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LOCAL GOVERNMENT, ENGLAND AND WALES

The Rate Support Grants (Pooling Arrangements) (Amendment) Regulations 1970

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The Secretary of State for Education and Science, as regards regulation 2 below after consultation with such associations of local authorities as appear to her to be concerned and with those local authorities with whom consultation appears to her to be desirable, in exercise of the powers conferred upon her by paragraph 13(2), (4) and (5)(a)(i), (ii) and (iv) of Schedule 1 to the Local Government Act 1966(a), hereby makes the following regulations:—

Citation, commencement and interpretation

- 1.—(1) These regulations may be cited as the Rate Support Grants (Pooling Arrangements) (Amendment) Regulations 1970 and shall come into operation on 1st September 1970.
- (2) The Interpretation Act 1889(b) shall apply for the interpretation of these regulations as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

Extension of pooling arrangements

- 2. Paragraph 13 of Schedule 1 to the Local Government Act 1966 (which provides for the pooling of expenditure of local education authorities) shall apply to—
 - (a) expenditure incurred in making payments to or in respect of accountants seconded to a Cost Investigation Unit administered by the Secretary of State for the purpose of research into any of the functions of local education authorities;
 - (b) expenditure incurred in the provision, in any college of education or other establishment of further education, of courses of training for youth leaders and community centre wardens;
 - (c) (i) expenditure incurred in connection with the provision of the site, the construction of the buildings and the initial furnishing and equipment of the Tile Hill College of Further Education for the Physically Handicapped, Coventry; and
 - (ii) the net cost of maintaining the college in the three years beginning with the day on which it is established.

Ascertainment of expenditure

- 3. Regulation 2(2) of the Rate Support Grants (Pooling Arrangements) Regulations 1967(a) as amended (b) (which specifies the expenditure to which those regulations apply) shall have effect subject to the following amendments—
 - (a) for sub-paragraph (b)(ii) there shall be substituted—
 - "expenditure incurred in respect of attendance at a course of training, in accordance with the schedule to the Rate Support Grants (Pooling Arrangements) (Amendment) Regulations 1970, of a teacher in whose case the authority are satisfied that it is in the interests of the provision of further education that he should be seconded or, as the case may be, assisted to attend the course";
 - (b) for sub-paragraph (e) there shall be substituted—
 - "(e) expenditure incurred after 31st August 1970 in training persons to become educational psychologists and after 31st August 1969 in respect of persons who are being so trained;"
 - (c) at the end of the paragraph there shall be added as a new sub-paragraph—
 - "(f) any expenditure to which paragraph 13 of Schedule 1 to the Local Government Act 1966 applies by virtue of regulation 2 of the Rate Support Grants (Pooling Arrangements) (Amendment) Regulations 1970".

Apportionment of expenditure

4. The expenditure mentioned in regulation 2 above shall be so apportioned among local authorities that each authority's share shall be in the ratio in which in the relevant financial year the school population of the authority stands to the aggregate of the school populations of all authorities.

Revocation of regulations

(a) S.I. 1967/467 (1967 I, p. 1407).

5. The Rate Support Grants (Pooling Arrangements) (Amendment) Regulations 1969 are hereby revoked.

Regulation 3(a)

SCHEDULE

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	Type of Course	Description of Teacher	
1.	A full-time course in preparation for a degree or for a diploma of a university.	A teacher in respect of whom the authority are satisfied that he could not reasonably be expected to attend a part-time course in preparation for a degree or such a diploma.	
2.	A part-time course in preparation for a degree or for a diploma of a university.	Any teacher.	
3.	Any course approved by the Secretary of State for the purpose of these regulations or the regulations for the time being in force relating to the training of teachers.	Any teacher.	

(b) S.I. 1969/1107 (1969 II, p. 3240).

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Regulations.)

These Regulations provide detailed machinery for the administration and enforcement of the gaming licence duty charged under the Finance Act 1970. In particular they:—

- (1) revoke the Regulations (S.I. 1966/1101) made in regard to the gaming licence duty charged under the Finance Act 1966 (c. 18);
- (2) prescribe the manner and form in which applications for gaming licences are to be made;
- (3) require particulars to be given of all rooms on licensed premises used for gaming or for the storage or repair of gaming tables;
- (4) prescribe maximum sizes of gaming tables and the method of calculation of the number of tables to be counted for duty purposes where the limit is exceeded;
- (5) prescribe the form of gaming licences and provide that they shall not be valid if altered or obliterated or if the appropriate duty has not been paid;
- (6) lay down requirements regarding the display of licences and their inspection by officers of Customs and Excise;
- (7) provide for the transfer or amendment of licences in certain cases;
- (8) lay down the procedure for adjustment of the duty in certain cases when the rateable value of the premises is varied or a rateable value is assigned to them for the first time.

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