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THE HEARING AIDS NOTICE 1957, AMENDMENT NO. 2

PURSUANT to regulation 4 of the Social Security (Hospital Benefits for Outpatients) Regulations 1947, the Minister of Health hereby gives the following notice.

NOTICE

1. This notice may be cited as the Hearing Aids Notice 1957, Amendment No. 2, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Hearing Aids Notice 1957* (hereinafter referred to as the principal notice).

2. The principal notice is hereby amended by inserting, after clause 6, the following clause:

“6A. Notwithstanding anything in the preceding provisions of this notice, in any case where the patient is a child under the age of 16 years, a Hospital Board may from time to time supply free of charge, or pay to or on behalf of the parent or guardian of the child the cost of, a new insert (being that part of an electrical hearing aid approved under clause 7 of this notice which is inserted into the ear), if, in the opinion of an otologist employed or engaged by the Board, the replacement insert will benefit the hearing of the patient to an extent that the insert already issued does not.”

Dated at Wellington this 28th day of April 1966.

D. N. McKAY, Minister of Health.

*S.R. 1957/85
Amendment No. 1: S.R. 1957/192

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This notice provides for the free replacement of ear inserts to children who have previously been supplied with a hearing aid under the principal notice.

Issued under the authority of the Regulations Act 1936.

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These regulations are administered in the Department of Health.