In pursuance of sub-sections (3) (*b*) and (4) of Section 3 of the Intoxicating Liquor Act (Northern Ireland), 1923, as amended by the Intoxicating Liquor (Finance) Act (Northern Ireland), 1925, and by the Exchequer and Financial Provisions (No. 2) Act (Northern Ireland), 1936, the Ministry of Finance hereby determines that the rates at which charges are to be levied in respect of all licences for the sale of intoxicating liquor by retail granted or renewed during the year ending 30th September, 1943, shall be thirteen shillings for each pound sterling of the maximum rates of charge authorised by sub-section (1) of Section 1 of the Intoxicating Liquor (Finance) Act (Northern Ireland), 1925.

Given under the Seal of the Ministry of Finance, this 9th day of July, 1942.

(L.S.) *C. H. Petherick,*
Assistant Secretary.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT FINANCE.

REGULATIONS, DATED 16TH FEBRUARY, 1942, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS UNDER PART II OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT (RATING AND FINANCE) ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1929, AS AMENDED BY THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT (FINANCE) ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1936.

1942. No. 31.

WHEREAS the Ministry of Home Affairs, in pursuance of the provisions of Part II of the Local Government (Rating and Finance) Act (Northern Ireland), 1929, as amended by the Local Government (Finance) Act (Northern Ireland), 1936, made regulations entitled The Local Government (Finance) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1936, (hereinafter referred to as " the principal regulations ") ;

AND WHEREAS the principal regulations have been amended by the Local Government (Finance) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1938, and the Local Government (Finance) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1940 ;

AND WHEREAS it is expedient that the principal regulations should be further amended in manner hereinafter appearing :

NOW, THEREFORE, the Ministry of Home Affairs, in exercise of the powers vested in the Ministry by Part II of the Local Government (Rating and Finance) Act (Northern Ireland), 1929, as amended by the Local Government (Finance) Act (Northern Ireland), 1936, and of all other powers in that behalf enabling the Ministry, hereby makes the following Regulations :—

1.—The following sub-article shall be substituted for sub-article (2) of article 3 of the principal regulations :—

" (2) The deficiency contribution payable to a local authority other than an urban local authority shall be paid in six equal instalments upon the 1st day of April, the 1st day of June, the 1st day of August, the 1st day of October, the 1st day of December and the 1st day of February, but so that there shall not be paid in respect of any local financial year prior to the issue of the certificate of the Local Government Auditor, more than the amount of the standard grant, together with 90 per cent. of the provisional supplemental grant indicated in accordance with the provisions of sub-article (4) of Article 4 of these Regulations."

The following sub-article shall be substituted for sub-article (2) of article 6 of the principal regulations :—

" (2) The deficiency contribution payable to an urban local authority shall be paid in six equal instalments of 15 per cent. upon the 1st day of April, the 1st day of June, the 1st day of August, the 1st day of October, the 1st day of December and the 1st day of February in each local financial year."

3.—The following sub-article shall be substituted for sub-article (3) of article 7 of the principal regulations :—

" The revaluation contribution shall be paid in six equal instalments upon the 1st day of April, the 1st day of June, the 1st day of August, the 1st day of October, the 1st day of December and the 1st day of February, but so that there shall not be paid in respect of any local financial year prior to the issue of the certificate of the Local Government Auditor (Form D.R.3) more than 90 per cent. of the provisional revaluation contribution indicated in accordance with the provisions of sub-article (2)."

4.—The Local Government (Finance) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1940, and Article 2 of the Local Government (Finance) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1938, are hereby revoked.

5.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Local Government (Finance) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1942.

(2) These Regulations shall be construed as one with the Local Government (Finance) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1936 and 1938, and those Regulations and these Regulations may be cited together as the Local Government (Finance) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1936 to 1942.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland this 16th day of February, 1942, in the presence of

(L.S.) *John Dunlop*,
Assistant Secretary.

Approved by the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland this 16th day of February, One thousand nine hundred and forty-two.

(L.S.) *H. Ashton,*
Assistant Secretary.

MALONE TRAINING SCHOOL.

Regulations.

REGULATIONS MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS, WITH THE APPROVAL OF THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE, IN PURSUANCE OF THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 3 (3) OF THE MALONE TRAINING SCHOOL ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1926.

1942. No. 172.

The Ministry of Home Affairs in exercise of the powers vested in it by Section 3 (3) of the Malone Training School Act (Northern Ireland), 1926, (16 & 17 Geo. V. Chapter 22), and with the approval of the Ministry of Finance, hereby makes the following Regulations :—

(1) The contribution payable by the Council of the County or County Borough in accordance with the provisions of sub-section (3) of Section 3 of the above-mentioned statute, towards the expenses of a youthful offender who has been sent to the Reformatory School pursuant to an Order shall, from the first day of April, Nineteen hundred and forty-two, and until varied by any subsequent Order, be at the rate of Seventeen Shillings and Three Pence (17/3) per week during such time as such youthful offender is detained in the Reformatory School ;

(2) Payment of the contribution as aforesaid shall be in arrear, and shall be made half-yearly by the Council of the County or County Borough in respect of the half-years ending 30th September and 31st March, respectively, and shall be made not later than two months from the date of the claim for payment ;

(3) The Regulations made by the Ministry of Home Affairs, dated 26th day of August, 1941, and approved by the Ministry of Finance on the Twenty-ninth day of August in the year One thousand nine hundred and forty-one, are hereby revoked.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Minstry of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland this 13th day of October in the year One thousand nine hundred and forty-two, in the presence of

(L.S.) (Signed) *H. C. Montgomery,*
Assistant Secretary.