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## Military Service Pensions Act, 1934.

### APPLICATION TO THE MINISTER FOR DEFENCE FOR A SERVICE CERTIFICATE.

This form must be filled in by every person who seeks a Service Certificate, and must be signed by him, and signature witnessed, on or before the 31st day of December, 1935. In the event of an applicant being unable to write he should affix his mark, such act being witnessed.

Name (to be written in TUOHY PATRICK: COLMAN block capitals). SURNAME. CHRISTIAN NAMES.

PRESENT ADDRESS. 73. BRIDE STREET

(to be written in block capitals).

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Note.—Before answering the questions below, the applicant is requested to note that:

(a) This form is divided into three parts. Part I. is to be completed where the applicant had, in addition to the required pre-Truce Service, Service in the Forces in the period commencing the 1st July, 1922. Part II. is to be completed where the applicant's qualifying service in the Forces was pre-Truce only. Only one of those two parts is to be completed by any one applicant. Part III. is of general application and should be completed by all applicants.

(b) Before completing particulars as to rank the applicant should read carefully the First Schedule to the Act and also the definitions of the expressions "first critical date" and "second critical date" which are appended to this form for the information of applicants. He should then complete his replies to the questions in the terms of Rules 1 and 2 of the First Schedule which are applicable to his case, e.g.:—

was "a Divisional Adjutant" or

was "a Battalion Quartermaster whose Battalion was (at the critical date) not less than one hundred in strength," or

was "an officer of Fianna Eireann commanding one hundred members or more."

If applicant's case falls within either Rule 3 or Rule 4 of the First Schedule full particulars of the claim as required by those Rules should be given, if necessary, in a separate statement.

(c) All statements made in this application will be carefully investigated, and satisfactory evidence must be forthcoming on request to substantiate each and every statement made.

(d) "If any person with a view to obtaining either for himself or any other person a grant or payment of a pension under this Act, makes, signs, or uses any declaration, application or other written statement knowing the same to be false, such person shall be guilty of an offence under this section and shall be liable on summary conviction thereof to a fine not exceeding £25 (twenty-five pounds) or to imprisonment for a period not exceeding six months or at the discretion of the Court to both such fine and imprisonment." (Sec. 19 (1) of the Military Service Pensions Act, 1934).

(e) "If any person so convicted as aforesaid is in receipt of a pension obtained by reason of such false declaration, application, or other written statement he shall forfeit such pension as from the date of such conviction." (Sec. 19 (2) of the Military Service Pensions Act, 1934).

If the applicant is unable to read, the above note should be read to him by the witness.

SERVICE IN THE FORCES, THAT IS IN THE FOLLOWING MILITARY BODIES, OGLAIGH NA h-EIREANN (IRISH REPUBLICAN ARMY) OR IN THE IRISH VOLUNTEERS OR IN THE IRISH CITIZEN ARMY OR IN FIANNA EIREANN OR IN THE HIBERNIAN RIFLES OR IN CUMANN NA mBAN.

For each of the periods set out in Parts I. and II. in which you claim to have rendered active service, state the name of the unit or units, name and address of the O/C., the names and addresses of three reputable references who can verify your service.

The following circumstances shall not be deemed to constitute a breach in the continuity of service:—

- (a) Absence from duty following arrest, imprisonment, internment, or deportation under the Defence of the Realm Act, 1914, the Restoration of Order in Ireland Act, 1920, or any regulations made thereunder;
- (b) Absence from duty following arrest, imprisonment, or penal servitude in respect of sedition, treason or treason felony prior to 11th July, 1921;
- (c) Absence from duty by reason of duties necessitating such absence undertaken at the instance of or on behalf of the Cabinet of the First Dail Eireann or of the Second Dail Eireann;
- (d) Absence from duty while under arrest, as a result of activities as a member of the Forces.

If you claim to have been absent from duty under these conditions, give particulars of the circumstances with respect to each such period of absence, and state its duration.

