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THE POISONS REGULATIONS 1964, AMENDMENT NO. 7

ARTHUR PORRITT, Governor-General

ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Government House at Wellington this 31st day of July 1972

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL

PURSUANT to the Poisons Act 1960, His Excellency the Governor-General, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, hereby makes the following regulations.

REGULATIONS

1. Title and commencement—(1) These regulations may be cited as the Poisons Regulations 1964, Amendment No. 7, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Poisons Regulations 1964* (hereinafter referred to as the principal regulations).

(2) Except as provided in subclause (2) of regulation 3 of these regulations, these regulations shall come into force on the 7th day after the date of their notification in the *Gazette*.

2. Sale of prescription poisons to hospitals—Regulation 20 of the principal regulations is hereby amended by revoking paragraph (h), and substituting the following paragraph:

“(h) A hospital board, or, for the purposes of a licensed hospital, the licensee or manager of that hospital, or, for the purposes of any other institution, a person entitled to obtain pharmaceutical requirements on bulk supply orders under the Drug Tariff 1970† for those purposes.”

3. New prohibited substances—(1) The Eighth Schedule to the principal regulations (as amended by regulation 14 of the Poisons Regulations 1964, Amendment No. 1, by regulation 17 of the Poisons Regulations 1964, Amendment No. 2, by regulation 19 of the Poisons Regulations 1964, Amendment No. 3, and by regulation 12 of the Poisons Regu-

*S.R. 1964/64
 Amendment No. 1: S.R. 1966/84
 Amendment No. 2: S.R. 1967/250
 Amendment No. 3: S.R. 1969/95
 Amendment No. 4: S.R. 1969/193
 Amendment No. 5: S.R. 1971/55
 Amendment No. 6: S.R. 1972/53
 †S.R. 1970/18

lations 1964, Amendment No. 6) is hereby further amended by inserting, in its appropriate alphabetical order, the name set out in the Schedule to these regulations.

(2) This regulation and the Schedule to these regulations shall come into force 3 months after the date of the notification of these regulations in the *Gazette*.

SCHEDULE

Reg. 3

NEW PROHIBITED SUBSTANCE

Beta-aminopropylbenzene; its salts; its N-alkyl derivatives; their salts; excepting, however, any of the foregoing group of related substances when contained in any appliance for inhalation in which the poison is absorbed in inert solid material.

P. J. BROOKS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These regulations amend the Poisons Regulations 1960.

Regulation 2 re-enacts, in an expanded form, the provision relating to the supply of prescription poisons to hospitals and other institutions.

Regulation 3, which comes into force 3 months after the date of the notification of these regulations in the *Gazette*, makes amphetamines prohibited substances within the meaning of the regulations. This means that, after the expiration of that period, amphetamines may not be sold except to the extent and in the circumstances approved by the Minister of Health either generally or in relation to any particular case or class of cases.

Issued under the authority of the Regulations Act 1936.

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These regulations are administered in the Department of Health.