

Civil Service Conciliation and Arbitration Scheme

General Council Report 1250

(Meeting/s of 27 January 1993, 31 March 1993)

Claim that seeks that the word "temporary" be removed from the description of Services Officer, Services Attendant conditions of employment.

Description of Services Officers and Services Attendants in conditions of employment

1. The claim is that the word "temporary" be removed from the description of Services Officer and Services Attendant in their conditions of employment.
2. The Staff Side said that it was degrading for members with twenty to thirty years service to be labelled as "temporary". Further when members of these grades applied for loans from building societies the description "temporary" could cause problems.
3. The Official Side said that the meaning of "temporary" was covered by the word "unestablished" and that they were accordingly prepared to reach agreement on the lines sought.
4. Following discussion it was agreed to recommend that the word "temporary" be no longer used in the description of Services Officers and Services Attendants in circulars and conditions of service and that it be replaced by the word "unestablished".
5. This report was adopted on 13 May 1993.

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