

bonus, the Governing Body may if it so decides pay War Bonus at a rate which shall not exceed the difference between the rate of salary of the teacher plus war bonus and his rate of war service pay.

7.—These Regulations shall henceforth be construed with and as forming part of the Principal Regulations.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Education for Northern Ireland this 19th day of February, 1943, in the presence of

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R. S. Brownell,
Secretary.

REGULATIONS, DATED 5TH MAY, 1943, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION, NORTHERN IRELAND, UNDER THE EDUCATION ACTS (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1923 TO 1940, AFTER CONSULTATION WITH THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE.

1943. No. 68.

1.—These Regulations may be cited as “The Regulations for Secondary Teachers, Northern Ireland, 1937, No. 2 Amending Regulations, No. 5, 1943.”

2.—The Regulations for Secondary Teachers, Northern Ireland, 1937, No. 2 (Statutory Rules and Orders of Northern Ireland, 1937, No. 89), hereinafter called the Principal Regulations, are hereby amended as follows :—

3.—Regulation 1 (*f*) of the Principal Regulations is hereby repealed and the following Regulation substituted therefor :—

1. (*f*) A “recognized class” is a class of one or more pupils receiving instruction in a subject recognized for the purposes of grants from the Ministry.

4.—Regulation 1 (*g*) of the Principal Regulations is hereby repealed and the following Regulation substituted therefor :—

1. (*g*) A “full-time teacher” is either a principal or subject to Article 8 hereof, a teacher who is employed in teaching duties by a single governing body (or holding a joint appointment under Article 47 hereof) for at least 18 hours per week, of which not less than 16 hours per week shall be spent in giving instruction to recognised classes which are subject to inspection by inspectors or other officers of the Ministry; provided that if a teacher gives instruction to such recognised classes for at least 10 hours per week and

also performs approved duties of a secretarial or administrative character in connection with one or more recognised preparatory, intermediate or secondary schools, half the period spent by him weekly in such secretarial or administrative duties may be reckoned as time spent in teaching recognised classes for the purpose of this definition.

5.—Regulation 8 of the Principal Regulations is hereby repealed and the following Regulation substituted therefor:—

8. Where a part-time teacher is employed in teaching duties for limited periods for more than 18 hours per week the Ministry may at its discretion decide that he is not to be considered as a full-time teacher for any part of the year.

6.—Regulation 26 of the Principal Regulations is hereby amended by the addition of the following sub-section after sub-section (d) :—

(dd) If the principalship of a school is vacant or if the Principal is absent on leave without pay the Ministry may, in such circumstances as appear to it adequate, approve of the temporary appointment of an Acting-Principal. In such cases the Governing Body may pay Governors' Grant to the Acting-Principal at such rate, being not greater than that prescribed under sub-section (b) of this Regulation, as the Governors may with the approval of the Ministry decide.

7.—Regulation 49 (a) of the Principal Regulations is hereby repealed and the following Regulation substituted therefor :—

49. (a) A teacher who is employed by a governing body in teaching recognised preparatory, intermediate or secondary classes under its own control and is also engaged in teaching other recognised classes may, if the governing body so desires, be regarded as a full-time secondary or preparatory teacher as the case may be so long as the total period of his teaching duties would entitle him to be regarded as a full-time teacher.

8.—These Regulations shall come into operation and have effect as from 1st August, 1942, after which date they shall be read with and as forming part of the Principal Regulations.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Education for Northern Ireland this 5th day of May, 1943, in the presence of

R. S. Brownell,
Secretary.

(L.S.)