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Voluntary Primary, Intermediate and Special Schools Building Grants (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1975

Made . . . . . 3*rd April* 1975

Coming into operation . . . . 1*st June* 1975

The Department of Education(a) (hereinafter referred to as "the Department") in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Articles 106 and 125 of the Education and Libraries (Northern Ireland) Order 1972(b) and of every other power enabling it in that behalf and with the approval of the Department of Finance(c) hereby makes the following regulations:

Citation and commencement

1.—(1) These regulations may be cited as the Voluntary Primary, Intermediate and Special Schools Building Grant (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1975.

(2) These regulations shall come into operation on 1st June 1975.

Amendment of regulations

2. The Voluntary Primary, Intermediate and Special Schools Building Grant Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1973(d) shall be amended as follows:

For paragraph (3) of regulation 8 there shall be substituted the following paragraph:

"(3) The Department may pay grants by instalments, the first of which shall not be paid until at least 5 per cent of the estimated cost of the work has been met by the applicants and the final instalment of grant shall not be paid until the work has been completed to the satisfaction of the Department and any defects liability period prescribed in the contract documents has expired.".

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Education for Northern Ireland on 3rd April 1975.

(L.S.) *R. Macdonald*
Assistant Secretary

The Department of Finance hereby approves the foregoing regulations.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Finance for Northern Ireland on 3rd April 1975.

(L.S.) *A. J. Green*
Assistant Secretary

(a) Formerly Ministry of Education: *see* 1973 c. 36 Schedule 5 paragraph 8
(b) S.I. 1972/1263 (N.I. 12)
(c) Formerly Ministry of Finance: *see* 1973 c. 36 Schedule 5 paragraph 8
(d) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1973 No. 375 (II, p. 2134)

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the regulations but is intended to indicate their general purport.)

The purpose of these regulations is to assist the voluntary bodies by making available the first payment of grant at an earlier stage of the construction period.