

TAXATION

AIM: The alleviation and equalisation of some of the educational costs incurred through isolation by taxation concessions or rebates.

OBJECTIVES:

- 1. All educational grants including allowances under the Assistance for isolated Children Scheme, remain excluded when assessing parents' income for taxation.
- **2.** Allowances received under the Assistance for isolated Children remain as scholarships and not be included as part of the taxable income of a child.
- **3.** Regular reviews be undertaken of the boundaries of Taxation Zones. A and B, and that the allowances be updated to the financial conditions of the time.
- **4.** The extension of any scheme for the equalisation of income to provide people in isolated regions with the choice of setting aside funds in bountiful years for EDUCATIONAL purposes and redeemable in the year of years of necessity.
- **5.** Match up financial disadvantage on a comparative basis with our city counterparts and propose tax deductions to remove elements of inequality.