(ii) the School shall be open to inspection by Inspectors or other officers of the Ministry at all reasonable times.

4. The amount of grant to be paid to the Committee in respect of each accounting period shall be determined by the Ministry and shall not exceed an amount equal to one-half of the expenditure of the Committee as approved by the Ministry and instalments of grant may be paid during each accounting period without prejudice to subsequent adjustments.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Education for Northern Ireland this 5th day of May, nineteen hundred and sixty.

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

The Ministry of Finance hereby approves of the foregoing Regulations.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland this 5th day of May, nineteen hundred and sixty.

(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.)

These Regulations continue the provision for the payment of grant to the Management Committee of the National Sea Training Schools in respect of the provision of facilities for the instruction of serving seamen.

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NATIONAL INSURANCE

Non-participation—Appeals and References

REGULATIONS, DATED 30TH MAY, 1960, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND NATIONAL INSURANCE UNDER THE NATIONAL INSURANCE ACTS (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1946 TO 1959.

The Ministry of Labour and National Insurance, in exercise of powers conferred by sections 40 and 50 of the National Insurance Act (Northern Ireland), 1946(**a**), and section 12 of the National Insurance Act (Northern Ireland), 1959(**b**), and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following regulations:

(a) 1946. c. 23. (b) 1959. c. 21.

Citation, commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) These regulations, which may be cited as the National Insurance (Non-participation—Appeals and References) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1960, shall come into operation on the 1st July, 1960.

(2) In these regulations—

"the Act" means the National Insurance Act (Northern Ireland), 1946;

"the Act of 1959" means the National Insurance Act (Northern Ireland), 1959;

"the Certificates Regulations" means the National Insurance (Non-participation—Certificates) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1960(a);

"the Ministry" means the Ministry of Labour and National Insurance;

"the adjudicator" means the adjudicator appointed in accordance with sub-section (3) of section 12 of the Act of 1959 for the purposes of Part II thereof;

"the registrar" means an officer appointed in accordance with regulation 2 of the Certificates Regulations;

"Part III question" means a question whether an employment is, under any certificate, to be treated as a non-participating employment in relation to any person or as to the period for which it is to be so treated which is referred to the registrar by the Ministry under Part III of the Certificates Regulations;

and other expressions have the same meanings as in the Act.

Clerk to the adjudicator

2. The Ministry shall appoint a clerk to the adjudicator from among the officers of the Ministry of Labour and National Insurance who shall perform such duties in connection with appeals and references from the registrar under Part II of the Act of 1959 as may be required for the purposes of these regulations.

Notice of appeal or reference to the adjudicator

3.—(1) An appeal by any person mentioned in regulation 13 of the Certificates Regulations against a decision of the registrar shall be brought by giving notice of appeal to the clerk to the adjudicator within one month after the date on which the decision is sent to that person or within such longer period as the adjudicator may for special reasons allow.

(2) A notice of appeal shall be in writing and shall contain a statement of the grounds upon which the appeal is made.

(3) The clerk to the adjudicator shall send copies of the notice of appeal to the registrar and, in the case of a Part III question, to the Ministry, to any person to whom notice was given under regulation 8 of the Certificates Regulations and to any other person to whom the adjudicator directs notice to be given.

(4) Where the registrar refers a question to the adjudicator in accordance with the provisions of the Certificates Regulations notice of such reference shall be given to the employer or, in the case of a Part III question, to the Ministry, to any person to whom notice was given under the said regulation 8 and to any other person to whom the adjudicator directs notice to be given.

(a) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1960, No. 22.