

THE ELECTROPLATING REGULATIONS 1950, AMENDMENT NO. 1

COBHAM, Governor-General ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Government House at Wellington this 16th day of October 1957

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL

Pursuant to the Health Act 1956, His Excellency the Governor-General, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, hereby makes the following regulations.

REGULATIONS

- 1. These regulations may be cited as the Electroplating Regulations 1950, Amendment No. 1, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Electroplating Regulations 1950* (hereinafter referred to as the principal regulations).
- 2. Regulation 21 of the principal regulations is hereby amended by omitting from subclause (1) the words "or an officer of the Department of Health authorised to do so by the Director-General of Health", and substituting the words "or any registered nurse authorised to do so by a Medical Officer of Health".
- 3. The principal regulations are hereby further amended by inserting, after regulation 22, the following regulation:
- "22A. (1) A notice under regulation 22 hereof to an employer who is the occupier of a factory may be served either by delivering it to any occupier within the meaning of the Factories Act 1946, or by posting it by registered letter addressed to the occupier at the factory.

"(2) A notice so posted shall be deemed to have been served at the time when the registered letter would be delivered in the ordinary course of post

of post.

"(3) Every notice so served shall bind every person who by virtue of the definition of the term 'occupier' in section 3 of the Factories Act 1946 is deemed to be an occupier of the factory."

> T. J. SHERRARD, Clerk of the Executive Council.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This note is not part of the regulations, but is intended to indicate their general effect.

The effect of the amendment made by regulation 2 of these regulations is that examinations of the hands, forearms, and noses of electroplating workers, while at work, may now be made not only by the Medical Officer of Health or an authorised doctor, but also by any registered nurse authorised by the Medical Officer of Health. Formerly, authority to persons other than doctors could be given only to officers of the Department of Health, and then only by the Director-General. Regulation 3 specifies the method of serving, on occupiers of factories, notices suspending the employment, in electroplating, of workers whose health is affected.

Issued under the authority of the Regulations Act 1936. Date of notification in Gazette: 17 October 1957. These regulations are administered in the Department of Health.