(6) The allowances specified in paragraph (2) shall not be payable in the case of any teacher who elects to be treated under the provisions of paragraph (3).

(7) An option which has been exercised or was deemed to have been exercised under the Grammar School (Salaries and Allowances of Teachers) Regulations, 1951, or the Salaries of Teachers (Special Provisions) Regulations, 1952, shall be deemed to have been exercised for the purposes of this Regulation.

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10. The minimum rates of salary for full-time unqualified teachers employed in a temporary capacity shall be, in the case of men, £260 per annum, and in the case of women, £222 per annum.

11. In any case where a teacher receives free board or free lodging or both free board and free lodging as part of his remuneration, a deduction may be made by the school authorities from the salary payable to him under these Regulations at a rate not exceeding £50 per annum in lieu of such board or lodging or board and lodging, as the case may be.

12.—(1) The Interpretation Act, 1889, applies to the interpretation of these Regulations as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament of Northern Ireland.

(2) If any question arises as to the interpretation of these Regulations, or as to whether any of the requirements thereof are fulfilled or as to the amount of salary payable thereunder, the decision of the Ministry shall be final.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Education for Northern Ireland this 1st day of April, 1954, in the presence of

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J. A. Glen,

Assistant Secretary.

Handicapped Pupils and Special Schools

REGULATIONS, DATED 1ST APRIL, 1954, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION UNDER THE EDUCATION ACTS (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1947 TO 1953 WITH THE APPROVAL OF THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE.

1954. No. 56

The Ministry of Education (hereinafter referred to as "the Ministry") in pursuance of the powers vested in it by Sections 29, 30, 104 and 106 of the Education Act (Northern Ireland), 1947, and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, and with the approval of the Ministry of Finance, hereby makes the following Regulations:

Handicapped Pupils and Special Schools

1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Handicapped Pupils and Special Schools (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1954.

(2) These Regulations shall have effect as from 1st April, 1954.

2. The existing Regulations hereby amended are the Handicapped Pupils and Special Schools Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1948, (a) as amended by the Handicapped Pupils and Special Schools (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1951, (b) and (c), 1952 (d) and 1953 (e).

3. Paragraph (1) of Regulation 34 of the existing Regulations is hereby amended by the addition of the following:

"Provided that for the purpose of calculating the rates of special schools allowance no increment on a salary scale shall be reckoned to exceed £20".

4. The following paragraph shall be added to Regulation 34 of the existing Regulations: -

(3) A vice-principal may be recognised in a Class A school in which the average enrolment is at least 70 and in a Class B school in which the average enrolment is at least 120; the annual rate of the vice-principal's allowance shall be an amount equal to one-quarter of the Principal's Allowance payable to the principal teacher of the school in accordance with the provisions of Part II of Schedule II to these Regulations.

5. For Part II of Schedule II to the existing Regulations there shall be substituted the following:—

Part II--Principal's Allowance for the purpose of Regulation 34(2).

For special schools with an average daily enrolment:---

	Class A Schools	Class B Schools	Ċlass C Schools
Not exceeding 30 pupils	£90	£75	£65
Exceeding 30 pupils but not exceeding 70.	£ 125	£90	.` £80
Exceeding 70 pupils but not exceeding 120.	£170	£125	£115
Exceeding 120 pupils but not exceeding 200.	£220	£170	£160
Exceeding 200 pupils	£260	£220	£210

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Education for Northern Ireland this 1st day of April, 1954, in the presence of

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(L.S.)

Assistant Secretary.

J. M. Benn.

(a) S.R.O. 1948, No. 63; (b) S.R.O. 1951, No. 82; (c) S.R.O. 1951, No. 90;
(d) S.R.O. 1952, No. 144; (e) S.R.O. 1953, No. 13.

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The Ministry of Finance hereby approves of the foregoing Regulations.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland this first day of April, 1954, in the presence of

(L.S.)

Thom McCrea.

Assistant Secretary.

Intermediate School Teachers: Salaries and Allowances

REGULATIONS DATED 1ST APRIL, 1954, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION UNDER THE EDUCATION ACTS (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1947 TO 1953, AFTER CONSULTATION WITH THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE.

1954. No. 55

The Ministry of Education (hereinafter referred to as "the Ministry ") in pursuance of the powers vested in it by Sections 83 and 112 of the Education Act (Northern Ireland), 1947, (herein-after referred to as " the Act ") and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, and after consultation with the Ministry of Finance, hereby makes the following Regulations:-

1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Intermediate School (Salaries and Allowances of Teachers) Regulations, 1954.

(2) These Regulations shall take effect as from 1st April, 1954.

2. The Intermediate School (Salaries and Allowances of Teachers) Regulations, 1951(a), and the Intermediate School (Salaries and Allowances of Teachers) Amending Regulations, 1952(b), are hereby revoked as from 1st April, 1954.

3. In these Regulations, unless the context otherwise requires-

(a) "approved" means approved by the Ministry for the purposes to which the context relates; "recognised" means recognised by the Ministry for

the purposes of these Regulations;

"qualified teacher" means a teacher who has been granted recognition under the Intermediate School (Grant Conditions) Regulations, 1948, as from time to time amended, and the expression 'teacher" shall be construed accordingly; " unqualified

(b) other expressions which have meanings assigned to them by the Intermediate School (Grant Conditions) Regulations, 1948, as from time to time amended, shall have the same respective meanings for the purposes of these Regulations.

These Regulations shall apply to teachers employed in 4. intermediate schools recognised by the Ministry.

(a) S.R. & O., 1951, No. 75.

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