"**18.** A teacher shall not be employed before she attains the age of 20 years or after the 31st July next following the date on which she attains the age of 65 years, except for limited periods in cases where there are special circumstances and the Ministry so approves."

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Education for Northern Ireland this 14th day of March, nineteen hundred and sixty-three.

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

The Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland hereby approves the foregoing Regulations.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland this 14th day of March, nineteen hundred and sixty-three.

(L.S.) *K. R. Shimeld,*
Assistant Secretary.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

The existing Regulations provide that a teacher shall not be employed in a nursery school before attaining the age of eighteen or after attaining the age of sixty-five years.

These Amending Regulations raise the lower age limit for employment to twenty and extend the upper limit to 31st July next following the date on which a teacher attains the age of sixty-five. The Ministry is empowered to approve the employment of teachers for limited periods outside these age limits in special circumstances.

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EDUCATION

Primary Schools (General)

REGULATIONS, DATED 14TH MARCH, 1963, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION UNDER THE EDUCATION ACTS (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1947 TO 1962, 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:—

(a) 1947. c. 3.