was remunerated under any of the salary super scales set out in the Establishment Circular No. 18 of 28th March, 1961 and any amendments or additions thereto.

Amendment
of section 8 of
Cap. 189.

3. Paragraph (a) of section 8(1) of the Pensions Act is amended by deleting subparagraphs (i) and (ii).

Amendment
of section 17
of Cap. 189.

4. Section 17 (1) (i) of the Pensions Act is amended by deleting the words “fifteen pounds” and substituting “sixty pounds”.