(2) Notwithstanding the revocation of these Regulations the holder of a State Exhibition awarded under them may continue to hold the Exhibition as if the Regulations had not been revoked.

12. The Interpretation Act, 1889, shall apply for the purpose of the interpretation of these Regulations as it applies for the purpose of the interpretation of an Act of the Parliament of Northern Ireland.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Education for Northern Ireland this 24th day of June, 1953, in the presence of

(L.S.) *J. A. Glen,*
Assistant 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 24th day of June, 1953, in the presence of

(L.S.) *Thom McCrea,*
Assistant Secretary.

SCHEDULE

(Regulation 4)

Part I. The order of merit for Group I Exhibitions shall be determined by the addition of the marks obtained in four Advanced subjects of the examination including at least three of the following subjects : English Literature, Ancient History, Modern History, languages other than English.

Part II. The order of merit for Group II Exhibitions shall be determined by the addition of the marks obtained in four Advanced subjects of the examination including at least three of the following subjects : Algebra and Trigonometry, Calculus, Geometry, Mechanics, Physics, Chemistry, Botany or Biology, Geography, Domestic Science, Geometrical Drawing.

Teachers' Salaries and Allowances : Compensation Grants

REGULATIONS, DATED 3RD JULY, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION AFTER CONSULTATION WITH THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE, UNDER THE EDUCATION ACTS (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1947 TO 1953.

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The Ministry of Education (hereinafter referred to as " the Ministry ") in exercise of the powers conferred upon it by Sections 83 and 112 of the Education Act (Northern Ireland), 1947, (hereinafter referred to as " the Act ") and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf and after consultation with the Ministry of Finance, hereby makes the following Regulations :—

1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Teachers' Salaries and Allowances (Compensation Grants) Regulations, 1953.

(2) These Regulations shall come into operation on the date hereof.

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

" allowance " means an annual allowance (other than salary or an allowance payable in respect of a university degree or other qualification) payable to a teacher under the Regulations applicable to his salary, by virtue of his being employed in a school as principal, vice-principal or the holder of a post of special responsibility :

" compensation grant " means an annual grant awarded to a teacher under the provisions of these Regulations :

" recognised " means recognised by the Ministry :

" school " means a grant-aided school :

" teacher " means a person who, with the approval of the Ministry, is employed on the teaching staff of a school in a post for which he possesses qualifications for permanent recognition.

(2) Other expressions to which meanings have been assigned by the Act shall, for the purpose of these Regulations, have the same respective meanings.

3. Where a primary school (other than a nursery school) is discontinued or where the number of pupils enrolled in such a school has been reduced and it appears to the Ministry that as a result thereof an allowance payable to any teacher employed in the school is or will be due to be discontinued or reduced under the provisions of the Regulations applicable to the salary of that teacher, the Ministry shall consider whether the discontinuance of the said school or the reduction of the number of pupils enrolled therein, as the case may be, has been directly caused by the reorganisation of the educational facilities in the district normally served by the school (hereinafter referred to as " reorganisation ").

4. If it appears to the Ministry that the discontinuance of the school or the reduction of the number of pupils enrolled in it has been directly caused by reorganisation the Ministry shall determine :—

(*a*) the date (hereinafter referred to as the " appropriate date ") upon which such reorganisation took place ;

(*b*) the normal enrolment of the school, that is to say—

(i) the maximum number of pupils for which, in the opinion of the Ministry, the school could normally be expected to provide education ; or

(ii) the average daily enrolment of pupils in the school during the year ended 31st December immediately