STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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EDUCATION, SCOTLAND

The Further Education (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 1973

Made - - - -	22*nd February* 1973
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Coming into Operation	1*st April* 1973

In exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 2 of the Education (Scotland) Act 1962(**a**) as set out in section 1(1) of the Education (Scotland) Act 1969(**b**), and by sections 19(1), 20(1A)(*b*), 76(1) and 144(5) of the said Act of 1962, as amended by the said Act of 1969, and of all other powers enabling me in that behalf, I hereby make the following regulations:—

Citation, construction and commencement

1.—(1) These regulations may be cited as the Further Education (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 1973, and the Further Education (Scotland) Regulations 1959(**c**) (hereinafter referred to as "the principal regulations"), the Further Education (Scotland) (Amendment) Regulations 1968(**d**) and these regulations shall be construed as one and may be cited together as the Further Education (Scotland) Regulations 1959 to 1973.

(2) These regulations shall come into operation on 1st April 1973.

Amendment of principal regulations

2. In Part I of the principal regulations, after regulation 6, there shall be inserted the following regulation—

"*Cases excepted from requirements of section* 20(1A)(*b*) *of the Act of* 1962

6A. Works falling within any of the following cases shall be excepted from the requirements of section 20(1A)(*b*) of the Education (Scotland) Act 1962, (which requires the written approval of the Secretary of State before the commencement of the works therein specified) that is to say:

(i) works for the erection, extension or alteration of any further education centre, not being a centre as specified in head (ii) of this regulation: provided that the cost of the works shall not exceed £25,000; and

(ii) works for the erection, extension or alteration of any further education centre, being a centre for the provision mainly of facilities for social, cultural or recreational activities, physical education and training or other non-vocational further education: provided that the cost of the works shall not exceed £10,000.

(**a**) 1962 c. 47.
(**b**) 1969 c. 49.
(**c**) S.I. 1959/477 (1959 I, p. 1068).
(**d**) S.I. 1968/1849 (1968 III, p. 4870).

In this regulation the expression "cost", in relation to any works, means the cost of building and does not include any cost incurred in respect of professional fees, furniture or equipment.".

Gordon Campbell,
One of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

St. Andrew's House,
Edinburgh,
22nd February 1973.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Regulations.)

These Regulations further amend the Further Education (Scotland) Regulations 1959 to provide that education authorities may proceed with work on the erection, extension or alteration of further education centres under section 20(1A)(*b*) of the Education (Scotland) Act 1962, without the prior approval of the Secretary of State where the building cost of such work does not exceed £10,000 in the case of non-vocational further education centres and £25,000 in the case of other further education centres.

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