if the valuation lists in force for the year 1955/1956 had continued to be in force, with estimated alterations, for the first mentioned year multiplied by 30 and divided by the product of a penny rate for England and Wales for the year 1956/1957".

Given under the Official Seal of the Minister of Education this 2nd day of January, 1956.

(L.S.)

David Eccles,
Minister of Education.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Regulations but is intended to indicate their general purport.)

These Regulations, by adjusting the formula set out in the principal Regulations for calculating the Main Grant payable to Local Education Authorities, secure that the total amount of the grant will not be reduced as a result of the new rating valuation effective on 1st April, 1956.

1956 No. 1321

The Education (Local Education Authorities) Grant Amending Regulations No. 5, 1956

Made - - - -	21*st August*, 1956
Laid before Parliament	31*st August*, 1956
Coming into Operation	1*st September*, 1956

The Minister of Education in exercise of the powers conferred upon him by Section 100 of the Education Act, 1944(**a**), hereby makes the following Regulations:—

1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Education (Local Education Authorities) Grant Amending Regulations No. 5, 1956, and shall come into operation on the 1st day of September, 1956.

(2) These Regulations amend the Education (Local Education Authorities) Grant Regulations, 1952(**b**), as amended by the Education (Local Education Authorities) Grant Amending Regulations No. 1, 1954(**c**), the Education (Local Education Authorities) Grant Amending Regulations No. 2, 1954(**d**), the Education (Local Education Authorities) Grant Amending Regulations No. 3, 1955(**e**), and the Education (Local Education Authorities) Grant Amending Regulations No. 4, 1956(**f**); and the Education (Local Education Authorities) Grant Regulations, 1952, the said Amending Regulations and these Regulations may be cited together as the Education (Local Education Authorities) Grant Regulations, 1952 to 1956.

(**a**) 7 & 8 Geo. 6. c. 31.
(**b**) S.I. 1952/1331 (1952 I, p. 812).
(**c**) S.I. 1954/814 (1954 I, p. 718).
(**d**) S.I. 1954/909 (1954 I, p. 719).
(**e**) S.I. 1955/1010 (1955 I, p. 709).
(**f**) S.I. 1956/3 (p. 703 above).

2. The Schedule to the Education (Local Education Authorities) Grant Regulations, 1952 (which contains detailed provisions for the school milk and meals grant) shall be amended as follows:—

(*a*) the following paragraph shall be substituted for paragraph 2:—

"*Milk Grant*

2. Milk grant at the rate of 100 per cent. shall be payable in respect of the net recognisable expenditure incurred by an Authority in providing milk to drink for pupils in maintained and assisted schools, and in purchasing milk to drink for pupils in direct-grant and independent schools, not exceeding, in the case of any school, the appropriate quantities prescribed for maintained schools by Regulation 7 of the Provision of Milk and Meals Regulations, 1945(**a**), as amended(**b**)."

(*b*) in paragraph 7, sub-paragraphs (3), (4) and (5) shall be deleted and the following substituted therefor:—

"(3) In the case of assisted, direct-grant and independent schools, the sum which shall be treated as the running expenditure eligible for grant under this paragraph shall be the net expenditure of the Authority on other meals under Section 81 of the Act and the regulations thereunder.

(4) The net expenditure ascertained in accordance with the preceding provisions of this paragraph shall be treated as part of the net recognisable expenditure for the purposes of calculating Main Grant."

Given under the Official Seal of the Minister of Education this 21st day of August, 1956.

(L.S.)

David Eccles,
Minister of Education.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(*This Note is not part of the Regulations, but is intended to indicate their general purport.*)

These Regulations introduce two changes into the arrangements for paying grant on the expenditure incurred by Local Education Authorities on school milk and meals. First, grant will in future be paid in respect of the cost of purchasing milk for independent and direct-grant grammar schools; and secondly the rules for calculating grant on meals, other than dinners, are simplified.

(a) S.R. & O. 1945/698 (Rev. VI, p. 380: 1945 I, p. 336).
(b) S.I. 1956/1320 (p. 710 below).