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NEW TOWNS AND TOWN DEVELOPMENT

Municipal Functions—Compensation

REGULATIONS, DATED 1ST SEPTEMBER 1971, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF DEVELOPMENT UNDER SECTIONS 35(5) AND 43 OF THE NEW TOWNS ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1965.

The Ministry of Development in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Sections 35(5) and 43 of the New Towns Act (Northern Ireland) 1965(a) and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf hereby makes the following regulations:—

Title

1. These regulations may be cited as the New Towns and Town Development (Municipal Functions—Compensation) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1971.

Interpretation

2.—(1) The expressions used in these regulations shall, unless the context otherwise requires, have the meanings assigned to them by the Local Government (Compensation) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1967(b) (hereinafter referred to as "the Local Government Regulations") except the following expressions used in the Local Government Regulations which shall have the meanings hereby respectively assigned to them, that is to say:—

"the Act" means the New Towns Act (Northern Ireland) 1965;

"compensating authority" means the Ministry of Development;

"material date", in relation to any person, means the date of coming into operation of the municipal functions order by virtue of which Section 35(3) or (4) of the Act became applicable to him.

(2) Any reference in the Local Government Regulations to loss of employment or loss or diminution of emoluments or any reference to the like effect shall be construed as a reference to such direct pecuniary loss by the termination of employment as is referred to in Section 35(3) or (4) of the Act or, as the case may be, such diminution of emoluments as is referred to in Section 35(4) of the Act.

Payment of compensation

3. There shall be payable to or in respect of any person to whom Section 35(3) or (4) of the Act is applicable by virtue of the making of a municipal functions order such form or forms of compensation as may be appropriate in accordance with the provisions of the Local Government Regulations and for this purpose the Local Government Regulations shall have effect in relation to any such person subject to the modifications set out in the Schedule.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Development for Northern Ireland this 1st day of September 1971.

(L.S.)

J. A. D. Higgins,
Assistant Secretary.

(a) 1965. c. 13 (N.I.). (b) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1967, No. 337.