EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order increases the amounts to be disregarded under paragraph 3 (which relates to capital assets) and paragraph 5 (which relates to certain kinds of income) of the Second Schedule to the National Assistance Act (Northern Ireland), 1948.

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HOUSING

Re-development Grants

REGULATIONS, DATED 27TH JULY, 1959, MADE BY THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT, WITH THE APPROVAL OF THE MINISTER OF FINANCE, UNDER SECTION THIRTEEN OF THE HOUSING (MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS) AND RENT RESTRICTION LAW (AMENDMENT) ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1956(a).

The Minister of Health and Local Government, with the approval of the Minister of Finance, in exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section thirteen of the Housing (Miscellaneous Provisions) and Rent Restriction Law (Amendment) Act (Northern Ireland), 1956, and of every other power him thereunto enabling, hereby makes the following Regulations:—

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Housing (Re-development Grant) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1959.

2. In these Regulations—

"the Act" means the Housing (Miscellaneous Provisions) and Rent Restriction Law (Amendment) Act (Northern Ireland), 1956;

"the Ministry" means the Ministry of Health and Local Government;

"scheme" means a re-development scheme approved by the Ministry under section ten of the Act;

"net expenses" means the amount by which the approved expenses relating to a re-development scheme exceeds the amount of the receipts relating to that scheme in any financial year, apart from receipts on account of grant;

"approved expenses" means expenses approved by the Ministry.

3. A local authority shall submit to the Ministry after the close of each financial year a claim for re-development grant in respect of each scheme for that year.

4. The Ministry may pay a grant equal to one half of the net expenses relating to the scheme but not exceeding one half of the annual loan charges and, where the net expenses include expenses on land used or intended to be

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used by the local authority as an open space, such further grant not exceeding one quarter of such expenses or loan charge as the Ministry, with the approval of the Ministry of Finance, may determine.

5. The Ministry may, on application made to it, make, at any time during the financial year, an advance on account of the grant estimated to be due to the local authority of an amount equal to ninety per centum of the estimated amount of grant.

Dated this 27th day of July, 1959.

J. L. O. Andrews,
Minister of Health and Local Government.

The Minister of Finance hereby approves the foregoing Regulations.

Dated this 27th day of July, 1959.

Terence O'Neill,
Minister of Finance.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These Regulations prescribe the amount of grant relating to re-development schemes and the time and manner in which it may be paid.