



ANALYSIS

Title

1. Short Title
2. Registration of general practitioners

 1986, No. 100

An Act to amend the Medical Practitioners Act 1968
[6 November 1986]

BE IT ENACTED by the General Assembly of New Zealand in Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1. Short Title—This Act may be cited as the Medical Practitioners Amendment Act 1986, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Medical Practitioners Act 1968 (hereinafter referred to as the principal Act).

2. Registration of general practitioners—The principal Act is hereby amended by inserting in Part II, after section 39, the following section:

“39A. Without limiting the power to make regulations under section 75 of this Act, the Governor-General may from time to time, by Order in Council made on the advice of the Minister given after consultation by the Minister with the Council, make regulations for all or any of the following purposes:

“(a) Providing for the Council to establish and maintain a register, to be known as the indicative register, of medical practitioners who have experience or hold qualifications entitling them to registration in the discipline of general practice and family medicine:

“(b) Providing for the registration of medical practitioners who have experience or hold qualifications entitling them to registration in the discipline of general practice and family medicine:

- “(c) Prescribing the qualifications, experience, and any other conditions that must be held or satisfied by a medical practitioner for the purpose of obtaining or retaining such registration:
- “(d) Regulating the recording in, removal from, and restoration to, the indicative register of the names, particulars, and qualifications of persons so registered:
- “(e) Providing for appeals by medical practitioners against any refusal of the Council to register them in the indicative register or to restore their names to that register or against any decision of the Council to remove their names from that register:
- “(f) Prescribing the fees payable in respect of any application for registration in the discipline of general practice and family medicine and in respect of any such registration and in respect of the restoration of names to the indicative register, and, if no provision is otherwise made therefor, in respect of appeals:
- “(g) Applying any provision of this Act, or of any other regulation made under this Act, with such modifications as may be necessary, in relation to any of the matters specified in this section.”

This Act is administered in the Department of Health.
