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**THE MEDICAL PRACTITIONERS (OVERSEAS  
QUALIFICATIONS) ORDER 1973**

DENIS BLUNDELL, Governor-General

**ORDER IN COUNCIL**

At the Government House at Wellington this 3rd day of December 1973

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL

PURSUANT to section 15 of the Medical Practitioners Act 1968, His Excellency the Governor-General, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, hereby makes the following order.

**ORDER**

**1. Title and commencement**—(1) This order may be cited as the Medical Practitioners (Overseas Qualifications) Order 1973.

(2) This order shall come into force on the day after the date of its notification in the *Gazette*.

**2. Overseas qualifications for conditional registration**—The Third Schedule to the Medical Practitioners Act 1968 (as added by section 5 (3) (b) of the Medical Practitioners Amendment Act 1970) is hereby amended—

(a) By omitting item 13, relating to Laval University, and substituting the following item:

“13. Doctor of Medicine | Laval University.”:

(b) By omitting item 14, relating to the University of Manitoba:

(c) By inserting after item 19, relating to Queen’s University, the following item:

“19A. Doctor of Medicine | Queen’s University.”:

(d) By inserting after item 22, relating to the University of Western Ontario, the following items:

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| “22A. Doctor of Medicine | University of Calgary.     |
| “22B. Doctor of Medicine | McMaster University.       |
| “22C. Doctor of Medicine | Memorial University.       |
| “22D. Doctor of Medicine | University of Sherbrooke.” |

P. G. MILLEN,

Clerk of the Executive Council.

## EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This order amends the Third Schedule to the Medical Practitioners Act 1968 which specifies overseas qualifications that are recognised in New Zealand for the purpose of conditional registration of practitioners under the Act.

The amendments relate to Canadian qualifications.

Paragraphs (a) and (b) of clause 2 of the order correct the Schedule as a result of amended information received from Canada concerning degrees granted by Laval University and the University of Manitoba.

Clause 2 (c) recognises a change in the description of the degree granted by Queen's University.

Clause 2 (d) adds 4 new qualifications to the Schedule.

The amendments do not affect the rights of practitioners.

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This order is administered in the Department of Health.