1960 No. 309 (S. 11)

The Probation Grant (Deduction) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations, 1960

Made - - - -	*5th February*, 1960
Coming into Operation	*5th February*, 1960

In exercise of the power conferred upon me by subsection (4) of section seventy-five of the Criminal Justice (Scotland) Act, 1949(a), and of all other powers enabling me in that behalf, I hereby, with the consent of the Treasury, make the following Regulations :—

Citation, Commencement and Interpretation

1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Probation Grant (Deduction) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations, 1960, and shall come into operation on the fifth day of February, 1960.

(2) In these Regulations, the expression " the principal Regulations " means the Probation Grant (Deduction) (Scotland) Regulations, 1951(b).

(3) The Interpretation Act, 1889(c), applies to the interpretation of these Regulations as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

2. In paragraph (1) of Regulation 1 of the principal Regulations the definition of " constituent authorities " shall be omitted, and for the definition of " probation expenditure incurred by the Secretary of State " there shall be substituted the following definition:—

" ' probation expenditure ' means expenses incurred by the Secretary of State in the training of probation officers and sums directed by him under subsection (3) of section seventy-five of the Act to be paid towards the expenditure of any body approved by him in the training of probation officers ".

3.—(1) In paragraph (1) of Regulation 2 of the principal Regulations the words " incurred by the Secretary of State " and the words after the words " local authority " shall be omitted.

(2) For paragraph (2) of Regulation 2 of the principal Regulations there shall be substituted the following paragraph :—

" (2) The appropriate fraction referred to in paragraph (1) of this Regulation shall, in relation to a local authority, be the proportion which the annual expenditure of that authority on the probation service bears to the aggregate of the annual expenditure of all local authorities on that service."

(a) 12, 13 & 14 Geo. 6. c. 94. (b) S.I. 1951/344 (1951 II, p. 309).
(c) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63.

4. Regulation 3 of the principal Regulations shall cease to have effect.

John S. Maclay,
One of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

St. Andrew's House,
Edinburgh, 1.

22nd January, 1960.

We consent.

P. E. O. Bryan,
J. D. Gibson-Watt,
Two of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

5th February, 1960.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These Regulations amend the Probation Grant (Deduction) (Scotland) Regulations, 1951, by altering the method of apportioning amongst local authorities the expenditure incurred in training probation officers.

Half of such expenditure is deducted from the probation grant payable to local authorities; the effect of these Regulations will be to provide that this expenditure will be shared between local authorities in proportion to each authority's expenditure on the probation service.