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THE ARTIFICIAL AIDS NOTICE 1954, AMENDMENT NO. 5

PURSUANT to regulation 4 of the Social Security (Hospital Benefits for Outpatients) Regulations 1947,* the Minister of Health hereby gives the following notice.

NOTICE

1. This notice may be cited as the Artificial Aids Notice 1954, Amendment No. 5, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Artificial Aids Notice 1954† (hereinafter referred to as the principal notice).

2. Paragraph (g) of clause 4 of the principal notice, as amended by clause 3 of the Artificial Aids Notice 1954, Amendment No. 4, is hereby further amended by adding to the second proviso the words "or to artificial aids supplied to a patient under sixteen years of age".

3. Clause 5 of the principal notice is hereby amended by adding the

following proviso:

"Provided that, in any case in which no part of the cost would have been recoverable from the patient under the said paragraph (g) if the splint had been manufactured by the Hospital Board, the Board may pay on behalf of the patient the whole of such price or amount as the case may be."

4. Paragraph (f) of clause 6 of the principal notice is hereby amended

by adding the following additional proviso:

"Provided also that nothing in this paragraph shall apply to the cost of the repair of an artificial aid in the case of a patient under sixteen years of age."

Dated at Wellington this 27th day of August 1962.

D. N. McKAY, Minister of Health.

*S.R. 1947/68
Amendment No. 1: S.R. 1951/5
Amendment No. 2: S.R. 1951/84
†S.R. 1954/195
Amendment No. 1: S.R. 1955/58
Amendment No. 2: S.R. 1955/113
Amendment No. 3: S.R. 1959/174
Amendment No. 4: S.R. 1960/8

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This note is not part of the notice, but is intended to indicate its general effect.

This notice provides for the free supply and repair of artificial aids for children under 16 years of age.

Issued under the authority of the Regulations Act 1936. Date of notification in *Gazette*: 6 September 1962. These regulations are administered in the Department of Health.