STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1978 No. 1078

HOUSING, ENGLAND AND WALES

The Rent Rebates and Rent Allowances (Students) (England and Wales) Regulations 1978

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Coming into Operation	*1st September* 1978

The Secretary of State for the Environment as respects England and the Secretary of State for Wales as respects Wales, in exercise of the powers conferred on them by section 25(3)(*c*) of the Housing Finance Act 1972**(a)** (added by section 11(7)(*b*) of the Rent Act 1974**(b)**) and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, hereby make the following regulations:—

Citation, commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) These regulations may be cited as the Rent Rebates and Rent Allowances (Students) (England and Wales) Regulations 1978 and shall come into operation on 1st September 1978.

(2) The Interpretation Act 1889**(c)** shall apply for the interpretation of these regulations as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

(3) In these regulations "the principal regulations" means the Rent Rebates and Rent Allowances (Students) (England and Wales) Regulations 1976**(d)** as amended by the Rent Rebates and Rent Allowances (Students) (England and Wales) Regulations 1977**(e)**.

Amendments of the principal regulations

2.—(1) In regulation 2(1) of the principal regulations there shall be substituted for the figure "£7"**(f)** the figure "£7.70".

(2) In regulation 3 of the principal regulations there shall be substituted for the date "31st August 1977"**(f)** the date "31st August 1978".

Peter Shore,
Secretary of State for the Environment.

24th July 1978.

John Morris,
Secretary of State for Wales.

26th July 1978.

(a) 1972 c. 47. **(b)** 1974 c. 51. **(c)** 1889 c. 63. **(d)** S.I. 1976/1242.
(e) S.I. 1977/1290. **(f)** Substituted by regulation 2 of S.I. 1977/1290.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Regulations.)

These Regulations, which apply to England and Wales, amend the Rent Rebates and Rent Allowances (Students) (England and Wales) Regulations 1976 (referred to as "the principal regulations"). The principal regulations were previously amended by the Rent Rebates and Rent Allowances (Students) (England and Wales) Regulations 1977.

These regulations raise from £7 to £7.70 the amount prescribed as the deduction to be made in calculating the rent which is eligible to be met by a rent rebate or a rent allowance under Part II (rent rebates and rent allowances) of the Housing Finance Act 1972, as amended in particular by the Rent Act 1974 and the Housing Rents and Subsidies Act 1975 (c. 6), in the case of tenants who are students in receipt of certain awards or grants from public funds for the purpose of their further full-time education. They come into operation on 1st September 1978.

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