STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1973 No. 1738 (S.132)

LEGAL AID AND ADVICE, SCOTLAND

The Legal Advice and Assistance (Scotland) (Financial Conditions) (No. 3) Regulations 1973

Made - - -	19*th October* 1973
Laid before Parliament	22*nd October* 1973
Coming into Operation	1*st January* 1974

In exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 15 of the Legal Aid (Scotland) Act 1967(**a**) as extended by section 6 of the Legal Advice and Assistance Act 1972(**b**), and sections 4 and 11 of the Legal Advice and Assistance Act 1972, and of all other powers enabling me in that behalf, I hereby make the following regulations:—

1.—(1) These regulations may be cited as the Legal Advice and Assistance (Scotland) (Financial Conditions) (No. 3) Regulations 1973 and shall come into operation on 1st January 1974.

(2) In these regulations, unless the context otherwise requires, "the Act" means the Legal Advice and Assistance Act 1972 and other expressions have the same meaning as in the Act.

(3) The Interpretation Act 1889(**c**) shall apply for the interpretation of these regulations as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

2.—(1) For the sum of £11 specified in section 4(2) of the Act there shall be substituted the sum of £12·50.

(2) For the sums specified in Schedule 1 to the Act there shall be substituted the following:—

1.	Exceeding £12·50 but not exceeding £13·50 a week	£1
2.	Exceeding £13·50 but not exceeding £14·50 a week	£3
3.	Exceeding £14·50 but not exceeding £15·50 a week	£5
4.	Exceeding £15·50 but not exceeding £16·50 a week	£7
5.	Exceeding £16·50 but not exceeding £18·50 a week	£9
6.	Exceeding £18·50 but not exceeding £20·50 a week	£11
7.	Exceeding £20·50 but not exceeding £22·50 a week	£13
8.	Exceeding £22·50 but not exceeding £24·50 a week	£15

Gordon Campbell,
One of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

St. Andrew's House,
Edinburgh.

19th October 1973.

(**a**) 1967 c. 43. (**b**) 1972 c. 50. (**c**) 1889 c. 63.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Regulations.)

These Regulations amend the Legal Advice and Assistance Act 1972:—

(*a*) to increase from £11 to £12·50 the disposable income above which a person in receipt of advice and assistance is required to pay a contribution and

(*b*) to make consequential amendments to the actual contributions to be paid.

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