

The Education Development Fund Program Regulations, 1987

Repealed

by Saskatchewan Regulations 93/2000
(effective November 2, 2000).

Formerly

Chapter G-5.1 Reg 10 (effective December 17, 1987) as amended by Saskatchewan Regulations 72/88, 2/89, 35/89 [subsequently amended by an Errata Notice, dated July 14, 1989], 94/90, 57/91, 77/91 and 135/92.

NOTE:

This consolidation is not official. Amendments have been incorporated for convenience of reference and the original statutes and regulations should be consulted for all purposes of interpretation and application of the law. In order to preserve the integrity of the original statutes and regulations, errors that may have appeared are reproduced in this consolidation.

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The Government Organization Act

Title

1 These regulations may be cited as *The Education Development Fund Program Regulations, 1987*.

Interpretation

2 In these regulations:

- (a) **“applicant”** means:
 - (i) a school division;
 - (ii) an historical high school; or
 - (iii) a school identified in Table 1 of the Appendix;
- (b) **“approved”** means approved by the minister;
- (c) **“department”** means the Department of Education;
- (d) **“fiscal year”** means the period commencing on April 1 in one year and ending on March 31 in the following year;
 - (d.1) **“historical high school”** means an historical high school as defined in *The Independent Schools Regulations*;
 - (d.2) **“minister”** means the Minister of Education;
- (e) **“number of pupils”** means:
 - (i) with respect to a school division, the number of pupils as reported to the minister and based on the most recently submitted Principal’s September Statistical Reports for schools in the school division;
 - (ii) with respect to an historical high school, the number of students who are enrolled in the historical high school and domiciled in Saskatchewan as reported to the minister and based on the most recently submitted Principal’s September Statistical Report for the historical high school; or
 - (iii) with respect to a school identified in Table 1 of the Appendix, the number of pupils as reported to the minister and based on the most recently submitted Principal’s September Statistical Report for the school;
- (f) **Repealed.** 2 Aug 91 SR 57/91 s3.
- (g) **“program”** means the Education Development Fund Program continued pursuant to section 3;

(h) “**project**” means an education development project that contains a proposal to do the things described in subsection 4(2);

(i) “**school division**” means a school division as defined in *The Education Act*.

24 Dec 87 cG-5.1 Reg 10 s2; 2 Aug 91 SR 57/91 s3.

Program continued

3 The Education Development Fund Program is continued to assist applicants in providing additional learning resources, in improving efficiency of educational programs and services and in offering improved educational programs.

24 Dec 87 cG-5.1 Reg 10 s3.

Application

4(1) An applicant that wishes to apply for a grant shall submit a written application to the department containing any information that is required by these regulations and any additional information that the minister considers necessary.

(2) Every written application submitted pursuant to this section shall contain a proposal to undertake an education development project that will, in the opinion of the applicant:

(a) provide additional learning resources for pupils in the applicant’s jurisdiction;

(b) improve the efficiency with which existing educational programs and services are provided by the applicant;

(c) improve the quality of educational programs offered by the applicant; or

(d) do all or any combination of the matters described in clauses (a) to (c).

(3) The board of education or other governing body recognized by the minister for the applicant shall:

(a) approve a written application by a resolution separate from other matters; and

(b) submit that resolution to the department together with the written application.

24 Dec 87 cG-5.1 Reg 10 s4.

Grant

5(1) Subject to subsections (2) to (6), where:

(a) an applicant has:

(i) submitted a written application to the department in accordance with section 4; and

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(ii) agreed to any audit procedures and reporting requirements that the minister considers necessary during the implementation of the project and after the completion of the project; and

(b) the minister is satisfied that the project contained in the written application is consistent with the department's objectives for improving education in Saskatchewan;

the minister may approve the project and make a grant to the applicant with respect to the project.

(2) Subject to subsection (3), the maximum amount of a grant payable pursuant to this section for a project is equal to:

(a) where, in the opinion of the minister, all or any part of a project relates to the provision of additional learning resources, an amount calculated in accordance with Table 2 of the Appendix and based on the applicant's number of pupils;

(b) where, in the opinion of the minister, all or any part of a project relates to improving the efficiency with which educational programs or services are provided, an amount calculated in accordance with Table 3 of the Appendix and based on the applicant's number of pupils;

(c) where, in the opinion of the minister, all or any part of a project relates to improving the quality of education programs offered by the applicant, an amount equal to the sum of:

(i) the product of:

(A) with respect to a project approved in the fiscal year commencing on April 1, 1992 – \$2,593,937; and

(B) subject to subsection (3), the ratio as determined by the minister of:

(I) the amount of approved basic operating grants paid to the applicant in the year ending on the December 31 before the commencement of the fiscal year in which the project was approved;

(II) the total amount of basic operating grants paid to all applicants in the year mentioned in subparagraph (I);

pursuant to *The Education Act* and *The School Grant 1990 Regulations*; and

(ii) an amount determined in accordance with the formula set forth in Table 4 of the Appendix and based on the applicant's number of pupils;

(d) where, in the opinion of the minister, a project relates to all or any combination of the matters described in clauses (a) to (c), an amount equal to the sum of the amounts calculated in accordance with those clauses that, in the opinion of the minister, relate to those matters.

