EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

Under the existing Regulations a qualified teacher's normal period of probation is six terms. The Amending Regulations provide that where a teacher has followed an approved course of training, the normal period of probation shall be three terms.

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Nursery Schools

REGULATIONS, DATED 19TH JULY 1967, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION UNDER THE EDUCATION ACTS (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1947 TO 1966, WITH THE APPROVAL OF THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE.

The Ministry of Education (hereinafter referred to as "the Ministry") in pursuance of the powers vested in it by Sections 84 and 112 of the Education Act (Northern Ireland) 1947(a) and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, and with the approval of the Ministry of Finance, hereby makes the following Regulations:—

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Nursery Schools Amending Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1967, and shall come into operation on 1st August 1967.

2. The existing Regulations hereby amended are the Nursery Schools Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1948(b).

3. For paragraph (1) of Regulation 18A of the existing Regulations there shall be substituted the following:—

"**18A.**—(1) Subject to the provisions of paragraph (2) a teacher who is recognised under Regulation 15 shall be on probation for an initial period of three terms or such period or periods as the Ministry considers equivalent to three terms. While a teacher is on probation her recognition shall be provisional."

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Education for Northern Ireland this 19th day of July 1967.

(L.S.) *J. M. Benn,*
Secretary.

(a) 1947. c. 3.
(b) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1948, No. 97; 1953, No. 12; 1953, No. 90; 1962, No. 228; 1963, No. 47; 1964, No. 124.