2. They provide for the payment on demobilisation of a gratuity to those members whose mobilised service includes a minimum period of six months after 11th December, 1956, and before 1st April, 1961.

3. They provide for the return on certain conditions to a member of an amount equal to his aggregate pension contributions on demobilisation as an alternative to their return on retirement.

4. They extend the period of notice of resignation required from a permanent member when he is under suspension.

5. They provide that in the case of a permanent and pensionable member who has 25 (the minimum requisite for an ordinary pension) or more years', but less than 30 years' pensionable service, such pension shall not come into payment unless and until he has attained the age of fifty years, but preserve the existing provision for serving members and for certain other cases.

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Further Education (Grant Conditions)

REGULATIONS, DATED 17TH AUGUST, 1961, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION UNDER THE EDUCATION ACTS (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1947 TO 1960, WITH THE APPROVAL OF THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE.

The Ministry of Education (hereinafter referred to as "the Ministry") in pursuance of the powers vested in it by Sections 104 and 112 of the Education Act (Northern Ireland), 1947(**a**), and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, with the approval of the Ministry of Finance, hereby makes the following Regulations:

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Further Education (Grant Conditions) Amending Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1961.

2. The existing Regulations hereby amended are the Further Education (Grant Conditions) Regulations, 1958(**b**).

3. For the proviso to Regulation 14(1) there shall be substituted the following:—

"Provided that the requirement as to the number of hours of teaching duties may be modified to such extent and in such circumstances as may be approved by the Ministry".

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Education for Northern Ireland this 17th day of August, nineteen hundred and sixty-one.

(L.S.) *A. C. Williams,*
Secretary.

(a) 1947. c. 3. (b) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1958, No. 124; S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1959, No. 176.