- (3) Where the applicant is:
- (a) a school division, the minister shall, in determining the amount of approved basic operating grants paid to the school division for the purposes of subparagraph (2)(c)(i)(B)(I), adjust the amount of basic operating grants by the amount of any tuition fees that are paid or received by the school division and recognized by the minister; and
 - (b) a school identified in Table 1 of the Appendix, the amount of basic operating grants paid to the school is deemed to be, for the purposes of subparagraph (2)(c)(i)(B)(I), the simulated operating grant for that school as set out in that Table.
- (4) The maximum amount of grants payable pursuant to this section in a fiscal year to an applicant with respect to all projects approved in the fiscal year is equal to the sum of all amounts calculated pursuant to this section.
- (5) Notwithstanding subsection (4), the minimum aggregate amount of grants pursuant to this section payable in a fiscal year to an applicant with respect to all projects approved in the fiscal year that relate to the matters described in clauses (2)(a), (b) and (c) is an amount determined in accordance with Table 5 of the Appendix.
- (6) Notwithstanding subsection (2), the minister may make a grant pursuant to this section for an approved project in an amount greater than the maximum amount calculated pursuant to subsection (2) where, in the opinion of the minister, it is appropriate to do so.

24 Dec 87 cG-5.1 Reg 10 s5; 24 Feb 89 SR 2/89
s3; 14 Jne 89 SR 35/89 s3; 14 Dec 90 SR 94/90
s3; 20 Sep 91 SR 77/91 s3; 27 Nov 92 SR 135/92
s3.

Other grants

- 6** Notwithstanding any other provision in these regulations, where:
- (a) a school division, historical high school, individual or educational agency recognized by the minister submits an application for a grant pursuant to this section;
 - (b) the application contains a submission to undertake an activity that is, in the opinion of the minister, consistent with the department's objectives for improving education in Saskatchewan and contains any additional information that the minister may require; and
 - (c) the school division, historical high school, individual or educational agency mentioned in clause (a) agrees to any audit procedures and reporting requirements that the minister considers necessary during the implementation of the activity mentioned in clause (b) and after the completion of the activity;
- the minister may make a grant, in any amount that he considers appropriate, to that school division, historical high school, individual or educational agency.

24 Dec 87 cG-5.1 Reg 10 s6; 2 Aug 91 SR 57/91 s4.

Grants with or without application

6.1(1) Notwithstanding any other provision in these regulations, but subject to subsections (2) to (5), the minister, where he or she considers it appropriate, may make a payment under the program to or with respect to a school division, historical high school, person or educational agency for the purpose of funding:

- (a) administration or research;
- (b) the purchase of goods or services; or
- (c) the reimbursement of expenses;

with respect to an approved project or any other approved undertaking with objectives consistent with those described in subsection 4(2).

(2) The minister may make a payment pursuant to subsection (1) whether or not an application has been submitted pursuant to subsection 4(1).

(3) A payment made pursuant to clause (1)(a) may be in any amount that the minister considers appropriate.

(4) A payment made pursuant to clause (1)(b) shall not exceed the actual cost of the goods or services as shown by invoice, contract or other evidence satisfactory to the minister.

(5) A payment made pursuant to clause (1)(c) shall not exceed an amount based on:

- (a) the actual and reasonable expenses as verified by receipt; and
- (b) approved rates.

2 Aug 91 SR 57/91 s5.

Recovery of overpayment

7 Where an applicant, individual or educational agency has received an overpayment pursuant to the program for any reason, the amount of the overpayment is a debt due to Her Majesty in right of Saskatchewan and may be recovered by deducting the amount from any grants payable to the applicant, individual or educational agency pursuant to this program or any other program of the department.

24 Dec 87 cG-5.1 Reg 10 s7.

AppendixTABLE 1
[Subsection 5(3)]**Schools**

<i>Item</i>	<i>School</i>	<i>Simulated Operating Grant</i>
(a)	Swift Current Comprehensive High	\$1,859,048
(b)	Melville Comprehensive School	1,147,435
(c)	Estevan Comprehensive School Board	1,176,237
(d)	Carlton Comprehensive	3,023,118
(e)	Centennial Park	128,048
(f)	Oxbow-Arcola Administration Board	63,143

TABLE 2
[Clause 5(2)(a)]**Additional Learning Resources**

<i>Item</i>	<i>Number of Pupils</i>	<i>Grant Per Pupil</i>
(a)	For the first 500 pupils	\$10.97
(b)	For the 501st to the 1,000th pupil.....	9.47
(c)	For the 1,001st to the 3,000th pupil.....	7.97
(d)	For the 3,001st and any subsequent pupils	6.47

TABLE 3
[Clause 5(2)(b)]**Efficiency of Educational Programs or Services**

<i>Item</i>	<i>Number of Pupils</i>	<i>Grant Per Pupil</i>
(a)	For the first 500 pupils	\$9.26
(b)	For the 501st to the 1,000th pupil.....	7.76
(c)	For the 1,001st to the 3,000th pupil.....	6.26
(d)	For the 3,001st and any subsequent pupils	4.76

TABLE 4
[Clause 5(2)(c)(ii)]**Quality of Education Programs**

<i>Item</i>	<i>Number of Pupils</i>	<i>Grant Per Pupil</i>
(a)	For the first 500 pupils	\$8.06
(b)	For the 501st to the 1,000th pupil.....	6.56
(c)	For the 1,001st to the 3,000th pupil.....	5.06
(d)	For the 3,001st and any subsequent pupils	3.56

TABLE 5
[Clause 5(5)]

Minimum Grant

<i>Item</i>	<i>Number of Pupils</i>	<i>Grant Per Pupil</i>
(a)	Additional Learning Resources	\$ 490.00
(b)	Improved Efficiency	490.00
(c)	Quality of Education Programs	490.00
(d)	All of items (a), (b) and (c)	1,470.00

27 Nov 92 SR 135/92 s4.

