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<i>Received Royal Assent:</i>	<i>12 February 1923</i>
<i>Passed:</i>	<i>16 March 1923</i>
<i>Commenced:</i>	<i>16 March 1923</i>

AN ACT [concerning Pension Penalties.]

1 Short title

This Act may be cited for all purposes as “The Pensions (Penalties) Act, 1923”.

2 Interpretation

In this Act the word “**pension**” means —

- (i) A pension or benefit in respect of the naval or military service of the Crown to any person who is, or was formerly in such service, or the surviving spouse or surviving civil partner of such person, payable under any Act of Parliament or any Order of His Majesty in Council or Royal Warrant.¹
- (ii) and (iii) [Repealed]²

3 Penalty for false statements, etc

If any person for the purpose of obtaining or continuing any pension or increase of pension, either for himself or for any other person, or for the purpose of obtaining or continuing a pension, or increase of pension, at a higher rate than that appropriate to the case, knowingly makes a false statement or false representation, he shall be liable on summary conviction to imprisonment for a term not exceeding six months, and in the case of a pensioner to forfeit any pension or increase of pension payable to him.

4 Commencement of Act

This Act shall come into operation when the Royal Assent thereto has been by the Governor announced to Tynwald, and a certificate thereof has been signed by the Governor and the Speaker of the House of Keys.

ENDNOTES

Table of Endnote References

¹ Para (i) amended by Civil Partnership Act 2011 Sch 14 and by Interpretation Act 2015 s 106.

² Paras (ii) and (iii) repealed by Superannuation Act 1984 Sch 4.