No.

**PENSIONS DECLARATION.**

Required by subsection 5(1) of the Appropriation Act, 1962.

I (name in full)

of (state place of residence)

declare that I am entitled to receive a payment of the pension granted to me as a former

 (state rank)

in School.

Signature of Pensioner:

Date:

**Supporting Declaration**

I hereby declare that I am a person described in paragraph (1) of Rule 4 of the Pensions Declaration (Amendment) Rules, 2003; that the pensions declaration above was made in my presence and that I believe the person making that declaration to be the pensioner described therein.

*(Please see next page for details of those permitted to complete Supporting Declaration)*

**Name of Witness: (Please use block capitals)**

**Address:**

 **Signature of Witness**:

**Date:**

PENSIONS DECLARATION (AMENDMENT) RULES, 2003

**DETAILS OF THOSE PERMITTED TO COMPLETE THE SUPPORTING DECLARATION FORM.**

1. Declarations made in the State.

In accordance with paragraph 4 of the above rules, where the declaration is made in the state, it may be witnessed by a person whose name is on the register of Dáil Electors. The following persons **may not** be a witness:

* 1. the pensioner or his/her spouse;
	2. a close relative of the pensioner (Father, Mother, Son, Daughter, Grandson, Granddaughter, Brother, Sister, Niece or Nephew)
	3. a spouse of a close relative
1. Declarations made outside the State.

In accordance with paragraph 4 of the above rules, where the declaration is made outside the State, persons before whom pensions declarations are to be made are as follows:

* 1. A person whose name is on the register of Dáil Electors.
	2. An Irish diplomatic or consular officer.
	3. A person who, under the law of the country in which the pensions declaration is made, is:-
		+ A minister of religion recognised as such,
		+ A magistrate recognised as such,
		+ A physician or surgeon registered as such,
		+ A person qualified and acting as a lawyer in the country in which the pensions declaration is made and authorised to so act,
		+ A notary public or other person competent to administer oaths,
		+ An officer authorised to sign documents on behalf of a bank, including a savings bank, being a bank recognised as such, or
		+ A serving police officer duly appointed.

It **may not** be witnessed by those outlined at 1(a) to (c) above.