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UNIVERSITY COLLEGE, GALWAY.

STATUTE XLVII.

We, the Governing Body of University College Galway under and by virtue of the powers in that behalf conferred on us by the above Acts. Do by this present Instrument under the Seal of University College, Galway, make the Statute contained in the Schedule hereto for the general government of the said College.
Given under the Common Seal of University College, Galway, this eighteenth day of February, 1960.

Present when the Common Seal
of University College, Galway,
was affixed :---

(L.S.)

T. DINAN, *Acting President.*
J. MITCHELL, *Secretary.*

SCHEDULE--STATUTE XLVII.

All previous Statutes of University College, Galway, shall be read and construed with the alterations, additions and modifications hereinafter set forth.

CHAPTER I.

THE PRESIDENT.

1. The President is the head and chief officer of the College and is entitled to preside at meetings of the Governing Body, at meetings of the Academic Council, and at meetings of Committees of the Governing Body or Academic Council.

2. The office of President shall be pensionable in accordance with the existing provisions of the Statutes of the College. The President shall not hold any office of profit or employment outside the College without the prior sanction of the Governing Body.

3. The office of President shall be a Full-time Office, and the President shall not be at the same time a Professor, Lecturer, or Assistant in the College.

The stipend of the President shall be £2,800 per annum together with a pensionable allowance of £360 per annum in lieu of residence, ~~fuel and light~~, and together with a non-pensionable allowance of £300 in respect of the expenses of his office.

4. (a) The President may hold office until he shall have attained the age of seventy years and shall then retire.
- (b) The President may retire on pension at any time after he shall have attained the age of sixty-five years.

5. Until the Governing Body provides an official Residence, the President shall reside within reasonable proximity of Galway City. He shall attend in the College each day during at least two-thirds of every term and altogether at least 210 days in every year unless he shall be absent on the business of the College or of the University or on account of illness or other grave cause

6. In every appointment of a President the following conditions shall be observed :—

- (a) The Senate shall obtain and consider the representations of the Governing Body as to the filling of the vacancy ;
- (b) If the number of candidates be more than three, the Governing Body shall be entitled to select not less than three candidates from amongst whom the Senate shall make the appointment.

7. The President shall prepare an annual Report on the state of the College, containing such suggestions as to its improvement and advancement as he may think fit to make and shall incorporate in his Report such of the reports made to him by Professors and others as he may consider necessary and shall submit the same to the Governing Body not later than the 31st day of December in the succeeding academic year.

8. The President shall have power to regulate and prescribe the order to be observed at the opening and close of the Collegiate Session, at the conferring of Honours and generally at all public proceedings of the College.

9. The correspondence of the College shall be conducted under the general direction of the President. In the conduct of such correspondence he shall comply with any resolutions or directions that may be given by the Governing Body.

10. The President shall not enter into binding agreements or commitments of a serious nature on behalf of the College without the consent of the Governing Body.

11. The President shall sign or authorise the authentication of all Certificates of Prizes and other official documents and together with the Secretary shall authenticate the affixing of the Common Seal of the College to such documents as may require it.

12. (a) The President shall, after consultation with the Dean or Deans of the Faculty or Faculties concerned, and after consultation with the Professor where the vacancy is in a Lectureship, have power to appoint some suitable person to act temporarily as Professor or Lecturer during a vacancy in any Professorship or Lectureship

of the College and shall report any such appointment as aforesaid to the next ensuing meeting of the Governing Body.

