
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1992 No. 2977

**The National Assistance (Assessment
of Resources) Regulations 1992**

**PART V
STUDENTS**

Interpretation

35. In this Part, unless the context otherwise requires—

“access income” means a payment derived from funds made available by the Secretary of State for the purpose of assisting students in financial difficulties under section 100 of the Education Act 1944⁽¹⁾, sections 131 and 132 of the Education Reform Act 1988⁽²⁾ or section 73 of the Education (Scotland) Act 1980⁽³⁾;

“contribution”, “covenant income” and “education authority” have the meanings prescribed in regulation 61 of the Income Support Regulations⁽⁴⁾ (interpretation);

“grant income” means any income by way of any educational grant or award including any contribution (whether paid by covenant or otherwise), except access income;

“standard maintenance grant” has the meaning prescribed in regulation 61 of the Income Support Regulations;

“student loan” means a loan which is made to a student pursuant to arrangements made under one of the provisions specified in regulation 66A(1) of the Income Support Regulations⁽⁵⁾ (treatment of student loans).

(1) 1944 c. 31.

(2) 1988 c. 40.

(3) 1980 c. 44.

(4) As amended by regulation 14 of S.I. 1988/2022.

(5) Regulation 66A of the Income Support Regulations was inserted by regulation 5(7) of S.I. 1990/1549, and paragraph (1) was amended by regulation 9 of S.I. 1991/236.