



**THE ACCIDENT COMPENSATION (PHARMACEUTICAL COSTS)
REGULATIONS 1990, AMENDMENT NO. 2**

MICHAEL HARDIE BOYS, Governor-General

ORDER IN COUNCIL

At Wellington this 30th day of September 1996

Present:

THE HON. DOUG KIDD PRESIDING IN COUNCIL

PURSUANT to section 167 (1) (l) of the Accident Rehabilitation and Compensation Insurance Act 1992, 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 Accident Compensation (Pharmaceutical Costs) Regulations 1990, Amendment No. 2, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Accident Compensation (Pharmaceutical Costs) Regulations 1990* (in these regulations referred to as the principal regulations).

(2) These regulations shall come into force on the 28th day after the date of their notification in the *Gazette*.

2. Interpretation—(1) Regulation 2 of the principal regulations is hereby amended by revoking the definition of the term “general practitioner”, and substituting the following definition:

“‘General practitioner’ has the meaning given to it by regulation 2A of the Accident Rehabilitation and Compensation Insurance (General Practitioners Costs) Regulations 1993.”

(2) Regulation 2 of the principal regulations is hereby further amended by revoking the definition of the term “registered medical practitioner”, and substituting the following definition:

“‘Registered medical practitioner’ means any person who—

“(a) Is entitled to practise medicine under the title of medical practitioner pursuant to section 9 of the Medical Practitioners Act 1995; and

“(b) Holds a current certificate issued under that Act or the Medical Practitioners Act 1968 evidencing that entitlement to practise medicine.”

3. Relationship between regulations and purchase agreements—

Regulation 5A of the principal regulations (as inserted by regulation 5 of the Accident Compensation (Pharmaceutical Costs) Regulations 1990, Amendment No. 1) is hereby amended by omitting the expression “section 27B”, and substituting the expression “section 27 (4)”.

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 (Pharmaceutical Costs) Regulations 1990. The amendments make changes that are consequential on the coming into force of the Medical Practitioners Act 1995 and the Accident Rehabilitation and Compensation Insurance Amendment Act (No. 2) 1996.

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These regulations are administered in the Accident Rehabilitation and Compensation Insurance Corporation.