#### PART I.

## TO BE COMPLETED BY APPLICANTS WHO HAD PRE AND POST TRUCE SERVICE IN THE FORCES \* AS FOLLOWS:—

- (a) who served in the Forces at any time during the week commencing on the 23rd day of April, 1916,
- (b) who served in the Forces continuously during either of the following periods, the period commencing on the 1st day of April, 1920, and ending on the 31st day of March, 1921,
- (c) the period commencing on the 1st day of April, 1921, and ending on the 11th day of July, 1921,

and in addition
who served in the Forces at any time during the period commencing on the 1st day
of July, 1922, and ending on the 30th day of September, 1923.

\* The following Military Bodies, and those only, are included in the term "the Forces," viz.:—

Oglaigh na h-Eireann (Irish Republican Army) or the Irish Volunteers, or the Irish Citizen Army, or Fianna Eireann, or the Hibernian Rifles, or Cumann na mBan.

(1). ACTIVE SERVICE AT ANY TIME DURING THE WEEK COMMENCING ON THE 23RD DAY OF APRIL, 1916.
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### PART III.

#### GENERAL.

#### TO BE COMPLETED BY ALL APPLICANTS

(1). State in terms of the First Schedule to the Act the rank and nature of appointment held on the first and second critical dates, respectively:—
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(4). Did you apply for a wound or disability pension under any of the following Acts?:—
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(6). Were you a member of the Irish Volunteer Executive at any time prior to the 11th July,
1921? If so, give the dates between which you served
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NOTE.	-You will subsequently have to furnish any further particulars and to submit any evidence which the Minister for Defence, or the Referee appointed under the Military
	Service Pensions Act, or any person or persons duly authorised by them may
	require in connection with this application for a Service certificate. In this connection attention is directed to the fact that Section 8 (4) of the Act prescribes
	that the onus of proof shall rest on the applicant.
	Careful consideration will be given to any documentary evidence which you
	may wish to submit herewith. You may also at your discretion write hereunder
	a statement of any additional information which you consider may be of assistance in determining your application.
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	A District Justice.
	A Peace Commissioner. A Barrister-at-Law, a Solicitor, or a Commissioner for Oaths.
	A Minister of Religion (denomination to be stated).  A Registered Physician or Surgeon.
	Managers, Secretaries, Chief Cashiers and Accountants of Banks, and Officials in charge of Branch Banks.  A Member of the Garda Síochána.
	A Postmaster or Postmistress in actual charge of a Post Office.
	Head Teachers of Secondary or National Schools.  A Secretary of a Registered Friendly Society.
	A Notary Public. A Consul-General.
	A Vice Consul

#### APPENDIX.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

RULES FOR DETERMINING NOTIONAL GRADES OF RANK IN THE FORCES HELD BY PERSONS SERVING IN THE FORCES.

1.—(1) Any person who at any date was either Chief of Staff, Deputy Chief of Staff, Adjutant General, a Divisional Officer Commanding, or Quartermaster General shall be deemed to have held at that date Rank A.

- (2) Any person who at any date was either-
  - (a) a General Headquarters Officer acting as Director of any one of the following services, namely Organisation, Intelligence, Engineering and Munitions, or
  - (b) a Brigade Officer Commanding whose brigade was at that date not less than one thousand in strength,

shall be deemed to have held at that date Rank B.

- (3) Any person who at any date was either—
  - (a) a Brigade Officer Commanding whose brigade at that date was less than one thousand in strength, or
  - (b) a Divisional Vice Officer Commanding, or
  - (c) a Divisional Adjutant, or
  - (d) a Divisional Quartermaster, or
  - (e) a Battalion Commandant whose battalion was at that date not less than three hundred in strength, or
  - (f) a Brigade Vice Officer Commanding whose brigade was at that date not less than one thousand in strength, or
  - (g) a Brigade Adjutant whose brigade was at that date not less than one thousand in strength, or
  - (h) a Brigade Quartermaster whose brigade was at that date not less than one thousand in strength, or
  - (i) a Column Commander whose column was at that date not less than thirty in strength, or
  - (j) a General Headquarters Officer who at that date was acting as Director of Medical Services,
  - (k) a General Headquarters Officer who at that date was acting as Director of any Service, other than that of Medical Services, or one of the Services mentioned in sub-paragraph (a) of the immediately preceding paragraph,

shall be deemed to have held at that date Rank C.

