Ministry may determine to be appropriate, having regard to the standard poor rates or standard rates, as the case may be, applicable to the hereditaments in the areas forming the area of the new local authority.

5. Adjustments shall be made to the basic rural contribution for a rural district or to the basic urban contribution for the area of a county or other borough or urban district and to the amount of the approved net expenditure in respect of the initial financial year of the council of that district or area in consequence of an alteration in the boundary of any such district or area in such manner as the Ministry may determine to be appropriate on a net annual value basis. On the constitution of a new local authority, the basic urban or rural contribution for the area of that authority and the approved net expenditure in the initial financial year of that authority shall be such amounts as the Ministry may determine to be appropriate on a net annual value basis.

J. R. Walker, Assistant Secretary.

Procedure of Councils

ORDER DATED 8TH MARCH, 1949, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE UNDER SECTION 3 OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT (ROADS) ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1923.

1949. No. 39

The Ministry of Commerce in exercise of the powers vested in it by the Local Government (Roads) Act (Northern Ireland), 1923, the Ministries Act (Northern Ireland), 1944, and the Ministries (Transfer of Functions) (No. 3) Order, 1944, and all other powers thereunto enabling it to make regulations respecting the procedure of county and district councils in connection with their business under the Local Government (Ireland) Act, 1898, and any other enactments in relation to roads and other public works, or in connection with any similar business transferred by law to those councils from presentment sessions and grand juries, and by such regulations to annul and vary the Local Government (Procedure of Councils) Order, 1899, or any provision thereof, hereby makes the following Order :--

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Health and Local Government for Northern Ireland this twenty-fourth day of February, One thousand nine hundred and fortynine, in the presence of

MALONE TRAINING SCHOOL

(1) The Local Government (Procedure of Councils) Order, 1899, as amended by the Local Government (Procedure of Councils) Order, 1901, by the Local Government (Procedure of Councils) Order, 1905, by the Local Government (Procedure of Councils) (Northern Ireland) Order, 1924, and by the Local Government (Procedure of Councils) (Northern Ireland) (No. 2) Order, 1924, (which Order so amended is hereinafter referred to as "the amended Order") shall be varied so that the following provisions shall take effect :—

The Proviso to Article 6 of the amended Order is hereby annulled and the following proviso substituted therefor :---

Provided that an application relating to any of the works specified in Section 56 of the Grand Juries (Ireland) Act, 1836, in so far as they do not relate to any road classified under Section 15 of the Roads Act (Northern Ireland), 1948, shall, notwithstanding that the cost of the work is intended to be a county-at-large charge, be made to the Council of the district in which the work is locally situate.

(2) This Order may be cited as the Local Government (Procedure of Councils) (Northern Ireland) Order, 1949, and shall be construed as one with the amended Order.

Given under the Seal of the Ministry of Commerce for Northern Ireland this eighth day of March, 1949.

(L.S.)

Arthur Acheson Farrell,

Assistant Secretary.

MALONE TRAINING SCHOOL

Contributions of County Councils

REGULATIONS, DATED 25TH NOVEMBER, 1949, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS, WITH THE APPROVAL OF THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE, UNDER SUB-SECTION (3) OF SECTION THREE OF THE MALONE TRAINING SCHOOL ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1926.

1949. No. 200

The Ministry of Home Affairs in exercise of the powers vested in it by sub-section (3) of Section Three of the Malone Training School Act (Northern Ireland), 1926, with the approval of the Ministry of Finance, hereby makes the following Regulations :—

1. The contribution payable by the council of a county or county borough under the said sub-section in respect of a youthful offender in the Reformatory School referred to in that sub-section during any period or periods occurring after the thirty-first day of March, nineteen hundred and forty-nine, and before the first day of April, nineteen