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**DRAFT COLLEGES (SIXTH FORMS) (JERSEY)
REGULATIONS, 1979.**

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Report of the Director of Education.

1. In September 1973 the Committee lodged a "Report and proposition regarding reorganisation of Secondary Education", which was accepted by the States of Jersey. Part of that report (section 18, paragraph 2) reads:

"The Committee believes that the Colleges can be educationally effective as fee-paying schools and that the maintenance of their Sixth Form traditions can best be achieved by providing *free places at 16+*. To enable this to operate they propose that all *full-time education between the ages of 16 and 19 shall be free* and that Victoria College and the Jersey College for Girls *will be open at Sixth Form level to pupils from other Secondary Schools*. In this way the Colleges will be able to continue to maintain strong Sixth Forms and the options available to pupils of 11-16 schools will be enlarged to include transfer to the Colleges' Sixth Forms".

2. The "Colleges (Sixth Forms) (Jersey) Regulations, 1979" are intended to implement the proposals detailed above. The factors listed in paragraph 3 of those regulations are common to admission to most academic Sixth Forms. Factor (e) "availability of places" will ensure that no student coming through the Colleges in years 1 to 5 will be denied a sixth form place within the Colleges provided factors (a) to (d) are satisfied.

Explanatory Note

These Regulations are made in pursuance of Articles 8 and 13 of the Loi (1920) sur l'Instruction Publique, as amended, and provide for free education in the sixth forms at Victoria College and the Jersey College for Girls.

Regulation 1 states that all places in the sixth forms at the Colleges shall be provided free of charge.

Regulation 2 specifies the pupils who may be admitted to the sixth form of one of the Colleges.

Regulation 3 sets out the factors to which the Education Committee shall have regard in deciding whether to admit a pupil to the sixth form of either of the Colleges.

Regulation 4 repeals the Colleges (Free Places) (Jersey) Regulations, 1970 and makes transitional provision for free places granted under the 1970 Regulations.

Regulation 5 contains the citation and commencement provisions.

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(Approved by the States on the day of , 197).

THE EDUCATION COMMITTEE, in pursuance of Articles 8 and 13 of the "Loi (1920) sur l'Instruction Publique",⁽¹⁾ as amended,⁽²⁾ has made the following Regulations -

1. All places in the sixth forms at Victoria College and the Jersey College for Girls (hereinafter referred to as "the Colleges") shall be provided free of charge and shall be maintained at the public expense. 5

2. Subject to the provisions of Regulation 3 of these Regulations, a pupil may be admitted to the sixth form of one of the Colleges if he has attained the age of sixteen years not later than the thirty-first day of August preceding his admission. 10

3. In deciding whether or not to admit a pupil to the sixth form of either of the Colleges in accordance with Regulation 2 of these Regulations, the Committee shall have regard to the following factors - 15

- (a) the suitability of the pupil for education at the College concerned;
- (b) the pupil's regular attendance at a secondary school in the Island; 20
- (c) the pupil's academic attainments;
- (d) the report of the Head Teacher of the school or schools attended by the pupil during the two years immediately preceding his attaining the age of sixteen years; 25
- (e) the availability of places at the College concerned;
- (f) such other factors as may from time to time seem to the Committee to be relevant.

4. The Colleges (Free Places) (Jersey) Regulations, 1970⁽³⁾ are hereby repealed. 30

⁽¹⁾ Recueil des Lois, Tomes IV-VI, page 538.

⁽²⁾ Recueil des Lois, Volume 1970-1972, page 153.

⁽³⁾ No. 5447

Provided that, in relation to free places made available under those Regulations, those Regulations shall be treated as remaining in force in all respects until the thirty-first day of August, 1980, as though they had not been repealed.

- 5 5. These Regulations may be cited as the Colleges (Sixth Forms) (Jersey) Regulations, 1979 and shall be deemed to have come into force on the first day of September, 1978.