



# Regulation of Care (Scotland) Act 2001

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### PART 3

#### THE COUNCIL

##### *Training*

#### **55 Grants and allowances for social service workers' training**

- (1) Subject to subsections (2) to (4) below, the Council may, upon such terms and subject to such conditions as it considers appropriate—
  - (a) make grants; and
  - (b) pay travelling and other allowances,to persons resident in Scotland, in order to secure their education or training in, or education for training in, the work of social service workers.
- (2) The Council shall not make grants or pay allowances under subsection (1) above except for such purposes as the Scottish Ministers may direct.
- (3) The Scottish Ministers may by directions specify terms and conditions subject to which the Council is to make such grants or pay such allowances.
- (4) Without prejudice to the generality of subsections (2) and (3) above, directions under those subsections may specify—
  - (a) the courses for which, and the categories of students to whom, under subsection (1) above, grants may be made and allowances paid;
  - (b) maximum amounts to be spent—
    - (i) on such grants and allowances; and
    - (ii) on such grants and allowances to any individual; and
  - (c) the procedures for accounting for expenditure on such grants and allowances.
- (5) The Council may make grants to organisations providing such courses as are approved by it under section 54(1) of this Act.