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THE HEALTH (DRAINLAYERS' REGISTRATION) REGULATIONS 1948, AMENDMENT NO. 3

C. W. M. NORRIE, Governor-General

ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Government House at Wellington this 15th day of December 1954

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL

PURSUANT to the Health Act 1920, 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 Health (Drainlayers' Registration) Regulations 1948, Amendment No. 3, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Health (Drainlayers' Registration) Regulations 1948* (hereinafter referred to as the principal regulations).

2. (1) The principal regulations are hereby amended by repealing regulation 7A, as inserted by the Health (Drainlayers' Registration) Regulations 1948, Amendment No. 2, and substituting the following regulation:

"7A. Before presenting himself for examination, each candidate shall produce to the person to whom his application is made written evidence, to the satisfaction of that person, that he has worked as a drainlayer, under the supervision of a registered drainlayer, for not less than six months during the period of one year immediately preceding the date of his application:

"Provided that this regulation shall not apply to any candidate who has duly completed his apprenticeship in the plumbing trade."

(2) The Health (Drainlayers' Registration) Regulations 1948, Amendment No. 2, are hereby consequentially revoked.

*Statutory Regulations 1948, Serial number 1948/163, page 499.

Amendment No. 1: Statutory Regulations 1950, Serial number 1950/101, page 304.

Amendment No. 2: Statutory Regulations 1953, Serial number 1953/145, page 692.

3. Regulation 12 of the principal regulations is hereby amended by revoking paragraph (b), and substituting the following paragraph:

“(b) That he is the holder of a registration certificate in any district, or has been the holder of such a certificate at a time not earlier than four years before the date of his application for registration or re-registration; or”

4. The principal regulations are hereby further amended by repealing regulation 16, and substituting the following regulation:

“16. If any registration certificate is endorsed and the holder applies for registration or re-registration in the same or another district, the Medical Officer of Health to whom the application is made shall note on any registration certificate issued by him to the applicant, and in the Register of Drainlayers, every endorsement relating to any breach or non-compliance on a date not earlier than two years before the date of the application for registration or re-registration.”

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.]

By the Health (Drainlayers' Registration) Regulations 1948, Amendment No. 2, it was provided that every candidate for examination in drainlaying, before presenting himself for examination, must produce to the examiner satisfactory written evidence that he has worked as a drainlayer, under the supervision of a registered drainlayer, for not less than six months during the year preceding the date of his application to be examined. Regulation 2 of these regulations re-enacts that provision, with the exception that it does not apply to a candidate who has duly completed his apprenticeship in the plumbing trade.

Regulations 3 and 4 clarify the provisions of the principal regulations relating to registration and the endorsement of registration certificates. In future, when a drainlayer applies for re-registration, the only endorsements that are to be carried forward from his previous registration certificate to the new certificate are those relating to breaches committed within two years before the date of the application.

Issued under the authority of the Regulations Act 1936.

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These regulations are administered in the Department of Health.