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**THE EXAMINATION AND CERTIFICATION OF TEACHERS
REGULATIONS 1961, AMENDMENT NO. 7**

ELIZABETH R.

ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Court at Government House, Wellington, this 12th day of
March, 1970

Present:

THE QUEEN'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY IN COUNCIL

PURSUANT to the Education Act 1964 and the Royal Powers Act 1953, Her Majesty the Queen, acting by and with the advice and consent of Her Executive Council, is pleased to make the following regulations.

REGULATIONS

1. Title—These regulations may be cited as the Examination and Certification of Teachers Regulations 1961, Amendment No. 7, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Examination and Certification of Teachers Regulations 1961* (hereinafter referred to as the principal regulations).

2. Academic requirements for Trained Teachers Certificate—(1) Regulation 9 of the principal regulations is hereby amended by revoking subclause (3), which relates to the Trained Teachers Certificate, and substituting the following subclause:

“(3) **Trained Teachers Certificate**—The subjects for the Trained Teachers Certificate are specified in regulation 11 hereof (as substituted by regulation 3 of the Examination and Certification of Teachers Regulations 1961, Amendment No. 7); and an applicant for a Trained Teachers Certificate shall be required to obtain passes in those subjects as follows:

“(a) A pass in the following subjects of Section I:

“(i) English;

“(ii) Mathematics;

“(iii) Social Studies or Science:

“(b) A pass in the subjects of Section II:

*S.R. 1961/97

Amendment No. 1: S.R. 1962/40

Amendment No. 2: S.R. 1963/7

Amendment No. 3: S.R. 1963/74

Amendment No. 4: S.R. 1964/147

Amendment No. 5: S.R. 1968/36

Amendment No. 6: S.R. 1969/17

“(c) A pass in the following subjects of Section III:

- “(i) Curriculum Studies in English;
- “(ii) Curriculum Studies in Mathematics;
- “(iii) Curriculum Studies in Social Studies, or Curriculum Studies in Science;
- “(iv) One of the remaining subjects of Section III, being Curriculum Studies in Art and Crafts, or Curriculum Studies in Music, or Curriculum Studies in Physical Education:

“Provided that the Director-General may in his discretion exempt any applicant who applies to that end from the requirement to pass any one or more of the above subjects where the applicant has passed one or more corresponding subjects or units of the Trained Teachers Certificate Examination as formerly prescribed in these regulations or of a degree or diploma covering a course of a minimum of 3 years' study in any approved faculty or department in a university recognised for the purpose by the Director-General or of any other examination approved by the Director-General as equivalent for the purpose; but every such application for exemption shall be made by the applicant at such time and in such manner as the Director-General may from time to time specify by notice in the *Education Gazette*:

“Provided also that candidates who, before the 14th day of October 1959, passed subjects of the Class C Examination under regulations then in force shall be credited with having met the requirements for subjects of the Trained Teachers Certificate Examination under these regulations to such extent as the Director-General may approve.”

(2) Regulation 13 of the principal regulations is hereby consequentially revoked.

3. Subjects for Trained Teachers Certificate Examination—The principal regulations are hereby amended by revoking regulation 11, and substituting the following regulation:

“11. The subjects for the Trained Teachers Certificate Examination shall be:

Section I

- (1) English:
- (2) Mathematics:
- (3) Social Studies:
- (4) Science:

Section II

- (5) Professional Studies in Education—Stage I:
- (6) Professional Studies in Education—Stage II:
- (7) Professional Studies in Education—Stage III:

Section III

- (8) Curriculum Studies in English:
- (9) Curriculum Studies in Mathematics:
- (10) Curriculum Studies in Social Studies:
- (11) Curriculum Studies in Science:

- (12) Curriculum Studies in Art and Crafts:
- (13) Curriculum Studies in Music:
- (14) Curriculum Studies in Physical Education."

