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## THE ACCIDENT REHABILITATION AND COMPENSATION INSURANCE (OCCUPATIONAL DEAFNESS ASSESSMENT PROCEDURES) REGULATIONS 1992, AMENDMENT NO. 1

# 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 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 Rehabilitation and Compensation Insurance (Occupational Deafness Assessment Procedures) Regulations 1992, Amendment No. 1, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Accident Rehabilitation and Compensation Insurance (Occupational Deafness Assessment Procedures) Regulations 1992\* (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*.

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**2. Interpretation**—Regulation 2 (1) of the principal regulations is hereby amended by revoking the definition of the term "otolaryngologist", and substituting the following definition:

" 'Otolaryngologist' means any registered medical practitioner who-

"(a) Holds vocational registration, within the meaning of the Medical Practitioners Act 1995, in the branch of medicine of otolaryngology; and

"(b) Is, in performing any function under these regulations, practising within that branch of medicine; and

"(c) Is, in performing any function under these regulations, practising in accordance with any condition of his or her registration or practising certificate, including any condition imposed by any order made under section 110 of the Medical Practitioners Act 1995 or section 58 of the Medical Practitioners Act 1968; and

"(d) Is, where the registered medical practitioner's registration or practising certificate is subject to any condition, or where the registered medical practitioner is subject to any order made under section 110 of the Medical Practitioners Act 1995 or section 58 of the Medical Practitioners Act 1968, a suitable person, in the opinion of the Corporation, to perform any function required or permitted by these regulations to be performed by an otolaryngologist:".

> 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 Rehabilitation and Compensation Insurance (Occupational Deafness Assessment Procedures) Regulations 1992. The amendments make changes that are consequential on the coming into force of the Medical Practitioners Act 1995.

Issued under the authority of the Acts and Regulations Publication Act 1989.

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