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

# CATHERINE A. TIZARD, Governor-General

## ORDER IN COUNCIL

## At Wellington this 2nd day of March 1992

Present:

THE HON. P. R. BURDON 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 (Anaesthetists Costs) Regulations 1990, Amendment No. 1, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Accident Compensation (Anaesthetists Costs) Regulations 1990\* (hereinafter referred to as the principal regulations).

(2) These regulations shall come into force on the 1st day of April 1992.

2. Consultation costs—Regulation 8 of the principal regulations is hereby amended by omitting the expressions "\$90" and "\$45", and substituting the expressions "\$76.50" and "\$38.25" respectively.

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**8. Schedule amended**—The Schedule to the principal regulations is hereby amended by omitting the expression "\$31.50", and substituting the expression "\$26.80".

**4. Saving**—Notwithstanding regulations 2 and 3 of these regulations, where an anaesthetist 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 March 1992, treatment in respect of personal injury by accident, the principal regulations shall be read as if the amendments made by regulations 2 and 3 of these regulations had not been made.

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, which come into force on 1 April 1992, reduce by 15 percent the maximum amounts that the Accident Compensation Corporation may pay in respect of treatments provided by anaesthetists.

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