4. Order in which subjects may be taken—The principal regulations are hereby amended by revoking regulation 12, and substituting the following regulation:

"12. (1) Except as otherwise provided in subclause (2) of this regulation, candidates may take the subjects of the Trained Teachers Certificate Examination in any order and shall be credited with passes in individual subjects, but no candidate may take more than four subjects in any year.

"(2) No candidate shall present himself for examination in:

- "(a) Curriculum Studies in English, unless he has obtained a pass in English:
- "(b) Curriculum Studies in Mathematics, unless he has obtained a pass in Mathematics:
- "(c) Curriculum Studies in Social Studies, unless he has obtained a pass in Social Studies:
- "(d) Curriculum Studies in Science, unless he has obtained a pass in Science:
- "(e) Any subject of Section III, unless he has obtained a pass in Professional Studies in Education—Stage I:
- "(f) Professional Studies in Education—Stage II or Professional Studies in Education—Stage III, unless he has obtained a pass in the earlier stage or stages of that subject.

5. Time and place of examination—The principal regulations are hereby amended by revoking regulation 14, and substituting the following regulation:

"14. The examination of candidates for the Trained Teachers Certificate Examination shall be held every year at some time during the months of October and November commencing, in general, during the last fortnight of October or the first fortnight of November. The examination shall be held in such convenient centres as the Director-General shall from year to year appoint."

6. Conditions of entry—(1) The principal regulations are hereby amended by revoking regulation 15, and substituting the following regulation:

"15. (1) No person shall in any year be entitled to be a candidate for the first time for the Trained Teachers Certificate Examination unless, on making application on the form provided by the Director-General, he has been accepted by the Director-General as a candidate for the examination. Every application in any year to be accepted as a candidate for the examination for the first time shall, except in special circumstances where the Director-General otherwise approves, be forwarded so as to reach the Director-General not later than the 1st day of March of that year.

"(2) The Director-General shall not accept any person as a candidate for the first time for the Trained Teachers Certificate Examination unless that person—

- "(a) Is residing in New Zealand and is entitled to continue to reside there permanently;

“(b) Has the educational qualifications required for entry to a teachers college or such other qualifications as are, in the opinion of the Director-General, adequate for entry to the courses and examinations for the Trained Teachers Certificate and for entry to the teaching service; and

“(c) Is either teaching in a school in New Zealand, or is able to provide evidence of his intention of doing so for a period of up to 4 years, being 2 years to meet the requirements for certification as a teacher and a further period of at least 2 years thereafter.

“(3) No candidate shall be entitled in any year to sit any subject of the Trained Teachers Certificate Examination unless in that year he has satisfactorily completed a tutorial course in the subject conducted by the Correspondence School or a course approved by the Director-General as equivalent thereto.

“(4) Every candidate shall apply to enter for the examination on the form provided by the Director-General and, except in special circumstances where the Director-General otherwise approves, no entry shall be accepted unless the completed form is received by the Principal of the Correspondence School, Department of Education, Wellington, not later than the 1st day of March in the year to which the entry relates. The candidate shall indicate on the form the subjects in which he wishes to be examined and in which he wishes to enrol in a tutorial course in order to meet the requirements of subclause (2) of this regulation.

“(5) The form of application for entry to the examination shall be accompanied by an examination fee of \$3 for each subject.”

(2) Regulation 2 of the Examination and Certification of Teachers Regulations 1961, Amendment No. 4, is hereby consequentially revoked.

7. Prescriptions of subjects—The principal regulations are hereby amended by revoking regulation 17, and substituting the following regulation:

“17. The prescriptions of the subjects of the Trained Teachers Certificate Examination shall be laid down from time to time by the Director-General by notice in the *Education Gazette*.”

P. J. BROOKS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This note is not part of the regulations, but is intended to indicate their general effect.

These regulations amend the provisions of the principal regulations relating to the subjects and examinations for the Trained Teachers Certificate, and the conditions of entry for the examinations.

Issued under the authority of the Regulations Act 1936.

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These regulations are administered in the Department of Education.