EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

The Electricity Act, 1947, provides for the payment, by the British Electricity Authority to local authorities whose electricity undertakings were transferred under that Act, of £5,000,000 by way of compensation for the severance of those undertakings. These regulations prescribe the conditions for participation, and the principles and method for dividing the sum among the authorities concerned.

Chief weight, in fixing the amounts which authorities are to receive, is given to the numbers of consumers. But they are also given allowances, based upon the numbers of units generated and sold (excluding bulk sales), and upon their revenue from working. These are equivalent to 12½ per cent. of the total compensation for generation and sale, and 12½ per cent. for revenue from working.

The maximum sum which any authority may receive is limited to £1 for each consumer.

The particulars to be used in determining the amounts payable are those for the year 1946-47, as appearing in the official return of engineering and financial statistics published by His Majesty's Stationery Office.

EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING

The Youth Employment Committees Regulations, 1950

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The Minister of Labour and National Service (hereinafter referred to as "the Minister") by virtue of the powers conferred on him by Sections 1 and 9 of the Employment and Training Act, 1948(**a**), (hereinafter called "the Act"), and of all other powers in that behalf, hereby makes the following Regulations.

Citation, commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Youth Employment Committees Regulations, 1950, and shall come into operation on the twenty-fourth day of July, 1950.

(2) The Interpretation Act, 1889(**b**), applies to the interpretation of these Regulations as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

Appointment of Youth Employment Committees

2. For the purpose of advising him as to the performance of his functions under the Act in relation to persons to whom Part II of the Act applies (that is to say, persons under the age of 18 years and persons over that age who are for the time being attending school) and for the purpose of performing

(a) 11 & 12 Geo. 6. c. 46. (b) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63.

such other duties as are specified in these Regulations, the Minister may appoint for such areas as he may determine (not being areas in respect of which a Local Education Authority has been authorised to undertake functions in relation to those persons under a Scheme approved by the Minister under Section 10 of the Act and for the time being in force) advisory committees to be known as Youth Employment Committees and to be constituted in accordance with Section 9 (2) of the Act and these Regulations.

Duties of Youth Employment Committees

3. Each Youth Employment Committee shall advise the Minister as to the performance in the area in respect of which the Committee is constituted of his functions under the Act in relation to persons to whom Part II of the Act applies and such Committee shall also assist the Minister:—

(i) in making known the facilities offered by the Youth Employment Service established by the Minister under Part II of the Act and in securing the co-operation of all interested parties in the effective operation of the Service;

(ii) in encouraging employers and persons to whom Part II of the Act applies to make use of the facilities provided by the Service;

(iii) in obtaining information as to occupations open to persons to whom Part II of the Act applies;

(iv) in encouraging the development of schemes for the recruitment and training for employment of such persons;

(v) in reviewing from time to time the progress made in their employment by such persons; and

(vi) by advising him upon applications made by or on behalf of persons to whom Part II of the Act applies for any payment, facility or service to be provided by the Minister under Section 3 (4) of the Act in connection with the training of such persons.

Power to appoint sub-commttees

4. A Youth Employment Committee may appoint such sub-committees as it thinks fit to consider and report upon questions referred to them by the Committee, and any such sub-committee may include persons who are not members of the appointing Committee.

Membership of Youth Employment Committees

5.—(1) Every Youth Employment Committee shall include amongst its members:—

(*a*) one or more representatives nominated by each Local Education Authority which functions in the area or any part of the area for which the Committee is appointed;

(*b*) one or more persons as representing teachers in the area for which the Committee is appointed;

(*c*) one or more persons as representing employers in the area for which the Committee is appointed;

(*d*) one or more persons as representing workmen in the area for which the Committee is appointed;

(*e*) one or more other persons with experience and knowledge of the conditions affecting the welfare of persons to whom Part II of the Act applies.

(2) Persons appointed to Youth Employment Committees as representing teachers, employers or workmen, shall be appointed by the Minister after such consultation as he may consider necessary with such organisations representing teachers, employers or workmen, respectively, as he thinks fit.

(3) There shall be appointed to every Youth Employment Committee an equal number of persons representing employers and workmen respectively and the number of persons on the Committee together representing employers and workmen shall constitute not less than one-third of the total membership of the Committee.

(4) The proceedings of a Youth Employment Committee shall not be invalidated by any vacancy in the membership of the Committee or by any defect in the appointment or qualification of any member.

Period of Office

6. Subject to the provisions of Regulation 7 hereof, the term of office of any person appointed to be a member of a Youth Employment Committee shall be for a period of three years or such shorter period as may be specified by the Minister at the time of his appointment, provided that a member appointed to fill a casual vacancy shall hold office for the unexpired term of office of his predecessor.

7.—(1) The Minister may terminate the appointment of any member of any Youth Employment Committee:—

(*a*) if he is of the opinion that a member appointed in a representative capacity has ceased to be so representative; or

(*b*) if in the interests of the Youth Employment Service the Minister is satisfied that it is desirable so to do.

(2) A member of a Youth Employment Committee may resign his office by notice in writing addressed to the Minister.

Persons entitled to attend meetings of Committees

8. H.M. Inspectors of schools, and such officers of the Ministry of Labour and National Service as may be nominated by the Minister for that purpose, shall, although not members, be entitled to attend meetings of any Youth Employment Committee or sub-committee thereof.

Dated this 3rd day of July, 1950.

G. A. Isaacs,
Minister of Labour and National Service.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These Regulations provide for Youth Employment Committees to advise and assist the Minister of Labour and National Service in connection with the Youth Employment Service provided by him under the Employment and Training Act, 1948, in those areas where that service is not being operated by the Local Education Authorities.