

Voluntary Homes

REGULATIONS, DATED 13TH MARCH, 1950, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS UNDER SUB-SECTION (2) OF SECTION NINETY-NINE OF THE CHILDREN AND YOUNG PERSONS ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1950.

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The Ministry of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland (hereinafter referred to as "the Ministry") in pursuance of the powers conferred upon it by sub-section (2) of section ninety-nine of the Children and Young Persons Act (Northern Ireland), 1950, and of all other powers enabling it on that behalf, hereby makes the following Regulations:—

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Children and Young Persons (Voluntary Homes) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1950, and shall come into operation on 1st April, 1950.

2. The particulars set out in the Schedule to these Regulations are hereby prescribed as the particulars which shall accompany any application to the Ministry for the registration of a voluntary home under Part VI of the said Act.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland this 13th day of March, nineteen hundred and fifty in the presence of

(L.S.)

H. C. Montgomery,
Assistant Secretary.

SCHEDULE

- (1) Name and full postal address of the Voluntary Home.....
- (2) (a) Name or organisation or society responsible for the Home
- (b) If a local committee exists, the name and address of
 - (i) the chairman and.....
 - (ii) the secretary.....
- (3) (a) Particulars as to whether the Home is an orphanage, training home, shelter or other type of institution.....
- (b) Usual length of stay in home.....
- (4) Religious denomination of the Home
- (5) Particulars as to any special conditions of admission to the Home
- (6) Name and designation of the person in charge of the Home.....
- (7) Number of staff who are
 - (i) men and
 - (ii) women
- (8) Total number, excluding staff, for whom accommodation is available at present.....

(9) Number of children at present maintained in the Home :—

Age	Under 2	2—4	5—8	9—13	14—16	Over 17	Total
Boys							
Girls							

(10) Number of children at present boarded out from the Home :—

Age	Under 2	2—4	5—8	9—13	14—16	Over 17	Total
Boys							
Girls							

(11) Number of children —

- (a) attending school full-time
 (b) receiving part-time continued education
 (c) receiving vocational training
 (d) at work

	In the Home	Outside the Home
(a)		
(b)		
(c)		
(d)		

(12) Particulars of the extent to which contact is maintained with relatives and friends by means of (i) letters, (ii) visits, (iii) holidays

(13) Particulars as to the arrangements made for after-care in regard to (i) the use made of the local office of the Ministry of Labour and National Insurance or other agency (ii) the type of employment mainly found, and (iii) supervision on leaving the Home

(14) (a) Whether or not there is medical inspection on admission

(b) Particulars as to the regular intervals at which there is subsequent medical inspection

(c) Whether or not records are kept of (i) weights and heights and (ii) general health

(15) Particulars as to the general timetable at the Home, including meal hours and times for recreation on (i) weekdays and (ii) Sundays

(16) Particulars of any uniform clothing worn by the children

NOTE :—

A Voluntary Home is defined in section ninety-eight of the Children and Young Persons Act (N.I.), 1950, as "any home or other institution for the boarding, protection, care and maintenance of poor children or children otherwise in need of help, being a home or other institution supported wholly or partly by voluntary contributions or endowments but not being either—

(a) a school within the meaning of the Education Act (Northern Ireland), 1947; or

(b) an institution within the meaning of the Mental Health Act (Northern Ireland), 1948."