STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

2002 No. 112

EDUCATION

Students Awards (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2002

Made - - - -	*15th March 2002*
Coming into operation	*8th April 2002*

The Department for Employment and Learning in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Articles 50(1) and (2) and 134(1)(**1**) of the Education and Libraries (Northern Ireland) Order 1986(**2**), and now vested in it(**3**) and of every other power enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following Regulations:

Citation and commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Students Awards (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2002 and shall come into operation on 8th April 2002.

2. The Students Awards Regulations 2001(**4**) shall be amended as provided by Regulation 3.

3.—(1) For paragraph 14(3) of Schedule 6 there shall be substituted—

"(3) The dependants requirement for each week for which a student shall be eligible under paragraph (1) is:

(a) where the academic year begins in the autumn, for the period of 40 weeks beginning on the first day of the first term of the academic year:

(i) for one dependent child, 85 per cent. of the costs of the childcare, subject to a maximum amount of £114·75 per week; or

(ii) for two or more dependent children, 85 per cent. of the costs of the childcare, subject to a maximum amount of £170 per week;

(b) where the academic year begins in the winter, spring or summer, for each week of each term of the academic year and the Christmas and Easter vacations beginning on the first day of the first term of the academic year:

(**1**) As amended by S.I.1993/2810 (N.I.12)Art. 50(1) and Schedule 4 Part II

(**2**) S.I. 1986/594 (N.I. 3): Article 50(1) and (2) was repealed by Article 9 of, and the Schedule to, the Education (Student Support) (Northern Ireland) Order 1998, (S.I. 1998/1760 (N.I. 14)), subject to the transitional and saving provisions in Part II of the Education (Student Support)(Northern Ireland) Order 1998, (S.R. 1998 No. 460 (c. 22))

(**3**) S.R.1999 No. 481 Article 5(b) and Schedule 3 Part II

(**4**) S.R. 2001 No. 298