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PART V

PRE-SCHOOL EDUCATION

CHAPTER I

PROVISION OF PRE-SCHOOL EDUCATION

Grants in respect of pre-school education

- **18.**—(1) Subject to the following provisions of this Article, a board may make grants to any person in respect of pre-school education provided by that person.
- (2) A board shall not make a grant to a person under paragraph (1) unless that person complies with such requirements as are specified by the Department.
 - (3) Grants under paragraph (1) shall be of such amount as the Department may determine.
 - (4) Grants under paragraph (1)—
 - (a) shall be paid at such times and in such manner; and
 - (b) shall be subject to such conditions, as the board may determine.
 - (5) Conditions imposed under paragraph (4)(b)—
 - (a) may be imposed on, or at any time after, the making of any grant by reference to which they are imposed;
 - (b) may at any time be varied, waived or revoked; and
 - (c) may, in particular, require repayment of the whole or any part of the grant to which they relate in such circumstances as are specified in the conditions.