

# THE ACCIDENT COMPENSATION (AUDIOLOGISTS COSTS) REGULATIONS 1990, AMENDMENT NO. 1

### CATHERINE A. TIZARD, Governor-General

### ORDER IN COUNCIL

At Wellington this 16th day of December 1991

### Present:

THE HON. W. F. BIRCH PRESIDING IN COUNCIL

PURSUANT to section 120 (1) (f) of the Accident Compensation Act 1982, Her 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 Accident Compensation (Audiologists Costs) Regulations 1990, Amendment No. 1, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Accident Compensation (Audiologists Costs) Regulations 1990\* (hereinafter referred to as the principal regulations).
- (2) These regulations shall come into force on the 1st day of February 1992.
- 2. New schedule substituted—The principal regulations are hereby amended by revoking the Schedule, and substituting the Schedule set out in the Schedule to these regulations.

**3. Saving**—Notwithstanding regulation 2 of these regulations, where an audiologist has provided, at any time in the period beginning on the 15th day of October 1990 and ending with the close of the 31st day of January 1992, treatment in respect of personal injury by accident, the principal regulations shall be read as if the amendment made by regulation 2 of these regulations had not been made.

## SCHEDULE

Reg. 2

### NEW SCHEDULE SUBSTITUTED

### "SCHEDULE Reg. 4

COSTS PAYABLE BY CORPORATION IN RESPECT OF TREATMENTS PROVIDED BY AUDIOLOGISTS

The costs payable by the Corporation for treatments that are audiological services specified in this Schedule and performed by an audiologist are the costs specified below in respect of that service (less any Social Security benefit) or the costs that the audiologist would have charged the claimant if the service were one for which the Corporation was not making a payment (less any Social Security benefit), whichever is the lesser:

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1. Consultation						19.15
2. Pure-tone audiometr	ry					47.80
3. Impedance tympano	ometry					38.25
4. Brain-stem evoked response (brain-damaged persons only)						66.95"

### MARIE SHROFF, 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 Accident Compensation (Audiologists Costs) Regulations 1990, with effect on and after 1 February 1992, by reducing the maximum amounts that the Corporation may pay in respect of treatments provided by audiologists by 15 percent.

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