- (4) A person who at any date-
  - (a) was a Battalion Commandant whose battalion at that date was less than three hundred in strength, or
  - (b) was a Company Captain whose company at that date was not less than sixty in strength, or (c) was, at that date, a Captain on the General Headquarters Staff or on a Divisional Staff, or
  - (d) was, in the case of a company which at that date was not less than one hundred and twenty in strength, where the company had at that date one Lieutenant only, such Lieutenant or, where the company had at that date two Lieutenants only, one or other of such Lieutenants, or, where the company had at that date three or more Lieutenants, one or other of the two Lieutenants who were at that date respectively second and third in command, or
  - (e) was, in the case of a company which at that date was less than one hundred and twenty in strength but not less than one hundred in strength, where such company had at that date one Lieutenant only, such Lieutenant or where such company had at that date two or more Lieutenants, the Lieutenant who was at that date second in command, or
  - (f) was a Brigade Officer, other than a Brigade Officer who is deemed by virtue of paragraph (2) or (3) of this Rule to have held at that date either Rank B or Rank C, or
  - (g) was a Battalion Vice Officer Commanding whose battalion at that date was not less than one hundred in strength, or
  - (h) was a Battalion Adjutant whose battalion was at that date not less than one hundred in
  - (i) was a Battalion Quartermaster whose battalion was at that date not less than one hundred in strength, or

- (j) was a General Headquarters Officer other than a General Headquarters Officer who was at that date acting as a Director of any Service, or
- (k) was a Divisional Officer other than a Divisional Officer Commanding, a Divisional Vice Officer Commanding, a Divisional Adjutant or a Divisional Quartermaster, or
- (l) was a Column Commander whose column at that date was less than thirty in strength, or
- (m) was a Medical Officer other than a General Headquarters Officer who at that date was acting as Director of Medical Services,

shall be deemed to have held at that date Rank D.

- (5) Any person who complies with the following conditions, namely:—
  - (a) was at any date an officer, and
  - (b) is not deemed by virtue of any of the preceding paragraphs of this Rule to have held at that date any grade of rank,

shall be deemed for the purposes of this Act to have held at that date Rank E.

- (6) Any person who at any date held the rank of non-commissioned officer or private shall be deemed to have held at that date Rank E.
- (7) None of the foregoing provisions of this Rule shall apply to any person who at any date was a member of Fianna Eireann or of Cumann na mBan and was not at any date a member of Oglaigh na hEireann (Irish Republican Army) or of the Irish Volunteers, and in lieu thereof the following provisions shall have effect in relation to any such person, that is to say:—
  - (a) any person who at any date:—
    - (i) was a member of the headquarters staff or executive of Fianna Eireann or Cumann na mBan, or
    - (ii) was an officer of Fianna Eireann or Cumann na mBan commanding one hundred members or more of either of those bodies, or
    - (iii) was an officer of Fianna Eireann or Cumann na mBan senior to an officer of either of those bodies commanding one hundred members or more of either of those bodies.

