

## SCHEDULE 2

### REQUIREMENTS

#### PART 3

#### MAINTENANCE OF DEPENDANTS

- 15.**—(1) This paragraph shall apply in the case of a student with dependants.
- (2) The dependants requirements of the student shall, subject to paragraphs 16 and 17, be—
- (a) if the student’s spouse holds a statutory award and in calculating payments under it account is taken of the spouse’s dependants requirement, one half of the amount determined in accordance with sub-paragraphs (3) and (4);
  - (b) in any other case, the whole of the amount so determined.
- (3) The amount referred to in sub-paragraph (2) shall be the amount which is  $X - (Y - Z)$  where—
- (a) X is the aggregate of the relevant sums specified in sub-paragraph (4);
  - (b) Y is the aggregate of the income of the student’s dependants;
  - (c) Z is so much of the sum ascertained by multiplying **£615** by the number of his dependants as does not exceed Y.
- (4) The relevant sums referred to in sub-paragraph (3) are—
- (a) except where the student has a spouse who is the holder of a relevant award, **£1,525**; and
  - (b) in respect of each dependent child—
    - (i) under the age of 11 immediately before the beginning of the academic year, or born during that year, **£320**;
    - (ii) then aged 11 or over, but under 16, **£640**;
    - (iii) then aged 16 or over, but under 18, **£845**;
    - (iv) then aged 18 or over, **£1,215**;
- except that the only or eldest dependent child shall be disregarded for the purposes hereof if the student has neither an adult dependant nor a spouse who is, or but for paragraph 14(2) would be, a dependant.