

1984/83



THE PODIATRISTS REGULATIONS 1982, AMENDMENT NO. 1

DAVID BEATTIE, Governor-General

ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Government Buildings at Wellington this 26th day
of March 1984

Present:

THE RIGHT HON. SIR ROBERT MULDOON PRESIDING IN COUNCIL

PURSUANT to section 40 of the Medical and Dental Auxiliaries Act 1966, 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 Podiatrists Regulations 1982, Amendment No. 1, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Podiatrists Regulations 1982* (hereinafter referred to as the principal regulations).

(2) These regulations shall come into force on the 1st day of April 1984.

2. Qualifications for registration—The principal regulations are hereby amended by revoking regulation 4, and substituting the following regulation:

“4. (1) Subject to section 17 of the Act, every person shall be entitled to registration as a podiatrist who satisfies the Board—

“(a) That he has undergone the appropriate course of training and passed the appropriate examination or examinations prescribed by, and conducted with the approval of, the Board for the purposes of this paragraph, under—

(i) The Vocational Awards Act 1979; or

(ii) The Education Act 1964; or

“(b) That he has undergone, elsewhere than in New Zealand, a course of training in podiatry approved by the Board for the purposes of this paragraph, and has passed an examination in the theory and practice of podiatry that is either oral or written, or partly oral and partly written, conducted by or on behalf of the Board.

“(2) Every application for registration shall be in form 1 in the First Schedule to these regulations, and shall be accompanied by the documents indicated in that form and such other evidence as the Board may require.

“(3) The fees prescribed in respect of registration, certificates of registration, and annual licences shall accompany applications for registration.”

3. Exceptions to statutory prohibition—(1) Regulation 6 (b) of the principal regulations is hereby revoked.

(2) Regulation 6 of the principal regulations is hereby further amended by revoking paragraph (d), and substituting the following paragraph:

“(d) The performance of podiatry by a person registered as a physiotherapist under the Physiotherapy Act 1949 in the course of the practice by that person of physiotherapy (within the meaning of section 2 (1) of that Act), or by any person as part of a course of training for students seeking to qualify as physiotherapists:”.

4. Appeals—Regulation 8 (3) of the principal regulations is hereby amended by omitting the word “apeal”, and substituting the word “appeal”.

5. Fees—Regulation 9 (8) of the principal regulations is hereby amended by omitting the expression “4 (1)(g)”, and substituting the expression “4 (1) (b)”.

6. New form 1 prescribed—The First Schedule to the principal regulations is hereby amended by revoking form 1, and substituting the new form 1 set out in the Schedule to these regulations.

SCHEDULE

Reg. 6

NEW FORM 1 PRESCRIBED

“FORM 1

APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION AS PODIATRIST Reg. 4 (2)

(Note: When completing this form, strike out words that do not apply, and refer to the note at the end of this form. Please complete this form in BLOCK LETTERS.)

To the Secretary, Podiatrists Board, Wellington.

PART A

I hereby apply for registration as a podiatrist on the grounds that—

- (a) I have undergone a course of training, and have passed an examination(s), referred to in regulation 4 (1) (a) of the Podiatrists Regulations 1982; or
- (b) I have undergone a course of training, and have passed an examination in the theory and practice of podiatry, in accordance with regulation 4 (1) (b) of the Podiatrists Regulations 1982.

SCHEDULE—continued

PART B

- 1. My full name is [surname first]
- 2. On obtaining registration my business address will be
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- 3. The address to which communications should be sent pending registration is
- 4. My home address [including number of house and name of street, where possible] is
- 5. For the purpose of providing evidence of my personal character, I enclose the names and addresses of 2 persons who would, if required, furnish a testimonial.

PART C

I enclose a certificate of training and a certificate that I have passed the examination(s) prescribed or required by the Board.

I hereby certify that the information given above is true and correct in every particular.

Signature of applicant:

Date:

Place:

Note: This application must be accompanied by the following fees:

For registration	\$20
For a certificate of registration	\$3
For a provisional certificate	\$2
For annual licence	\$20

P. G. MILLEN,
Clerk of the Executive Council.



EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

Regulation 2 revises the grounds on which a person may seek registration as a podiatrist. In particular, virtual automatic registration on the basis of a United Kingdom qualification or equivalent is removed.

Regulation 3 removes persons assisting medical practitioners, physiotherapists, or podiatrists from the class of persons entitled to practise podiatry without registering as a podiatrist. Medical practitioners, physiotherapists, and those training to become medical practitioners or physiotherapists remain exempt from the requirement to register as podiatrists.

Regulation 4 corrects a spelling error in the principal regulations.

Regulation 5 is consequential upon regulation 2.

Regulation 6 substitutes a new form of application for registration as a podiatrist.

Issued under the authority of the Regulations Act 1936.

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This order is administered in the Department of Health.