



PHARMACY AMENDMENT REGULATIONS 1997

MICHAEL HARDIE BOYS, Governor-General

ORDER IN COUNCIL

At Wellington this 1st day of December 1997

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL

PURSUANT to section 57 of the Pharmacy Act 1970, His Excellency the Governor-General,—

- (a) Acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council; and
 - (b) On the advice of the Minister of Health, given by the Minister of Health after consultation by the Minister of Health with the Council of the Pharmaceutical Society of New Zealand,—
- makes the following regulations.

REGULATIONS

1. Title and commencement—(1) These regulations may be cited as the Pharmacy Amendment Regulations 1997, and are part of the Pharmacy Regulations 1975* (“the principal regulations”).

(2) These regulations come into force on 1 January 1998.

*S.R. 1975/269

Amendment No. 1: (*Revoked by S.R. 1980/237*)
Amendment No. 2: (*Revoked by S.R. 1989/376*)
Amendment No. 3: (*Revoked by S.R. 1989/376*)
Amendment No. 4: S.R. 1986/137
Amendment No. 5: (*Revoked by S.R. 1989/376*)
Amendment No. 6: S.R. 1989/102
Amendment No. 7: S.R. 1989/376
Amendment No. 8: S.R. 1992/334
Amendment No. 9: S.R. 1993/160
Amendment No. 10: S.R. 1993/351

2. Annual practising fee—The principal regulations are amended by revoking regulation 26, and substituting the following regulation:

“26. (1) Every pharmacist must pay to the Society an annual practising fee.

“(2) The amount of the annual practising fee is \$380.00, unless a lower amount is payable under any of the provisions of subclauses (3) to (5).

“(3) A pharmacist who satisfies the Registrar that he or she—

“(a) Is aged 65 years or over (but is younger than 70) is required to pay an annual practising fee of only \$125.00:

“(b) Is aged 70 years or over is required to pay an annual practising fee of only \$13.15.

“(4) A pharmacist who satisfies the Registrar that he or she is no longer substantially engaged in pharmaceutical practice is required to pay an annual practising fee of only \$190.00.

“(5) A pharmacist who satisfies the Registrar that he or she does not reside in New Zealand is required to pay an annual practising fee of only \$144.68.”

3. Revocation—The Pharmacy Regulations 1975, Amendment No. 10* are consequentially revoked.

DIANE WILDERSPIN,
Acting for Clerk of the Executive Council.

*S.R. 1993/351

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This note is not part of the regulations, but is intended to indicate their general effect.

These regulations, which come into force on 1 January 1998, increase the ordinary annual practising fee for pharmacists from \$250 to \$380.

The annual practising fee for a pharmacist who can satisfy the Registrar that he or she is no longer substantially engaged in pharmaceutical practice is increased from \$125 to \$190. Annual practising fees payable by other classes of pharmacists remain the same.

The fees prescribed are inclusive of goods and services tax.

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These regulations are administered in the Ministry of Health.