- (b) The remuneration of such person so temporarily appointed shall be fixed by the President but the rate of remuneration shall not exceed the minimum remuneration of the vacant office. Should such person so temporarily appointed be in receipt of a pension from the College in respect of the vacant office the aggregate of the remuneration and of such pension for any period shall not exceed the maximum remuneration of the vacant office for the same period.
- 13 (a) The President shall have the power of appointing, suspending and dismissing the Servants of the College (not being Clerks or professional employees) and shall regulate their duties and control their conduct.
- (b) On the appointment of a technician he shall consult the Professor or head of the Department concerned.
- (c) He may after consultation with the Professor, Officer, or Department concerned, appoint such Clerks as may from time to time be required to transact the business of the College.
- (d) When the services of an Engineer, Architect, Solicitor, Accountant, Actuary or other professional employee are required he shall inform the Governing Body with a view to an appointment by it of any such employee as aforesaid.
14. The President shall on occasion of his absence or illness appoint a Deputy from amongst the Professors who shall exercise his powers and discharge his duties for the time being within the College; provided that no one but the President shall have a casting vote at any meeting save as otherwise expressly provided in the Statutes. A Deputy appointed as aforesaid shall not be entitled to any remuneration from the College for such services.
15. The President, or, in case of his absence, his Deputy, shall have the sole power of granting temporary leave of absence to the Professors, Lecturers, Officers and Servants of the College.
16. The President shall prescribe the times and hours of attendance of the Registrar and Secretary and of the Bursar in their offices.
17. The President shall report without delay to the Vice-Chancellor as well as to the Governing Body the occurrence of a vacancy in any Professorship or Lectureship of the College to which the University is entitled to appoint.
18. The President shall have power at all times to visit any hall, lecture room, office or public apartment of the College.
19. The President shall advise and remonstrate with any Professor, Lecturer or Officer of the College, whenever it shall

come to his knowledge that such Professor, Lecturer or Officer has been neglectful of his duties.

20. Should any Professor, Lecturer or Officer of the College prove inattentive to the advice and remonstrance of the President, the President shall, after giving such Professor, Lecturer or Officer notice of his intention and furnishing him with a copy of the Official statement he proposes to make of the case call the attention of the Governing Body to the conduct of such Professor, Lecturer or Officer.

21. The President shall have the general care and custody of buildings and property of the College and may delegate the whole or such part or parts of his duty in this respect as he shall think fit, to the Registrar and Secretary and to the Bursar ; and for this purpose he shall have power to require the services of the Registrar and Secretary and of the Bursar as he shall think fit and may assign in writing their respective duties. He shall settle the respective limits of absence of the Registrar and Secretary and of the Bursar during vacation ; and he shall not permit both to be absent at the same time without making a special arrangement in writing for the care and custody of the buildings and property of the College during their joint absence.

22. The President shall exercise a constant supervision over all departments of the College and shall direct his particular attention to the maintenance of order and discipline in the College.

23. The President shall have power to exclude any Student from the College or its precincts or from any College premises until the next meeting of the Academic Council, and shall report to such meeting the circumstances of the case.

24. The President shall have power to license places of residence for students and to make regulations for such places and to exercise full supervision over them.

25. The President shall have power to call Extraordinary Meetings of the Governing Body, of the Academic Council and of any Committee of the Governing Body or of the Academic Council.

26. At least three months before he attains the age of seventy years, and also at least three months before any Professor, Lecturer or Officer who is liable to retire at the age of sixty-five years attains that age the President shall report to the Senate and Governing Body the fact that he himself or such Professor, Lecturer or Officer is approaching the respective ages mentioned ; and in the case of any Professor, Lecturer or Officer he shall state at the same time his opinion as to the fitness of such Professor, Lecturer or Officer for continuance in office, and he shall furnish to the Professor, Lecturer or Officer concerned a copy of such report.

27. In case the President shall die or retire or resign or while in office become incapacitated by illness from appointing a Deputy

a special meeting of the Governing Body shall at once be called by the Secretary for the purpose of making provision for the carrying on of the business of the College and for this purpose the Governing Body shall appoint one of the Professors to discharge temporarily the duties of President. An Acting President so appointed shall be entitled and shall be deemed always to have been entitled to such remuneration as the Governing Body shall determine.

28. All previous Statutes relating to the President and in particular Chapter 4 of Statute XVII and Section I of Chapter 2 of Statute XXXIII are hereby revoked.

29. Nothing contained in this Statute shall affect any appointment made, right acquired, liability incurred, or act done under any previous Statute of the College.

CHAPTER II.

1. This Statute shall come into operation on the eighteenth day of February, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty and may be cited as Statute XLVII of University College, Galway, or Stat. XLVII Univ. Coll. Galway.

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