shall be deemed to have held at that date Rank D, and

- (b) any person who at any date was a member of Fianna Eireann or Cumann na mBan and who is not deemed by virtue of the foregoing sub-paragraph (a) of this paragraph to have held Rank D, shall be deemed to have held at that date Rank E.
- 2. Where an officer whose grade of rank at any date is, under Rule I of this Schedule, to be determined both by his actual rank in the Forces and the strength of the unit to which he belonged at that date, and such officer is, at that date, absent from duty by reason of imprisonment on account of his activities as a member of the Forces, the following provisions shall, for the purposes of the said Rule I, have effect in relation to such officer, that is to say:—
  - (a) such officer shall be deemed to have held at that date the actual rank in the Forces which he held at the date of his arrest, and
  - (b) such unit shall be deemed to be at that date at the same strength as it was at the time of his arrest.
- 3. Where the case of any person does not fall within the provisions of Rule I of this Schedule, the Referee may determine the particular grade of rank which such person is to be deemed to have held on any date, and in so determining the Referee shall have regard to the following matters, that is to say:—
  - (a) the appointment held by such person,
  - (b) the services performed by such person,
  - (c) the principles of grading set forth in the said Rule I.
- 4. Where any person, whose case at a particular date falls within the provisions of Rule I of this Schedule, was, at that date, engaged in service of a special character, the Referee may, in making his report under this Act in relation to the grade of rank held by such person on such date, report that the grade of rank held by him on such date is a grade of rank higher than the grade which, but for this Rule, would be the grade of rank held by him on that date.

#### DEFINITION OF THE FIRST AND SECOND CRITICAL DATES.

1. In the case of a person who served in the Forces during the period commencing on the 1st day of July, 1922, and ending on the 30th day of September, 1923,

The expression "the first critical date" means the 11th day of July, 1921; and the expression "the second critical date" means:—

- (a) in the case of a person who served in the Forces on the 1st day of July, 1922, the 1st day of July, 1922 and
- (b) in the case of a person who did not serve in the Forces on the 1st day of July, 1922, but who served in the Forces at any time during the period commencing on the 2nd day of July, 1922, and ending on the 30th day of September, 1923, the date during that period on which such person first served in the Forces.
- 2. In the case of a person who did not serve in the Forces during the period commencing on the 1st day of July, 1922, and ending on the 30th day of September, 1923, but who has either:—
  - (a) served in the Forces at any time during the week commencing on the 23rd day of April, 1916,
  - (b) served in the Forces continuously during the period commencing on the 1st day of April, 1921, and ending on the 11th day of July, 1921,

the expression "the first critical date" shall be construed as meaning the date during the said week, or if he did not serve during the said week, during the said period, on which he first served in the Forces in such week or such period (as the case may be), and

the expression "the second critical date" shall be construed as meaning the earliest date in the period between the first critical date in respect of such person, and the 12th day of July, 1921, on which such person held his highest rank in such last-mentioned period in the Forces.



# R.I. Applicant 11/2/2



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#### SWORN STATEMENT MADE BEFORE ADVISORY COMMITTEE BY PATRICK C. TUOHY ON THE 11TH FEBRUARY, 1935.

You were in the Irish Citizen Army?

Yes.

Q. What were you doing on Easter Sunday?

I was in Liberty Hall and was told the order was cancelled. I went down again on Monday morning and Christy Poole put me in charge of the Hall where the bicycles were - there were a number of bicycles there.

Q. What happened after that?

- Thirteen of us went to Delahunty's Public House. We were there for Monday night.
- Q. What were you doing there?

Defending it.

Q. You had taken it over?

- Yes. On Tuesday morning I went with two despatches from Captain Thornton to James Connolly. On the second occasion I brought back some provisions with the help of two others. When we got back we were told by James Connolly to evacuate that position and go to the G. P.O.
- What happened after that?
- I went back to the G.P.O.

Q. What day?

A. Tuesday, 12 o'clock.

Q. What happened then?

- We were told to get some breakfast. After breakfast I was put in charge of a number of prisoners - two British officers and a number of British soldiers. After that we were told to dash across the road into the Imperial Hotel. We were there until we were burnt out.
- You surredered at the general surrender?

Q. On what day of the Week were you arrested?

About Thursday night, I think, in Bucklingham Street. Orders came from the Post Office that we were to go to Fairview. I picked up with a man named Billy O'Neill and we were arrested on the way to Fairview.

