
STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

2009 No. 211

**The Further Education (Student Support)
(Eligibility) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2009**

Interpretation

2. In these Regulations—

- “the Order” means the Education (Student Support) (Northern Ireland) Order 1998;
- “the 1997 Order” means the Further Education (Northern Ireland) Order 1997⁽¹⁾;
- “further education” has the meaning assigned by Article 3 of the 1997 Order;
- “the Department” means the Department for Employment and Learning;
- “designated course” means a course designated by regulation 5;
- “higher education” has the meaning assigned by Article 2(2) of the 1997 Order;
- “institution of further education” means an educational establishment which is recognised by the Department as an institution of further education under Article 8 of the 1997 Order;
- “support” means financial support by way of grant made by the Department to an institution of further education pursuant to Regulations made by the Department under Article 3 of the Order.