Voluntary Grammar Schools Building etc. Grant Amending Regulations

REGULATIONS DATED 12TH FEBRUARY, 1953, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION WITH THE APPROVAL OF THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE UNDER THE EDUCATION ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1947.

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The Ministry of Education (hereinafter referred to as " the Ministry ") in exercise of the powers conferred upon it by sections 43 and 104 and by sub-section (3) of section 106 of the Education Act (Northern Ireland), 1947, (hereinafter referred to as " the Act ") 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.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Voluntary Grammar Schools Building etc. Grant Amending Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1953.

(2) These Regulations shall come into operation on 1st March, 1953.

2. The existing Regulations hereby amended are the Voluntary Grammar Schools Buildings etc. Grant Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1951 (a).

3. In paragraph (1) of Regulation 2 of the existing Regulations for the definition of " equipment " there shall be substituted the following definition :

' " equipment " means the initial supply of such equipment relating to the provision of a new school or the alteration of an existing school as may be approved, but does not include equipment required in connection with a school meals service '.

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

" (1) The Ministry may, subject to and in accordance with the provisions of these Regulations, pay grant towards approved expenditure incurred on or in connection with the provision and equipment of new voluntary grammar schools or the alteration and equipment of existing voluntary grammar schools :

Provided that the Ministry shall not pay grants towards expenditure incurred on or in connection with the alteration and equipment of a Group B school except where the Ministry is satisfied —

(*a*) that the expenditure was incurred by the managers of the school before the first day of May, nineteen hundred and fifty, or that the managers had before that date entered into a binding contract to defray such expenditure ; or

(a) S. R. & O., 1951, No. 199.