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**THE NATIONAL RESEARCH SCHOLARSHIP
REGULATIONS 1946**

C. L. N. NEWALL, Governor-General

IN pursuance and exercise of the power conferred upon him by section 12 of the Scientific and Industrial Research Act, 1926, and on the advice of the Council of Scientific and Industrial Research, His Excellency the Governor-General doth hereby make the following regulations for the establishment and award, emoluments, and tenure of scholarships, to be called National Research Scholarships.

REGULATIONS

1. These regulations may be cited as the National Research Scholarship Regulations 1946.
2. These regulations shall come into force on the 17th day of April, 1946.
3. The respective regulations referred to in the table subjoined to this regulation are revoked :—

Table of Revoked Regulations

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5th February, 1927 ..	The National Research Scholarship Regulations 1927	1927	401
15th May, 1931 ..	The National Research Scholarship Regulations 1927, Amendment No. 1	1931	1546
25th June, 1932 ..	The National Research Scholarship Regulations 1927, Amendment No. 2	1932	1573

4. In these regulations, unless inconsistent with the context,—
 - “The said Act” means the Scientific and Industrial Research Act, 1926 :
 - “Council” means the Council of Scientific and Industrial Research :

“ Minister ” means the Minister in Charge of the Department of Scientific and Industrial Research :

“ Scholarship ” means a National Research Scholarship awarded under section 12 of the said Act :

“ University ” means the University of New Zealand as constituted under the New Zealand University Amendment Act, 1926 ; and the terms “ Constituent College ” and “ Professor of the University ” shall have the meanings assigned to them by section 2 of that Act.

5. The Council may, on application made to it in that behalf, award to graduates of the University and to other suitable persons approved for the purpose by the Council scholarships not exceeding six in number in any year.

6. (1) Application to the Council for the award of a scholarship shall be made in writing delivered to the Permanent Secretary of the Department of Scientific and Industrial Research at Wellington not later than the 31st day of January in any year :

Provided that the Council may, in its discretion, receive any application after that date and may award to the applicant a scholarship for that year.

(2) Every applicant for a scholarship shall specify with reasonable particularity the nature of the course of study, investigation, or research proposed to be undertaken in the event of a scholarship being awarded him.

(3) Every application shall be supported by one or more certificates signed by a Professor of the University or some other qualified person to the effect that in the opinion of the person by whom such certificate is given the applicant is a fit and proper person to be the holder of a scholarship.

7. (1) Every scholarship shall be of the value of £250 per annum, such sum to be paid to the holder by equal quarterly instalments :

Provided that in the event of the scholarship being utilized for research out of New Zealand any quarterly payment accruing due while the holder is so engaged overseas may be made at the rate of £250 per annum in currency of the United Kingdom.

(2) In addition to such quarterly instalments there may be paid to the holder of a scholarship or on his behalf—

(a) A sum not exceeding £25 in the aggregate for the purchase of books or apparatus specially required for the purpose of carrying out any investigation or research, and towards the cost of his transport while engaged thereon. All books or apparatus purchased under this provision shall be and remain the property of His Majesty the King :

(b) A sum not exceeding £25 in the aggregate to be wholly applied towards the fees payable to any constituent college or other institution approved by the Council.

8. (1) Scholarships shall be tenable for two years, but may be terminated by the Council at any time and without the Council assigning any reason for the termination if the Council in its discretion ceases to be satisfied that the holder has complied with the terms and conditions on which the same has been awarded.

(2) Without affecting the number of new scholarships that may be awarded in any year, the Council may, with the approval of the Minister, extend the term of any scholarship for not more than one extra year.

9. (1) The course of study or research and study undertaken in connection with a scholarship shall be carried out at a constituent college or other institution or place approved for the purpose by the Council, either in New Zealand or overseas, and in accordance with such conditions as the Council may from time to time impose.

(2) Except with the consent of the Council, the holder of a scholarship shall not engage in any work or occupation other than that associated with the course of study or research for the purposes of which the scholarship was granted.

10. The holder of a scholarship shall furnish the Council with quarterly reports as to the progress of his studies or research. Such reports shall be accompanied by certificates from a Professor of the University or other person approved for the purpose by the Council to the effect that the holder of the scholarship has worked to his satisfaction and in conformity with the terms of the scholarship.

11. (1) The holder of a scholarship shall not claim and shall not be paid the final instalment of the sum payable to him hereunder unless and until he has furnished the Council with a detailed report covering his complete investigation or research, confirmed by certificates in writing from the Professors of the University or other qualified persons under whose supervision the work had been done.

(2) If the holder at any time publishes a report or thesis arising out of the results of the investigation or research made during the tenure of a scholarship, he shall therein acknowledge the assistance received by way of grants or otherwise from the Council.

12. In consideration of the grant of a scholarship and of the payment of moneys thereunder, the holder shall, at the expiry of the tenure of his scholarship, offer his personal service to the Public Service Commissioner for a period of not less than two years in a capacity and at a remuneration (having regard to the general conditions and salaries obtaining in the Public Service at that time) commensurate with his qualifications and experience.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 16th day of April, 1946.

D. G. SULLIVAN,
Minister in Charge of Department of Scientific
and Industrial Research.

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These regulations are administered in the Department of Scientific and Industrial Research.