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**THE HOSPITAL EMPLOYMENT (ORTHOPAEDIC
TECHNICIANS) REGULATIONS 1963,
AMENDMENT NO. 2**

BERNARD FERGUSSON, Governor-General
ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Government House at Wellington this 23rd day of June 1965

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL

PURSUANT to the Hospitals Act 1957, 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 Hospital Employment (Orthopaedic Technicians) Regulations 1963, Amendment No. 2, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Hospital Employment (Orthopaedic Technicians) Regulations 1963* (hereinafter referred to as the special regulations).

Commencement

2. (1) The scales of salaries and wages specified in the Schedule to regulation 4 of the special regulations (as substituted by regulation 4 hereof), shall be deemed to have come into force on the dates respectively shown in the headings of the columns therein headed "Yearly Rate of Salary on and from 1 August 1963", "Yearly Rate of Salary on and from 1 April 1964", and "Yearly Rate of Salary on and from 26 August 1964".

(2) Regulation 3 of these regulations shall be deemed to have come into force on the 1st day of April 1964.

(3) Except as aforesaid or as otherwise specified herein, these regulations shall be deemed to have come into force on the 1st day of April 1965.

3. Regulation 3 of the special regulations is hereby amended by inserting in paragraph (a) of the definition of the term "foreman", after the words "orthopaedic technicians", the words "or trainees".

4. (1) Regulation 4 of the special regulations is hereby amended by revoking the Schedule to subclause (1) (as substituted by regulation 3 of the Hospital Employment (Orthopaedic Technicians) Regulations 1963, Amendment No. 1), and substituting the following Schedule:

**“SCHEDULE: SCALES OF SALARIES AND WAGES OF ORTHOPAEDIC
TECHNICIANS AND TRAINEES**

| Position | Yearly Rate of Salary on and from 1 August 1963 | Yearly Rate of Salary on and from 1 April 1964 | Yearly Rate of Salary on and from 26 August 1964 |
|---|--|---|---|
| “1. Foreman— | | | |
| “(a) (i) First year | £ 1,035 | £ 1,035 | £ 1,080 |
| (ii) Second year | 1,085 | 1,090 | 1,135 |
| “(b) Subject to the prior approval of the Director-General, a Board may, in special circumstances, determine in respect of a foreman in charge of an orthopaedic department or a section thereof in which in each case the establishment of staff is not less than eight a yearly rate of salary of | 1,140 | 1,150 | 1,195 |
| “2. Leading Hand— | | | |
| “(a) Where a leading hand is in charge of an orthopaedic department | 1,015 | 1,015 | 1,060 |
| “(b) In any other case | 985 | 985 | 1,030 |
| “3. Journeyman— | | | |
| “(a) (i) First year | 886 | 886 | 930 |
| (ii) Second year | 909 | 909 | 954 |
| (iii) Third year | 943 | 943 | 988 |
| “(b) The maximum yearly rates specified in paragraph (a) of this clause are subject to the provisions of paragraphs (c) and (d) of this clause. | | | |
| “(c) Where a person appointed as a journeyman has had at least 12 months’ experience in a related trade after completing his apprenticeship in that trade, the Board may, at its discretion, pay him the salary for the second year after three months’ service on the salary for the first year. | | | |
| “(d) The salary of a journeyman who has not completed an apprenticeship either in a related trade or in an orthopaedic department shall not be advanced beyond the rate for the first year until he has served such time as would have been necessary to complete such an apprenticeship. | | | |
| “4. Trainee— | | | |
| “(a) First year | 374 | 374 | 393 |
| “(b) Second year | 400 | 400 | 420 |
| “(c) Third year | 461 | 461 | 484 |
| “(d) Fourth year | 538 | 538 | 565 |
| “(e) Fifth year | 625 | 625 | 657 |
| “(f) The yearly rates specified in the foregoing provisions of this clause are subject to the provisions of paragraph (g) of this clause. | | | |
| “(g) Subject to the prior approval of the Director-General, a commencing salary higher than the first-year salary may be paid having regard to the age, educational qualifications, and experience of the person to be appointed as a trainee.” | | | |

(2) Regulation 3 of the Hospital Employment (Orthopaedic Technicians) Regulations 1963, Amendment No. 1, is hereby revoked.

5. (1) The special regulations are hereby further amended by revoking regulation 6 (as substituted by regulation 5 of the Hospital Employment (Orthopaedic Technicians) Regulations 1963, Amendment No. 1), and substituting the following regulation:

“Lodging Allowances for Certain Trainees

“6. Where in the opinion of a Board a trainee is reasonably required by his circumstances to live away from home, the Board may pay him a lodging allowance according to the following scale, namely:

| Yearly Rate of Salary | Yearly Rate of Lodging Allowance |
|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| £ | £ |
| “(a) On and from 1 August 1963— | |
| 374 | 67 |
| 400 | 67 |
| 461 | 41 |
| “(b) On and from 26 August 1964— | |
| 393 | 67 |
| 420 | 67 |
| 484 | 41” |

(2) Regulation 5 of the Hospital Employment (Orthopaedic Technicians) Regulations 1963, Amendment No. 1, is hereby revoked.

6. The special regulations are hereby further amended by revoking regulation 7, and substituting the following regulation:

“Deduction for Board and Lodging

“7. (1) Notwithstanding the provisions of regulation 5 of the principal regulations, in respect of any period during which a Board provides an orthopaedic technician or trainee with board and lodging, it shall make a deduction from the salary of the employee concerned at the rate of £4 per week, and, where accommodation additional to a bedroom is provided for the personal use of an orthopaedic technician or trainee, the Director-General shall determine a rate exceeding £4 per week but not exceeding £5 per week and no cleaning services or other requisites, services, or supplies shall be provided in either case by a Board to the personal room of an orthopaedic technician or trainee.

“(2) No deduction shall be made from the salary of any employee who is provided with board and lodging, in respect of any period during which the employee is living away from the accommodation provided by the Board, on account of annual leave, sick leave, or special leave.”

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.

These regulations provide amended conditions of employment for orthopaedic technicians employed by Hospital Boards.

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These regulations are administered in the Department of Health.