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### **APPRENTICESHIP EXAMINERS EMPLOYED BY GOVERNMENT**

Over the years Apprenticeship Examiners have been recruited on a part time basis for examination of apprentices both in Government employment and private industry.

The particular employees selected have been required to apply for Leave Without Pay, his payment for services being made up from fees for examination of apprentices and paid for by the Industrial Commission..

There have been a number of cases where Departments and Instrumentalities have deducted the time absent on apprenticeship examinations from the leave entitlement of the Officer concerned, particularly Annual and Long Service Leave.

Cabinet has now determined that employees should not be penalised when appointed by the Industrial Commission as an Apprenticeship Examiner, and as the Industrial Commission has no funds to recoup Departments and Instrumentalities, payment of the full leave entitlements to the particular staff member is to be made by the employing Department or Instrumentality in future.

H A JONES  
SECRETARY FOR LABOUR

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