

THE TERTIARY ASSISTANCE GRANTS REGULATIONS 1982, AMENDMENT NO. 7

PAUL REEVES, Governor-General

ORDER IN COUNCIL

At Wellington this 14th day of December 1987

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL

PURSUANT to the Education Act 1964, His Excellency the Governor-General, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, hereby makes the following regulations.

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REGULATIONS

1. Title and commencement—(1) These regulations may be cited as the Tertiary Assistance Grants Regulations 1982, Amendment No. 7, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Tertiary Assistance

Grants Regulations 1982* (hereinafter referred to as the principal regulations).

(2) These regulations shall come into force on the 1st day of January

- 2. Award of fees grant—Regulation 14 (1) of the principal regulations is hereby amended by revoking paragraph (a).
- **3. Maximum tenure of fees grants**—Regulation 16 of the principal regulations is hereby amended by revoking subclause (3), and substituting the following subclause:
- "(3) For the purposes of subclause (1) of this regulation, the holder of a fees grant shall be deemed not to have had any payments made under it on his behalf in respect of any course of study if he withdraws from the course before the commencement of his final examination period, and, with the consent of the Director-General,—
 - "(a) Within 12 months of the commencement of the course, where it is a full academic year long; and
- "(b) Before the end of the course, in every other case, refunds to the Director-General all payments made on his behalf in respect of the course under the grant."
- **4. Reinstatement of fees grant**—The principal regulations are hereby amended by revoking regulation 21, and substituting the following regulation:
- "21. Where a fees grant has been suspended under regulation 19 of these regulations, it shall, subject to regulation 16 (1) of these regulations, be reinstated if, and only if, the holder satisfies the Professorial Board of the tertiary institution at which he is enrolled that he has in any year since the suspension passed work (being work that is or forms part of a single course of study) that is, in the opinion of the Board, equivalent to one third or more of the course of study his results in which led to the suspension."
- **5. Award of study grant**—Regulation 23 (1) of the principal regulations is hereby amended by revoking paragraph (a).
- **6. Maximum tenure of study grant**—Regulation 30 of the principal regulations is hereby amended by revoking subclause (2), and substituting the following subclause:
- "(2) For the purposes of subclause (1) of this regulation, the holder of a study grant shall be deemed not to have received any payments under it in respect of any course of study if he withdraws from the course before the commencement of his final examination period, and, with the consent of the Director-General,—
 - "(a) Within 12 months of the commencement of the course where it is a full academic year long; and
 - "(b) Before the end of the course; in every other case,—

*S.R. 1982/277 Amendment No. 1: S.R. 1984/9 Amendment No. 2: S.R. 1985/8 Amendment No. 3: S.R. 1986/6 Amendment No. 4: S.R. 1986/171 Amendment No. 5: S.R. 1986/377 Amendment No. 6: S.R. 1987/26 refunds to the Director-General all payments made to him in respect of the course under the grant."

- **7. Reinstatement of study grant**—Regulation 34 of the principal regulations is hereby amended by revoking paragraph (b), and substituting the following paragraph:
 - "(b) In every other case if that holder satisfies the Professorial Board of that tertiary institution that he has in any year since the suspension passed work (being work that is or forms part of a single course of study) that is, in the opinion of the Board, equivalent to more than half the work of the course of study his results in which led to the suspension."
- **8. Award of A Bursary**—Regulation 49 (1) of the principal regulations is hereby amended by revoking paragraph (d), and substituting the following paragraph:

"(d) Obtained—

- "(i) Passes in each part of a full-time programme or programmes at a tertiary institution that constitutes or together constitute a full academic year's study; and
- "(ii) A passes in what was, in the opinion of the Professorial Board of the institution, at least half the work of that programme or those programmes; or"
- **9. Award of B Bursary**—Regulation 50 (1) of the principal regulations is hereby amended by revoking paragraph (c), and substituting the following paragraph:

"(c) Obtained—

"(i) Passes in each part of a full-time programme or programmes at a tertiary institution that constitutes or together constitute a full academic year's study; and

- "(ii) B passes in what was, in the opinion of the Professorial Board of the institution, at least half the work of that programme or those programmes; or".
- 10. Courses to be completed—Regulation 51 of the principal regulations is hereby amended by revoking paragraph (a), and substituting the following paragraph:
 - "(a) In the case of a student who commences a course of study in the same year as he completes another; or".
- 11. **Deferment of course of study**—(1) The principal regulations are hereby amended by revoking regulation 54, and substituting the following regulation:
- "54. Subject to regulation 55 of these regulations, the holder of a fees grant or a study grant (being a fees grant or study grant that is not for the time being suspended) who defers the completion of the recognised course of study in respect of which that grant was awarded in order to pursue another recognised course of study shall be eligible for the award of a further such grant in respect of that other course of study; and in that case, during any year when he pursues any part of one of those 2 courses of study, these regulations shall apply to that holder as if he had completed the other course of study but—

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- "(a) Where, under regulation 19, regulation 27, or regulation 33 of these regulations, a fees grant or study grant awarded in respect of one of those courses of study is suspended, the fees grant or study grant (as the case may be) he holds that was awarded in respect of the other course of study shall also be suspended; and
- "(b) Where, under regulation 21 or regulation 34 of these regulations a fees grant or study grant awarded in respect of one of those courses of study that has been suspended is reinstated, the fees grant or study grant (as the case may be) he holds that was awarded in respect of the other course of study shall also be reinstated."
- (2) Regulation 55 of the principal regulations is hereby consequentially amended by omitting the words "a second", and substituting the word "another".

C. J. HILL, Acting for 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 Tertiary Assistance Grants Regulations 1982 so as to do away with a present requirement that fees grants and study grants can be awarded only in respect of a first or second course of study. The effect is that grants may be awarded for several short courses, and (subject to satisfactory academic results) the maximum length of time for which payments may be made under grants will be 5 years.

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