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STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

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**2022 No. 75**

**The Education (Student Support, etc.)  
(Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2022**

**PART 2**

**CHAPTER 1**

Removal of old system students and college fee loan provisions

**Amendments to the 2009 Regulations**

- 3.** In regulation 2 (interpretation)
  - (a) in paragraph (1)
    - (i) in the definition of “current system student”, omit paragraph (a) together with the “and” at the end;
    - (ii) omit the following definitions—
      - (aa) “college fee loan”;
      - (bb) “fee contribution loan”;
      - (cc) “gap year student”;
      - (dd) “old system student”;
      - (ee) “qualifying student”;
    - (iii) in the definition of “fees” omit “college fees and”;
    - (iv) in the definition of “fee support” omit “, a fee contribution loan”;
  - (b) omit paragraph (4);
  - (c) omit paragraphs (6) to (9).
- 4.** In regulation 4 (revocations, savings and transitional provisions), omit paragraphs (4) and (5).
- 5.** In regulation 10(2)(1) (time limits)—
  - (a) in sub-paragraph (b)—
    - (i) omit “, a fee contribution loan”;
    - (ii) omit “or a college fee loan”;
    - (iii) for “, an additional amount of fee contribution loan under regulation 36(5),” substitute “or”;
    - (iv) omit “or an additional amount of college fee loan under regulation 85(2)”;
  - (b) in sub-paragraph (c) omit “an additional amount of fee contribution loan under regulation 36(3),”.

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(1) Sub-paragraph (b) of regulation 10(2) was substituted by [S.R. 2013 No. 128](#).

6. In Part 4 (fee support) omit—
  - (a) regulation 16 (old system students);
  - (b) regulations 26 to 34 (grants for old system students);
  - (c) regulations 35 and 36 (fee contribution loans for old system students).
7. In Part 5 (grants for living and other costs) omit—
  - (a) regulation 38 (old system students); and
  - (b) regulation 61 (qualifying conditions and amounts of the higher education bursary).
8. In Part 6 (loans for living costs)—
  - (a) in regulation 62 (interpretation of Part 6) omit paragraph (b);
  - (b) omit regulation 64 (qualifying conditions for the loan for living costs – old system students);
  - (c) in regulation 65 (general) in paragraph (1) omit sub-paragraph (b);
  - (d) omit regulation 68 (old system students with full entitlement);
  - (e) in regulation 69 (students with reduced entitlement)
    - (i) omit sub-paragraph (1)(d);
    - (ii) omit sub-paragraph (2)(d);
  - (f) in regulation 76 (deductions from loans for living costs), in paragraph (1), omit “or an old system student with full entitlement”.
9. Omit Part 7 (college fee loans).
10. In Part 8 (financial assessment)—
  - (a) omit regulation 89 (application of contribution – old system students)
  - (b) in regulation 91 (minimum level of loan for living costs)—
    - (i) omit paragraphs (3) and (4);
    - (ii) in paragraph (5) for “(1) to (4)” substitute “(1) or (2)”;
    - (iii) in paragraph (6) for “(1), (2), (3) or (4)” substitute “(1) or (2)”.
11. In Part 9 (payments)—
  - (a) in regulation 96 (general)—
    - (i) omit paragraph (ab);
    - (ii) omit paragraph (b);
  - (b) omit regulation 99A (payment of fee contribution loans);
  - (c) omit regulation 100 (payment of college fee loans);
  - (d) omit regulation 103 (overpayments of college fee loan).
12. In Schedule 5 (financial assessment)—
  - (a) omit paragraph 8 (calculation of contribution – old system);
  - (b) in paragraph 9(5)(a) omit “(other than old system students)”.