

Grants and benefits under the Post Discharge Re-establishment Order are on two scales. For those taking vocational training or continuing education the rate is \$60 monthly for a single man and \$80 monthly for a man and his wife. For those out of work, temporarily incapacitated and awaiting returns from private endeavour the rate is \$50 and \$70 a month, respectively. Additional monthly allowances are made for dependants on the following scale:—

Additional monthly allowance for person in lieu of wife.....	\$ 18·20
Additional monthly allowance for one child.....	12·00
Additional monthly allowance for second child.....	12·00
Additional monthly allowance for third child.....	10·00
Additional monthly allowance for each subsequent child (not in excess of three).....	8·00
Additional monthly allowance for parent or parents.....	15·00

Out of work benefits can be paid only during the first 18 months after discharge. The others may be applied for within 12 months of discharge or cessation of hostilities, whichever is the later date.

Under the provisions of the Order all pensioners will continue to receive the full amount of their pension and additional pension allowances from the Canadian Pension Commission. However, when the pension, with these allowances, is less than the amount of the benefit or grant provided under the Post Discharge Re-establishment Order, the pension is supplemented by a grant to bring the pensioner's income at least to the level of a non-pensioner. In the case of a pensioner who is receiving vocational training or continuing his education, a special training grant is paid, based on his pension rate. This has the effect of bringing the income of all pensioners taking vocational training or continuing education above that of non-pensioners and above the amount of their own pensions. Should it be necessary for a married person, or a person to whom an allowance for dependants is being paid, to leave his home community for a training course, a living allowance of \$5 per week is paid for the period. Under certain circumstances, transportation and other travelling expenses may be allowed.

The Post Discharge Re-establishment Order also provides that the ex-servicemen can benefit quickly under the national Unemployment Insurance Act on the same basis as those who had continued in private industry since the Act came into effect. According to the Order, when an ex-serviceman has spent fifteen weeks in insured employment and has paid the contributions accruing in that period, he shall be entitled to benefits under the Act as great as if the entire time of his military service since the Act became effective, July 1, 1941, had been spent in the insured employment.

While the Order applies to members of the Canadian Women's Army Corps, the Royal Canadian Air Force (Women's Division) and the Women's Royal Canadian Naval Service, in their cases, the rate of out-of-work benefits paid shall not exceed the rate of pay of the discharged person at the date of discharge, nor will a benefit be paid to a married woman discharged from these Forces while her husband is