1974. No. 324

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Maintenance Allowances (Pupils over Compulsory School Age)

REGULATIONS, DATED THE 20TH DAY OF DECEMBER 1974, UNDER ARTICLE 39 OF THE EDUCATION AND LIBRARIES (NORTHERN IRELAND) ORDER 1972.

The Department of Education in exercise of the powers conferred upon it by Article 39 of the Education and Libraries (Northern Ireland) Order 1972(a) and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf hereby makes the following regulations:

1.—(1) These regulations may be cited as the Maintenance Allowances (Pupils over Compulsory School Age) Amending Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1974.

(2) The existing regulations hereby amended are the Maintenance Allowances (Pupils over Compulsory School Age) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1973(b).

2. For paragraph 1 of the Schedule to the existing regulations there shall be substituted the following:

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

מ	Delance of parametel income						Maintenance allowance payable for full year at		
Balance of parental income						16 years	17 years	18 years and over	
Not exceeding £550						165	185	220	
Exceeding £550 but not exceeding £590						160	180	215	
,,	£590	"	"	,,	£630	155	175	210	
,,	£630	,,	,,	,,	£670	145	165	205	
,,	£670	,,	,,	,,	£710	135	155	195	
**	£710	,,	,,	,,	£750	125	145	185	
,,	£750	,,	,,	,,	£790	115	.135	175	
,,	£790	,,	,,	,,	£830	105	1.25	165	
,,,	£830	"	,,	"	£870	95	115	155	
,,	£870	,,	,,	"	£910	85	105	145	
,,	£910	,,	,,	,,	£950	75	95	135	
,,	£950	,,	,,	,,	£990	65	85	125	
"	£990	,,	,,	,,	£1,030	55	75	115	
,,	£1,030	,,	,,	,,	£1,070	45	65	105	
,,	£1,070	,,	,,	,,	£1,110	35	55	95	
,,	£1,110	,,	,,	,,	£1,150	25	45	85	
33	£1,150	,,	,,	,,	£1,190	15	35	75	
••	£1,190	,,	,,	,,	£1,230	I —	25	65	
**	£1,230	,,	,,	,,	£1,270	1	15	55	
"	£1,270	,,	,,	**	£1,310	— —		45	
,,	£1,310	,,	,,	"	£1,350			35	
"	£1,350	"	,,	,,	£1,390	ľ	<u> </u>	25	
"	£1,390	,,	,,	,,	£1,430	ŀ		15"	

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3. In paragraph 2 of the Schedule—

- (a) for £90 there shall be substituted £130;
- (b) for £140 (in both places where it occurs) there shall be substituted £200; and
- (c) for £170 (in both places where it occurs) there shall be substituted £240.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Education for Northern Ireland this 20th day of December 1974.

(L.S.)

P. K. McHugh, Assistant Secretary.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These regulations introduce revised rates for the payment of maintenance allowances in respect of pupils over compulsory school age and also make changes in the amounts for dependants allowable against parental income when calculating maintenance allowances.