

Application  
of allowance.

5. The allowance shall be applied by the person receiving the same exclusively towards the maintenance, care, training, education and advancement of the child, and, if the Minister or such officer as is authorized by regulations in that behalf is satisfied that the allowance is not being so applied, payment thereof shall be discontinued or made to some other person or agency. 5

Appeal.

6. If any person is dissatisfied with a decision as to his right to be paid an allowance or as to the amount of an allowance payable to him or as to any other matter arising under this Act, he may appeal against such decision to a tribunal to be established and conducted in accordance with regulations, and the decision of the tribunal shall not be subject to appeal or review by any court of law. 10

Allowance  
not to be  
taxed,  
assigned,  
or charged.

7. No allowance under this Act shall be subject to taxation or to the operation of any law relating to bankruptcy or insolvency or be assigned, charged, attached, anticipated or given as security, and the allowance is payable subject to these conditions. 15

Avoidance  
of duplication  
in allowances.  
R.S., c. 97.

8. (1) Nothing in this Act shall preclude such adjustment of the deduction on account of a dependent child from tax payable under the *Income War Tax Act* as may be necessary to avoid duplication of benefits under the *Income War Tax Act* and this Act. 20

Reduction or  
withholding  
allowance.

(2) Where he considers it necessary to prevent duplication the Governor in Council may by regulation provide for the reduction or withholding of the allowance payable to any person receiving aid from the Government of Canada or any province for the maintenance of a child in respect of whom the allowance is payable under this Act, provided that such reduction or withholding shall not be made by reason of a pension under the *Pension Act* or dependent's allowance payable in respect of a dependent child of a member of the Naval, Military or Air Forces of Canada. 30

R.S., c. 157.

Powers of  
Minister.

9. The Minister shall have the powers necessary to administer this Act, and he may 35

(a) establish committees or boards and arrange with departments of government and other public and private agencies and organizations to assist him in carrying out the purposes of this Act; 40

(b) appoint any person to inquire into any matters concerning which information is required in the administration of this Act, which person shall have the powers of a commissioner appointed under Part I of the *Inquiries Act*. 45

R.S., c. 99.