Had you a rifle with you when arrested?

No. I had a revolver. But I dropped it when knocked down by a British soldier and it was not discovered. I was brought to the Rotunda and then marched to Richmond Barracks.

When were you released? Swasbor Joseks in Mafford jail and the On the 1st August from Stafford Jail. imprisond entirely about 3 months

Did you know anybody that was released with you?

John Kavanagh. There were about 168 of us.

Were there many batches sent out before your batch?

Yes, several.

What were you doing at the time the Four Courts was attacked? I was attached to the 2nd of the 5th - the Engineering Section at that time. Some row occurred with the Citizen Army, I believe we were locked out of Liberty Hall.

Q. By whom?

- I went over and joined the 2nd of the 5th.
- When did you join the 2nd of the 5th? I couldn't tell you the date.
- You don't know the year? The latter end of 1917. Q.
- Q.
- Had you any service after 1917?
  I paid out the Dependents' money with a Miss Coventry and a Miss Griffin.
- Had you any more fighting? Q.
- You say you had two days service in the Civil War?
- Yes. Under Captain Doherty and Lieut. Daly.
- Q. Where?
- Moran's Hotel.
- What happened there?
- We stopped there until we were burned out.
- Q. Had you a rifle?
- Yes.
- Q. You were not arrested?
- I went back to my home with Christy Poole.
- You dropped out then? Q.
- Yes.
- Q. What references have you?
- I have no witnesses with me to-day. I will ask Mr. Thornton to send in a statement regarding my Easter Week Service.

Signed Patrick Listhy... Sworn before me on... REFEREE.

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IN REPLY PLEASE QUOTE REF

13th February 1935.

Patrick Colman Tuohy, 73 Bride St., Dublin.

This is to certify that Patrick Tuohy served with me during Easter Week 1916 from Monday until Friday in the following areas:-

Monday - In occupation of Liberty Hall until about 5 o'clock in the afternoon when we left with all stores, etc., for G.P.O.

Monday Night - Occupation of roofs from Fleet Street to College Restaurant sniping Garrison in Trinity College and Bank of Ireland roof.

Tuesday Morning - Retired to G.P.O., and was then instructed to take over Imperial Hotel which we held until burned on Thursday, retiring on Earl Street and district which we held until surrender.

I was Officer in charge of all the foregoing posts during the week.

(Signed) Frank Thomton

E. de Burca Uasal,
Secretary,
Military Service Pension Board,
Griffith Barracks.

Dublin.

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9 Lower O'Connell Street,

Dublin, 15th February, 1935

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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

This is to certify that Patrick Tuohy took part in the action against the Pro-Treaty Forces towards the end of the week in which the Four Courts was attacked.

He reported to Area Quarters, Moran's Hotel about Friday of that week.

Ex-O.C. 5th Battn.
Dublin Brigade.

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6th March 1985

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I am directed by the Referee to refer to your application and to inform you that the transcript of the statement made by you before the Advisory Committee is now available for examination.

In case you wish to inspect it with a view to correcting, or adding thereto, you are requested to call at the above address on or before Friday. Nth Barch, 8 between the hours of 11 a.m. and 1 p.m., or between 3 p.m. and 4.30 p.m.

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Mr. Patrick Coleman Tuchy, 73 Bride Street, DUBLIN, C.7.

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## Military Service Pensions Act, 1934.

Ref. No. 34 SA 1508	Ref. No.M. 5. P/34/ Referel - 222.
To:	To:
THE REFEREE.	THE MINISTER FOR DEFENCE.
I am directed by the Minister for Defence to transmit for report in accordance with Section 8 and the Regulations made under the Act the accompanying application of Lucky, Patrick bolman	I submit hereunder my report in this case.  fort transmitted to G. M. R. r. l 18 33
43, Bride St., Dublin C. 4. for a Service Certificate.	Regustered &
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