

counted in any one calendar week from Sunday to Saturday inclusive : provided that in exceptional circumstances the Ministry may sanction an alteration of this number upon application made by a Principal or other approved authority of the school ; and ”

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Education for Northern Ireland this 29th day of January, 1953, in the presence of

(L.S.) *R. S. Brownell,*
Secretary.

The Ministry of Finance hereby approves of the foregoing Regulations.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland this 29th day of January, 1953, in the presence of

(L.S.) *G. N. Cox,*
Assistant Secretary.

Intermediate School (Grant Conditions)

REGULATIONS, DATED 12TH JANUARY, 1953, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION UNDER THE EDUCATION ACTS (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1947 TO 1952, WITH THE APPROVAL OF THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE.

1953. No. 9

The Ministry of Education in pursuance of the powers vested in it by Sections 104 and 112 of the Education Act (Northern Ireland), 1947, and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, with the approval of the Ministry of Finance, hereby makes the following Regulations :—

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Intermediate School (Grant Conditions) Amending Regulations, 1953.

2. The existing Regulations hereby amended are the Intermediate School (Grant Conditions) Regulations, 1948 (a), as amended by the Intermediate School (Grant Conditions) Amending Regulations, 1948 (b), 1949 (c), 1950 (d), and 1952 (e).

3. For Regulation 8 of the existing Regulations there shall be substituted the following :—

(a) S. R. and O., 1948, No. 44.
(b) S. R. and O., 1948, No. 320.
(c) S. R. and O., 1949, No. 175.

(d) S. R. and O., 1950, Nos. 71, 95 and 211.
(e) S. R. and O., 1952, No. 136.

“ 8. A school shall be open during the school year for at least 187 days (exclusive of Sundays) of which not more than five days may be counted in any one calendar week from Sunday to Saturday inclusive :

Provided that, in exceptional circumstances, the Ministry may sanction a reduction of this number upon application made by the school authorities.”

This Regulation shall come into operation on the first day of August, 1953.

4. Regulation 13 of the existing Regulations is hereby amended to read as if for the proviso contained in the said Regulation there were substituted the following proviso :—

“ Provided that a teacher who does not possess the necessary qualifications, but who has successfully completed a course of training at a training college approved by the Ministry, and —

(a) who has pursued successfully an approved course or approved courses extending over less than one academic session in one or more of the subjects of Group B of the said Schedule ; or

(b) who, on the day immediately preceding the day on which any primary school was superseded in whole or in part by an intermediate school, was serving (otherwise than as *locum tenens*, temporary or substitute teacher) on the staff of the said primary school and had been so serving for a period of not less than six months and who is transferred to the said intermediate school on or before 1st January, 1954,

may be regarded as eligible for appointment subject to such conditions as the Ministry may determine.”

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Education for Northern Ireland this 12th day of January, 1953, in the presence of

(L.S.)

R. S. Brownell,
Secretary.

The Ministry of Finance hereby approves of the foregoing Regulations, in witness whereof the Seal of the Ministry has been fixed thereto this 13th day of January, 1953, in the presence of

(L.S.)

Thom McCrea,
Assistant Secretary.