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THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT (FINANCE) REGULATIONS, 1933, DATED THE 6TH DECEMBER, 1933.

1933. No. 124.

WHEREAS the Ministry of Home Affairs (hereinafter referred to as "the Ministry") in exercise of the powers conferred by the Local Government (Rating and Finance) Act (Northern Ireland), 1929, 20 Geo. V. c. 10, and all other powers it thereunto enabling, with the approval of the Ministry of Finance, and after consultation with the Ministry of Education in regard to matters relating to education authorities, upon the 16th day of November, 1929, made Regulations entitled the Local Government (Finance) Regulations, 1929, (hereinafter referred to as "the principal Regulations") :

And whereas under Article 4 (4) of the said Regulations the Ministry has issued certain certificates (hereinafter referred to as "the said certificates") in the form known as Form D.R.2 upon the 1st day of January, 1932 and the 2nd day of January, 1933, relating respectively to the financial years ending on 31st March, 1933 and 31st March, 1934 :

And whereas it is expedient that the principal Regulations shall be amended :

Now, therefore, the Ministry of Home Affairs in exercise of the powers vested in it by the Local Government (Rating and Finance) Act (Northern Ireland) 1929, and of all other powers it thereunto enabling with the approval of the Ministry of Finance hereby makes the following Regulations :—

1. In the said certificates for the words "in respect of the services specified in the second column of the schedule is approved," there shall be deemed to have been substituted the words "will be approved for purposes of supplemental grant," and the sums shown in the fourth column of the schedule as relating to the services specified in the second column shall be deemed to have been shown as one total sum for each of the local authorities or charges shown in the first column of the schedule.

2. Paragraph 4 of Article 4 of the principal Regulations shall be deemed to have been revoked as and from the 1st January, 1932, and the following paragraph shall be deemed to have been substituted therefor as and from said date.

"(4) The Ministry having considered the applications together with the recommendations, if any, of the county council or councils, shall, if it so thinks fit, on or before the 7th day of January, indicate the maximum expenditure which will be approved for purposes of supplemental grant, and the provisional supplemental grant payable thereon."

3. Article 5 of the principal Regulations is hereby revoked and the following Article is hereby substituted therefor :—

"5.—(1) For the purpose of enabling the Ministry to determine the deficiency contribution payable in respect of any year, the Local Government Auditor who audits the accounts of each local authority, other than an urban local authority, shall furnish to the Ministry certificates as to the total net expenditure of the authority in that year. Provided that as respects the year ended 31st March, 1933, such certificates shall not be required and the Ministry may certify the substantive supplemental grant having regard to the net expenditure as shown in the audited abstract of accounts.

(2) The Ministry having regard to the receipts and expenditure shown in the abstract of accounts of the several local authorities and to the Auditor's certificate as aforesaid may where a provisional supplemental grant has been indicated for any local financial year certify a substantive supplemental grant in respect of that year."

4. These Regulations may be cited as the Local Government (Finance) Regulations, 1933, and shall be construed as one with the principal Regulations.

Given under the Seal of the Ministry of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland this sixth day of December, 1933.

(L.S.) *D. L. Clarke,*
Assistant Secretary.

The Ministry of Finance approves of the foregoing Regulations, in witness whereof the official seal of the Ministry has been affixed hereto this ninth day of December, 1933, in the presence of—

(L.S.) *G. C. Duggan,*
Assistant Secretary.

Relieving Officers and Sanitary Sub-Officers.

THE SANITARY SUB-OFFICERS APPOINTMENTS ORDER (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1933, DATED 4TH MAY, 1933.

1933. No. 56.

(Revoked by S.R.O. 1933. No. 121 *infra.*)
