

## 1976 No. 16

## LOCAL GOVERNMENT

Local Government (Payments to Councillors) Regulations  
(Northern Ireland) 1976

Made . . . . . 20th January 1976

Coming into operation . . . . . 27th February 1976

The Department of Housing, Local Government and Planning(a) in exercise of the powers conferred on it by section 36 of the Local Government Act (Northern Ireland) 1972(b) and of every other power enabling it in that behalf and with the approval of the Department of Finance hereby makes the following regulations:

*Citation and Commencement*

1. These regulations may be cited as the Local Government (Payments to Councillors) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1976 and shall come into operation on 27th February 1976.

*Increase in the rates of financial loss allowances*

2. In regulation 3(2) of the Local Government (Payments to Councillors) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1973(c) (which regulation prescribes the rates of financial loss allowances payable to committee members) for the table there shall be substituted the following:

TABLE

<i>Period</i> (Column 1)	<i>Amount</i> (Column 2)
1. Not more than 4 hours . . . . .	£4.00
2. More than 4 hours . . . . .	£8.00

*Revocation*

3. The Local Government (Payments to Councillors) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1974(d), regulation 7 of the Local Government (Traveling and Subsistence Allowances to Councillors) (No. 2) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1973(e) and regulation 6 of the Local Government (Payments to Councillors) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1973 are hereby revoked.

(a) Formerly the Ministry of Development: see S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1973 No. 504 Art. 7 (II, p. 2992) and 1973 c. 36 Sch. 5 para. 8(1)

(b) 1972 c. 9 (N.I.)

(c) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1973 No. 443 (II, p. 2635)

(d) S.R. 1974 No. 304

(e) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1973 No. 366 (II, p. 2068)

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Housing, Local Government and Planning for Northern Ireland on 20th January 1976.

(L.S.)

J. F. Younger  
Assistant Secretary

The Department of Finance hereby approves the foregoing regulations.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Finance for Northern Ireland on 20th January 1976.

(L.S.)

C. F. Darling  
Assistant Secretary

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#### EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This note is not part of the regulations but is intended to indicate their general purport.)*

These regulations increase the rates of financial loss allowances payable to committee members of district councils and joint committees and remove the time limit for the submission of claims for attendance, financial loss, travelling and subsistence allowances payable to councillors and committee members of district councils.

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This Order has been exempted from printing by the Statutory Rules Act (Northern Ireland) 1958. A summary is given in the List of Statutory Rules and Orders of a Local Character under the heading ROAD TRAFFIC AND VEHICLES.