

1956/124**THE DRUG TARIFF 1953, AMENDMENT NO. 12**

PURSUANT to section 90 of the Social Security Act 1938, the Minister of Health hereby gives the following direction:

1. This direction may be cited as the Drug Tariff 1953, Amendment No. 12, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Drug Tariff 1953* (hereinafter referred to as the Drug Tariff).

2. (1) The Seventh Schedule to the Drug Tariff is hereby amended by revoking rule 13, as substituted by clause 4 (1) of the Drug Tariff 1953, Amendment No. 10, and amended by clause 2 of the Drug Tariff 1953, Amendment No. 11, and substituting the following rule:

“13. *Application to Prescription Pricing Supplements*—For the purpose of payment of pharmaceutical benefits claims, the pricing of a medical prescription in accordance with rule 1 of this Schedule shall apply to—

- “(a) The Official Schedules and Rules for Prescription Pricing (November 1955) issued by the Department of Health, in respect of all claims and supporting prescriptions, whatever the date thereof, received by a Medical Officer of Health on or after the 16th day of November 1955:
- “(b) The Prescription Pricing Supplement 1956/1, issued by the said Department, in respect of all claims and supporting prescriptions, whatever the date thereof, received by a Medical Officer of Health on or after the 16th day of February 1956:
- “(c) The Prescription Pricing Supplement 1956/2, issued by the said Department, in respect of all claims and supporting prescriptions, whatever the date thereof, received by a Medical Officer of Health on or after the 16th day of May 1956:
- “(d) The Prescription Pricing Supplement 1956/3, issued by the said Department, in respect of all claims and supporting prescriptions, whatever the date thereof, received by a Medical Officer of Health on or after the 16th day of August 1956.”

*S.R. 1953/123

Amendments Nos. 1 and 2: (*Revoked by S.R. 1954/119*)
 Amendment No. 3: S.R. 1954/119
 Amendment No. 4: (*Revoked by S.R. 1955/12*)
 Amendment No. 5: (*Revoked by S.R. 1955/127*)
 Amendment No. 6: S.R. 1955/12
 Amendment No. 7: (*Revoked by S.R. 1955/127*)
 Amendment No. 8: S.R. 1955/127
 Amendment No. 9: (*Revoked by S.R. 1956/1*)
 Amendment No. 10: S.R. 1956/1
 Amendment No. 11: S.R. 1956/59

(2) Clause 4 of the Drug Tariff 1953, Amendment No. 10*, and clause 2 of the Drug Tariff 1953, Amendment No. 11†, are hereby revoked.

Dated at Wellington this 13th day of August 1956.

J. R. HANAN,
Minister of Health.

*S.R. 1956/1

†S.R. 1956/59

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This direction extends the application of the pricing rules of the Drug Tariff to the Prescription Pricing Supplement 1956/3.

Issued under the authority of the Regulations Act 1936.

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These regulations are administered in the Department of Health.