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16/02/1988 LP:- Special Leave on Death of a Child

Dear Personnel Officer

I am directed by the Minister for Finance to say that agreement has been reached at General Council regarding special leave on the death of a child (General Council Report 1103 refers).

In accordance with this agreement up to a maximum of five days special leave with pay may now be allowed to an officer on the death of his/her child (hitherto special leave with pay on the death of an officer's child was limited to three days under the terms of DPS Circular 8/79).

The grant of special leave with pay on the death of a child shall be subject to the usual conditions regarding the grant of compassionate leave.

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