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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**1998 No. 2026**

**The Education (Student Loans) (Scotland) Regulations 1998**

**PART III**

**LOANS FOR MAINTENANCE**

**Transfers**

9.—(1) If with the agreement of the institution in question a borrower in relation to an academic year withdraws from his course without completing it during that year and disregarding any intervening vacation immediately commences attending another designated course provided by the same institution his loan shall be treated for all purposes as if it were a loan in relation to the academic year of the second course.

(2) A borrower who has commenced attending another designated course as described in paragraph (1) shall notify the Secretary of State of any change in the particulars set out in his certificate of eligibility in accordance with regulation 5, and in particular shall provide particulars of the matters referred to in regulation 5(5)(l) to (o).

(3) If with the agreement of the institutions in question a borrower in relation to an academic year withdraws from his course without completing it during that year and disregarding any intervening vacation immediately commences attending another designated course provided by a different institution, subject to paragraphs (4) and (5) he shall be treated as having withdrawn from his course and no further payment of instalments shall be made.

(4) A borrower described in paragraph (3) may notwithstanding regulation 3(1)(e) be eligible for a new loan in relation to the academic year of the second course.

(5) An application for a new loan in reliance on paragraph (4) shall be made in accordance with regulations 5 and 6; but there shall be subtracted from the relevant maximum amount specified to in regulation 7 the amount of any instalments already paid to the borrower in relation to the academic year of the first course.