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EDUCATION

Grammar Schools (Admissions, Scholarships and Special Allowances)

REGULATIONS, DATED 24TH JULY 1972, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION UNDER THE EDUCATION ACTS (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1947 TO 1971.

The Ministry of Education, in pursuance of the powers vested in it by Sections 48 and 76 of the Education Act (Northern Ireland) 1947(**a**) and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following Regulations:—

1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Grammar Schools (Admissions, Scholarships and Special Allowances) Amending Regulations 1972.

(2) These Regulations shall come into operation on 1st August 1972.

2. The existing Regulations hereby amended are the Grammar Schools (Admissions, Scholarships and Special Allowances) Regulations 1971(**b**).

3. Under the definition of "Maintenance Allowance" in paragraph (1) of Regulation 2 of the existing Regulations there shall be substituted for sub-paragraph (i) the following sub-paragraph:—

"(i) at age 15 if he attained that age before 1st September 1972;".

4. For the table in paragraph 1 of the Schedule to the existing Regulations there shall be substituted the following table:—

(a) 1947. c. 3.

(b) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1971, No. 259.

"Balance of Parental Income	Incidentals Allowance payable for full year	Maintenance Allowance payable for full year at			
		15 years	16 years	17 years	18 years and over
	£	£	£	£	£
Not exceeding £410	£7·50	110	125	140	165
Exceeding £410 but not exceeding £440	£5·00	105	120	135	160
" £440 " " " £470	£2·50	100	115	130	155
" £470 " " " £490		95	110	125	150
" £490 " " " £510		90	105	120	145
" £510 " " " £530		85	100	115	140
" £530 " " " £550		80	95	110	135
" £550 " " " £570		75	90	105	130
" £570 " " " £590		70	85	100	125
" £590 " " " £610		65	80	95	120
" £610 " " " £630		60	75	90	115
" £630 " " " £650		55	70	85	110
" £650 " " " £670		50	65	80	105
" £670 " " " £690		45	60	75	100
" £690 " " " £710		40	55	70	95
" £710 " " " £730		35	50	65	90
" £730 " " " £750		30	45	60	85
" £750 " " " £770		25	40	55	80
" £770 " " " £790		20	35	50	75
" £790 " " " £810		15	30	45	70
" £810 " " " £830		10	25	40	65
" £830 " " " £850		—	20	35	60
" £850 " " " £870		—	15	30	55
" £870 " " " £890		—	10	25	50
" £890 " " " £910		—	—	20	45
" £910 " " " £930		—	—	15	40
" £930 " " " £950		—	—	10	35
" £950 " " " £970		—	—	—	30
" £970 " " " £990		—	—	—	25
" £990 " " " £1,010		—	—	—	20
" £1,010 " " " £1,030		—	—	—	15
" £1,030 " " " £1,050		—	—	—	10"

5. For paragraph 2(i) of the Schedule to the existing Regulations there shall be substituted:—

"(i) an annual allowance of £90 in respect of each wholly dependent son or daughter other than the pupil for whom an allowance is being determined;".

6. In paragraph 2(ii) of the Schedule to the existing Regulations there shall be inserted after the word "household" the words "other than the pupil for whom an allowance is being determined".

7. Paragraph 3(iii) of the Schedule to the existing Regulations shall be deleted.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Education for Northern Ireland this 24th day of July 1972.

(L.S.)

P. Shea,
Secretary.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These Regulations make provision for the payment at revised rates of Maintenance Allowances in respect of qualified pupils attending grammar schools who are over the upper limit of the compulsory school age and make provision for those pupils who attain the age of 15 before the raising of the school leaving age to 16 on 1st September 1972. They also clarify the position with regard to allowances for other dependent children of the household and delete the requirement to include in the gross parental income the net annual value of house property owned and personally occupied.