Provided, however, that if the holder of an Exhibition is for any reason absent from his course of study or fails to comply with the directions of the Ministry or the authorities of the university, college or institution, the Ministry may reduce or withhold any payment normally due in respect of the Exhibition.

9. A person who has held an Exhibition may not at any time hold another Exhibition.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Education for Northern Ireland this first day of April, 1958, in the presence of

(L.S.) *A. C. Williams,*
Secretary.

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

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland this first day of April, 1958, in the presence of

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

EXPLANATORY NOTE

These Regulations provide for the award of a number of Exhibitions annually to students who have followed part-time courses in institutions of further education.

Admission of Students to Training Colleges

REGULATIONS, DATED 21ST JULY, 1958, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION UNDER THE EDUCATION ACTS (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1947 TO 1956.

1958. No. 113 **[C]**

The Ministry of Education (hereinafter referred to as "the Ministry") in pursuance of the powers vested in it by Section 59 of the Education Act (Northern Ireland), 1947, (hereinafter referred to as "the Act") and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following Regulations:—

1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the "Admission of Students to Training Colleges Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1958."

(2) These Regulations shall have effect from 1st January, 1959.

2.—(1) In these Regulations the following expressions have the meanings hereby assigned to them, that is to say:

(*a*) "recognised" means recognised by the Ministry for the purpose of the payment of grant;
"general training colleges" means approved training colleges in Northern Ireland which provide courses of general training for primary and secondary teachers;

(*b*) with reference to applications for admission to a general training college "Mature Candidate" means a candidate who is not less than 23 years and not more than 30 years of age on 1st March in the year in which admission is sought and who has been engaged in teaching or in remunerative full-time employment other than teaching, for at least two years; and "Ordinary Candidate" means a candidate who is not less than 17 years and not more than 21 years of age on 1st March in the year in which admission is sought:

Provided that in the case of a university graduate, who is not a Mature Candidate, the upper limit of age may be extended at the discretion of the Ministry.

(2) In these Regulations, any expression which refers to candidates for, or subjects or results of, the Ministry's Grammar School Senior Certificate Examination, shall have the same meaning as in the Rules and Programme of the Ministry governing that examination.

3. Subject to the provisions of these Regulations—

(1) Candidates for admission to the general training colleges shall be required to fulfil the conditions in Part I, Part II or Part III of the Schedule.

(2) Candidates for admission to the Ulster College of Physical Education shall be required to fulfil the conditions in Part IV of the Schedule.

4. The number of candidates to be admitted each year to each training college shall be determined by the Ministry after consultation with the Principal of the college.

5. A candidate for admission to a course of training shall make application in such form and, in any year, by such date as the Ministry may determine and in connection with the application shall pay any fee prescribed and shall furnish the Ministry with such information as it may require.

6. Nothing in these Regulations shall be regarded as extending the latest dates of application for admission to the Ministry's Grammar School Senior Certificate Examination.

7. Candidates shall be required, as a condition of admission to training, to sign an undertaking that on completion of the course of training they will without undue delay seek employment as teachers in recognised schools in Northern Ireland and will serve as teachers in such schools for a period of at least two years.

8. When applying for admission to training candidates must furnish the names and addresses of two persons to whom reference