STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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EDUCATION, ENGLAND AND WALES

The State Awards (Amendment) Regulations 1969

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The Secretary of State for Education and Science, in exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 3 of the Education Act 1962(a) as amended by the Secretary of State for Education and Science Order 1964(b), hereby makes the following regulations:—

Citation, commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) These regulations may be cited as the State Awards (Amendment) Regulations 1969 and shall come into operation on 25th April 1969.

(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.

Effect of regulations

2. The State Awards Regulations 1963(d) (in these regulations called "the principal regulations") shall, as respects any course beginning after 31st August 1969 to which these regulations apply, have effect subject to these regulations.

State Bursaries

3. In regulation 2 of the principal regulations the word "and" at the end of paragraph (*a*) shall be omitted and at the end of the regulation there shall be added—

"and

(*c*) State Bursaries, being awards to persons in respect of their attendance at such courses at universities, colleges or other institutions, whether in England or Wales or elsewhere, as are designated under regulation 3."

Courses designated for State Studentships

4. In regulation 3 (1) of the principal regulations—

(*a*) for the expression "Arts and Social Studies" in both places where it occurs there shall be substituted the expression "the Humanities";

(*b*) for sub-paragraph (*a*) there shall be substituted—

"(*a*) at a university or other institution in England or Wales in preparation for a doctorate, a master's degree or a degree of bachelor of letters or of bachelor of philosophy";

and

(*c*) sub-paragraph (*b*) shall be omitted.

(a) 1962 c. 12.
(b) S.I. 1964/490 (1964 I, p. 800).
(c) 1889 c. 63.
(d) S.I. 1963/1223 (1963 II, p. 2035).

Courses designated for State Bursaries

5. In regulation 3 of the principal regulations there shall be added as a new paragraph (3)—

"(3) The courses designated for the purposes of paragraph (*c*) of regulation 2 shall be such full-time courses (not being courses designated for the purposes of paragraph (*a*) of regulation 2), being postgraduate courses or comparable to postgraduate courses, at universities, colleges or other institutions in the United Kingdom, as the Secretary of State may from time to time designate under this paragraph."

Parental contribution

6. In determining the amount of grant to the holder of a State Bursary the Secretary of State may take account of any income of the holder's parent and accordingly the references in the proviso to regulation 6 and in regulation 7(1) of the principal regulations to the holder's dependants shall, in their application to State Bursaries, be construed as including references to his parent.

Given under the Official Seal of the Secretary of State for Education and Science on 15th April 1969.

(L.S.)

Edward Short,
Secretary of State
for Education and Science.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(*This Note is not part of the Regulations.*)

These regulations extend the powers of the Secretary of State for Education and Science to make State Awards so as to include State Bursaries, which will be awarded in respect of postgraduate courses designated under the regulations. Regulation 4 makes minor amendments to the State Awards Regulations 1963.