
 STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1966 No. 1095

SOCIAL SECURITY

**The Social Security (Local Advisory Committees)
(Temporary Provisions) Regulations 1966**

<i>Made</i> - - -	30th August 1966
<i>Laid before Parliament</i>	2nd September 1966
<i>Coming into Operation</i>	5th September 1966

The Minister of Social Security in exercise of powers conferred by section 27 of the Ministry of Social Security Act 1966(a), and of all other powers enabling her in that behalf, hereby makes the following regulations:—

Citation, commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) These regulations may be cited as the Social Security (Local Advisory Committees) (Temporary Provisions) Regulations 1966 and shall come into operation on 5th September 1966.

(2) In these regulations, unless the context otherwise requires—
 “the Act” means the Ministry of Social Security Act 1966;
 “the Act of 1948” means the National Assistance Act 1948(b);
 “the Minister” means the Minister of Social Security;
 “the Commission” means the Supplementary Benefits Commission;
 and other expressions have the same meanings as in the Act.

(3) Reference in these regulations to any enactment shall include references to such enactment as amended by any subsequent enactment, order or regulation.

(4) The rules for the construction of Acts of Parliament contained in the Interpretation Act 1889(c) shall apply for the purpose of the interpretation of these regulations as they apply for the purpose of the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

Constitution and functions of committees

2.—(1) The advisory committees established under section 3 of the Act of 1948 shall, upon the coming into operation of these regulations, be deemed to have been established for the period ending with the 30th June 1967 as local advisory committees under the Act (hereinafter referred to as “committees”) for the purpose of considering and advising upon such questions bearing upon the administration of the Act as the Minister or the Commission may from time to time refer to them; and each committee shall act for the same area as that for which it has heretofore acted under the Act of 1948.

(2) For the purpose of facilitating any such reference, any committee may bring to the notice of the Minister any special problem bearing upon the administration of the Act which arises from local conditions.

Period of office

3. The members of a committee shall remain in office for the period ending with the 30th June 1967, except where the Minister otherwise directs in any case.

Procedure

4. The procedure of any committee shall be such as is determined from time to time by the committee.

Expenses etc. of members of committees

5. The Minister may pay to the members of any committee, and to persons attending at the request of the committee, such expenses and travelling and other allowances (including compensation for loss of remunerative time) as the Minister, with the consent of the Treasury, shall determine.

Margaret Herbison,
Minister of Social Security.

30th August 1966.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Regulations.)

These Regulations constitute the existing advisory committees under the National Assistance Act 1948 as the first local advisory committees under the Ministry of Social Security Act 1966 for the purpose of considering and advising upon questions bearing upon the administration of the latter Act.

This is a temporary provision, and will apply only for the period ending with 30th June 1967.

Note : *S.I. Nos. 1096 and 1097 are local : particulars of them will be found in Part III of the Volume*