MARRIAGE LEAVE – FROM MEMO V7

21.3 Pregnancy Leave

A permanent whole-time teacher absent owing to pregnancy may be granted sick leave with pay on the condition that she bears the cost of providing a substitute or alternatively she may be granted special leave without pay. (Subsequently amended in Appendix P).

21.4 Special Leave

(i) A permanent wholetime teacher may be paid salary in respect of a period of absence in connection with his attendance at a course of instruction in accordance with the terms of Section 8 or as otherwise approved by the Minister.

(ii) **A permanent wholetime teacher may be granted seven consecutive days special leave of absence with pay on marriage, including the day of marriage. A further seven consecutive days leave of absence without pay immediately following the special leave of absence with pay may also be granted if requested by the teacher.**

(iii) A permanent wholetime teacher may be paid salary in respect of a period of absence normally not exceeding three days necessitated by the illness or death of a near relative; salary in respect of absence in excess of three days may be paid in exceptional circumstances subject to the approval of the Committee and the sanction of the Minister.

(iv) In exceptional circumstances, a permanent wholetime teacher may be paid salary in respect of occasional brief absences owing to reasonable causes other than those mentioned above subject to the approval of the Committee and the sanction of the minister.

(v) In exceptional circumstances, a permanent wholetime teacher may be allowed leave without pay in respect of occasional brief absences owing to reasonable causes, subject to the approval of the Committee and the sanction of the Minister.

22. DATE OF OPERATION OF MEMORANDUM

This memorandum replaces all previous issues of Memorandum V.7. It will apply as from 1st September 1974 and will continue in operation until further notice.