

by the Ministry, and shall be audited by such Local Government Auditor as may from time to time be appointed by the Ministry for that purpose.

(2) The Secretary of the Tribunal shall, within seven days from the completion of the audit, forward to the Ministry an abstract of the accounts of the Tribunal duly certified by the said Local Government auditor and forward to the council of each county and county borough a copy of the said abstract.

3. Any expenses incurred by the Tribunal in pursuance of the Act shall be defrayed out of a common fund to be contributed to by the councils of counties and county boroughs in proportion to the net annual valuations of their areas according to the valuation list in force for the time being. <sup>Expenses and apportionment.</sup>

4.—(1) The Tribunal shall issue its precept to the council of each county and county borough stating the sum to be contributed by it and requiring such council, within a time limited by the precept, to pay the sums therein mentioned to the Tribunal or to such person as the Tribunal may direct. <sup>Payments by councils.</sup>

(2) The Tribunal shall, at the same time as it issues the precept referred to in paragraph (1) of this article, furnish to the council of each county and county borough a copy of the estimate of the expenditure of the Tribunal in respect of the period referred to in the precept.

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

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*J. E. Pittaway,*

Assistant Secretary.

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### Welfare Authorities

#### Minimum Weekly Charges for Residential Accommodation

REGULATIONS, DATED 7TH MAY, 1949, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNDER SECTION FIVE OF THE WELFARE SERVICES ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1949.

1949. No. 76

The Ministry of Health and Local Government, in exercise of the powers conferred upon it by section five of the Welfare Services Act (Northern Ireland), 1949, hereby makes the following regulations:—

1. These regulations may be cited as the Welfare Authorities (Charges for Residential Accommodation) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1949.

2. The Interpretation Act, 1921, shall apply for the purpose of the interpretation of these regulations in like manner as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of the Parliament of Northern Ireland.

3. The minimum charge which a person shall be liable to pay for accommodation provided by or on behalf of a Welfare Authority, for the purposes of sub-section (3) of section five of the Welfare Services Act (Northern Ireland), 1949, shall be twenty-one shillings per week.

4. Where accommodation is provided for a child accompanied by a person over the age of sixteen, the minimum charge which that person shall be liable to pay for the accommodation of that child shall be such one of the following sums as is appropriate :—

- (a) in respect of a child under five years of age, the sum of seven shillings and sixpence per week ;
- (b) in respect of a child aged five years or over but less than eleven years, the sum of nine shillings per week ;
- (c) in respect of a child aged eleven years or over but less than sixteen years, the sum of ten shillings and sixpence per week.

5. These regulations shall come into operation on the first day of June, 1949.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Health and Local Government for Northern Ireland this seventh day of May, One thousand nine hundred and forty-nine in the presence of

(L.S.)

J. E. Pittaway,

Assistant Secretary.

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### Compulsory Acquisition of Land

REGULATIONS DATED 28TH APRIL, 1949, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE UNDER THE ROADS ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1948.

1949. No. 71

The Ministry of Commerce (hereinafter referred to as 'the Ministry') in pursuance of the powers vested in it by the Roads Act (Northern Ireland), 1948, (hereinafter referred to as 'the Act') and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following regulations :—