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EDUCATION

**Maintenance Allowances (Pupils over Compulsory School Age)
(Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1979**

Made 16th August 1979

Coming into operation 1st September 1979

The Department of Education in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Articles 39(1) and (2)(b) and 125(1) of the Education and Libraries (Northern Ireland) Order 1972(c) and of every other power enabling it in that behalf hereby makes the following Regulations.

Citation and commencement

1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Maintenance Allowances (Pupils over Compulsory School Age) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1979.

(2) These Regulations shall come into operation on 1st September 1979.

Revocation

2. The Maintenance Allowances (Pupils over Compulsory School Age) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1978(d) are hereby revoked.

Amendments

3. The Maintenance Allowances (Pupils over Compulsory School Age) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1973(e) shall be amended as follows:

(a) For paragraph 1 of the Schedule there shall be substituted:

“1. The amount of a maintenance allowance shall be determined in accordance with the following table:

(a) Formerly Ministry: *see* 1973 c. 36 s. 40 and Sch. 5 para. 8(1)

(b) As substituted by S.I. 1978/1040 (N.I. 10); Art. 6(1)

(c) S.I. 1972/1263 (N.I. 12)

(d) S.R. 1978 No. 214 (I, p. 697)

(e) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1973 No. 426 (II, p. 2581)

Balance of Parental Income	Maintenance allowance payable for full year at		
	16 years	17 years	18 years and over
Not exceeding £1,425	£325	£365	£435
Exceeding £1,425 but not exceeding £1,495	£310	£350	£420
Exceeding £1,495 but not exceeding £1,565	£295	£335	£405
Exceeding £1,565 but not exceeding £1,635	£280	£320	£390
Exceeding £1,635 but not exceeding £1,705	£265	£305	£375
Exceeding £1,705 but not exceeding £1,775	£250	£290	£360
Exceeding £1,775 but not exceeding £1,845	£235	£275	£345
Exceeding £1,845 but not exceeding £1,915	£220	£260	£330
Exceeding £1,915 but not exceeding £1,985	£205	£245	£315
Exceeding £1,985 but not exceeding £2,055	£190	£230	£300
Exceeding £2,055 but not exceeding £2,125	£165	£215	£285
Exceeding £2,125 but not exceeding £2,195	£140	£190	£270
Exceeding £2,195 but not exceeding £2,265	£115	£165	£255
Exceeding £2,265 but not exceeding £2,335	£ 90	£140	£240
Exceeding £2,335 but not exceeding £2,405	£ 65	£115	£215
Exceeding £2,405 but not exceeding £2,475	£ 40	£ 90	£190
Exceeding £2,475 but not exceeding £2,545	£ 15	£ 65	£165
Exceeding £2,545 but not exceeding £2,615		£ 40	£140
Exceeding £2,615 but not exceeding £2,685		£ 15	£115
Exceeding £2,685 but not exceeding £2,755			£ 90
Exceeding £2,755 but not exceeding £2,825			£ 65
Exceeding £2,825 but not exceeding £2,895			£ 40
Exceeding £2,895 but not exceeding £2,965			£ 15"

(b) In paragraph 2 of the Schedule—

- (i) for £235 there shall be substituted £295;
- (ii) for £365 (in both places where it occurs) there shall be substituted £440; and
- (iii) for £435 (in both places where it occurs) there shall be substituted £480.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Education for Northern Ireland on 16th August 1979.

(L.S.)

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Senior Assistant Secretary

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These Regulations introduce improved rates of maintenance allowances in respect of pupils over compulsory school age following full-time courses at grant-aided schools or institutions of further education. The Regulations also enlarge the amounts which, in the calculation of these allowances, may be set against gross parental income in respect of other dependants.