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**The Legal Aid (Assessment of Resources) (Amendment)
Regulations 1971**

<i>Made</i> - - - - -	13th January 1971
<i>Laid before Parliament</i>	26th January 1971
<i>Coming into Operation</i>	1st February 1971

The Lord Chancellor, in exercise of the powers conferred on him by sections 4 and 12 of the Legal Aid and Advice Act 1949(a), and with the concurrence of the Treasury, hereby makes the following Regulations :—

1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Legal Aid (Assessment of Resources) (Amendment) Regulations 1971 and shall come into operation on 1st February 1971.

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

(3) In these Regulations a regulation referred to by number means a regulation so numbered in the Legal Aid (Assessment of Resources) Regulations 1960(c) as amended(d).

2. For regulation 9(a) there shall be substituted :—

“(a) his disposable income may have increased by an amount greater than £52 or decreased by an amount greater than £26 ; or”.

Dated 12th January 1971.

Hailsham of St. Marylebone, C.

We concur,

Dated 13th January 1971.

V. H. Goodhew,
H. S. P. Monro,
Two of the Lords Commissioners
of Her Majesty's Treasury.

(a) 1949 c. 51. (b) 1889 c. 63. (c) S.I. 1960/1471 (1960 II, p. 1749).
(d) The relevant amending instrument is S.I. 1962/147 (1962 I, p. 115).

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Regulations.)

These Regulations amend the Legal Aid (Assessment of Resources) Regulations 1960 so as to provide for the redetermination of an assisted person's disposable income and maximum contribution when his disposable income has increased by an amount greater than £52 (instead of £26).

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