SCHEDULE
(Regulation 4)

PART I

The order of merit for Group I Exhibitions shall be determined by the addition of the marks obtained in *three* subjects of the examination at advanced level, including at least *two* of the following subjects: English Literature, Ancient History, Modern History, languages other than English.

PART II

The order of merit for Group II Exhibitions shall be determined by the addition of the marks obtained in *three* subjects of the examination at advanced level, including at least *two* of the following subjects: Mathematics: General Course, Pure Mathematics, Applied Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry, Botany *or* Biology, Geography, Geometrical Drawing.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These Regulations, which follow upon the revision with effect from 1957 of the Rules and Programme for the Grammar School Senior Certificate Examination, raise the upper age limit for applicants for State Exhibitions from "under 18 years of age on the first day of March" to "under 19 years of age on the first day of July" in the year in which the award is made, and reduce from four to three the number of subjects in a group of subjects to be counted for the purpose of an award. They also provide for the renewal of an Exhibition for a fourth year where the holder completes his approved course in three years.

Superannuation

RULES, DATED 28TH JUNE, 1957, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION UNDER SECTION 25 OF THE TEACHERS (SUPERANNUATION) ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1950, WITH THE APPROVAL OF THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE.

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The Ministry of Education in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Section 25 of the Teachers (Superannuation) Act (Northern Ireland), 1950, as applied by the Ministries (Transfer of Functions) (Teachers Superannuation) Order, 1951(a), and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, and with the approval of the Minister of Finance, hereby makes the following Rules:—

1. These Rules may be cited as the Teachers Superannuation Amending Rules (Northern Ireland), 1957.

(a) S.R. & O. 1951, No. 162.

2. The existing Rules hereby amended are the Teachers Superannuation Rules, 1951(a).

3. These Rules shall apply to the absence of any married woman teacher who is required to be absent from her school duties without pay under Regulations made on the date hereof under the Education Acts (Northern Ireland), 1947 to 1956.

4. Rule 10 of the existing Rules shall be amended by the addition of the following paragraph:—

"(6) In respect of the absence (of a married woman teacher) to which the Teachers Superannuation Amending Rules (Northern Ireland), 1957, apply, the teacher's contribution shall be paid direct to the Ministry by the teacher within a period of thirty-nine weeks from the first day of such absence and contributions not paid in respect of such teacher within such period shall not be accepted."

5. To Rule 11 of the existing Rules there shall be added the following proviso:—

"Provided that a married woman teacher during an absence to which the Teachers Superannuation Amending Rules (Northern Ireland), 1957 apply shall be deemed to be in service and in receipt of salary at the appropriate full rate notwithstanding that during such absence her salary is not payable."

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Education for Northern Ireland this 28th day of June, 1957, in the presence of

(L.S.) *Leslie Arndell,*
Assistant Secretary

The Ministry of Finance hereby approves of the foregoing Rules.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland this 28th day of June, 1957, in the presence of

(L.S.) *C. J. Bateman,*
Assistant Secretary

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These amending Rules will enable married women teachers who are required to be absent on maternity leave commencing after 31st March, 1958, to obtain full pension credit provided the teacher's contributions are paid within the time prescribed.

(a) S.R. & O. 1951, No. 106.