

**1971/204**

**THE RADIO REGULATIONS 1970, AMENDMENT NO. 1**

ARTHUR PORRITT, Governor-General

**ORDER IN COUNCIL**

At the Government House at Wellington this 27th day of September 1971

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL

PURSUANT to the Post Office Act 1959, His Excellency the Governor-General, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, hereby makes the following regulations.

**REGULATIONS**

**1. Title and commencement**—(1) These regulations may be cited as the Radio Regulations 1970, Amendment No. 1, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Radio Regulations 1970\* (hereinafter referred to as the principal regulations).

(2) These regulations shall come into force on the 1st day of October 1971.

**2. Interpretation**—Regulation 2 of the principal regulations is hereby amended by omitting from the definition of the term “radio hirer” the words “sound broadcast receiving apparatus”.

**3. Licence or construction permit required for a station**—Regulation 9 of the principal regulations is hereby amended by adding the following subclause:

“(3) Notwithstanding anything in subclause (1) of this regulation, that subclause shall not apply in respect of apparatus for the reception of radiocommunications in the sound broadcasting service.”

**4. Classes of licences that may be granted**—(1) Regulation 11 of the principal regulations is hereby amended by revoking paragraph (c), and substituting the following paragraph:

“(c) For broadcast receiving stations, television broadcast receiving station licence:”.

(2) The said regulation 11 is hereby further amended by revoking subparagraph (i) of paragraph (d).

(3) Sound broadcast receiving station licences, multiple sound broadcast receiving station licences, and radio hirers licences Class I in force on the 30th day of September 1971 shall be deemed to expire on that date, but no portion of the fees for any such licences shall be refunded.

(4) Combined broadcast receiving station licences in force on the 1st day of October 1971 shall, on and after that date, be deemed to be television broadcast receiving station licences, but no portion of the fees paid for any such licences in respect of the reception of sound broadcast communications shall be refunded.

**5. Commencing date for licensing year**—Regulation 22 of the principal regulations is hereby amended by omitting from paragraph (c) the words “a sound broadcast receiving station licence”, and also the words “a combined broadcast receiving station licence, or a radio hirers licence of Class I”.

**6. Licence incorporates privileges of sound broadcast receiving station licence**—Regulation 137 of the principal regulations is hereby revoked.

**7. Sound broadcast receiving stations**—Part XII of the principal regulations is hereby revoked.

**8. Statement to be furnished**—Regulation 159 of the principal regulations is hereby revoked.

**9. Combined broadcast receiving station licences**—Part XIV of the principal regulations is hereby revoked.

**10. Licence to be obtained**—Regulation 174 of the principal regulations is hereby amended by omitting the words “sound broadcast receiving apparatus”.

**11. Application of provisions**—Regulation 175 of the principal regulations is hereby amended by omitting the words “Part XII, Part XIII, and Part XIV”, and substituting the words “and Part XIII”.

**12. Classes of licences**—(1) Regulation 176 of the principal regulations is hereby amended by revoking subclause (1), and substituting the following subclause:

“(1) Radio hirers licences shall be divided into 2 classes to be known as Class II and Class III.”

(2) The said regulation 176 is hereby further amended by revoking subclause (2).

(3) The said regulation 176 is hereby further amended by omitting from subclause (3) the words “or Part XIV”.

**13. Receiving apparatus to be marked**—Regulation 180 of the principal regulations is hereby amended by omitting from subclause (1) the words “Every set of sound broadcast receiving apparatus and”.

**14. Time limitation in respect of sound broadcast receiving apparatus**—Regulation 185 of the principal regulations is hereby revoked.

**15. Information about apparatus on hire**—Regulation 187 of the principal regulations is hereby amended by omitting the words “sound broadcast receiving apparatus”.

**16. Demonstration**—Regulation 192 of the principal regulations is hereby amended—

- (a) By omitting the words “sound broadcast receiving apparatus or”:
- (b) By omitting the words “7 days in the case of sound broadcast receiving apparatus or 14 days in the case of television broadcast receiving apparatus”, and substituting the words “14 days”.

**17. Fees payable in respect of licences issued under the Radio Regulations 1970**—(1) The First Schedule to the principal regulations is hereby amended—

- (a) By revoking clause 12:
- (b) By omitting from clause 13 the words “\$13 per annum”, and substituting the words “\$20 per annum”:
- (c) By revoking clause 14:
- (d) By revoking paragraph (a) of clause 15:
- (e) By omitting from paragraph (b) of clause 15 the words “\$13 per annum or \$1.08 per calendar month”, and substituting the words “\$20 per annum or \$1.66 per calendar month”.

(2) Paragraph (b) of subclause (1) of this regulation shall apply where payment of a fee in respect of any television broadcast receiving station licence—

- (a) Is made on or after the 1st day of October 1971 (irrespective of the period of the licence for which the fee is so paid; or
- (b) Is made in respect of a period commencing on or after the 1st day of October 1971 (irrespective of the date of payment):

Provided that the said paragraph (b) shall not apply to any television broadcast receiving station licence, including any combined broadcast receiving station licence which is deemed by subclause (4) of regulation 4 of these regulations to be a television broadcast receiving station licence, which expired before the 1st day of October 1971 and is renewed before that date, in respect of the period for which it is so renewed.

(3) Paragraph (e) of subclause (1) of this regulation shall apply where payment of a fee in respect of any radio hirers licence Class II is made in respect of a period commencing on or after the 1st day of October 1971 (irrespective of the date of payment).

P. J. BROOKS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These regulations abolish sound broadcasting receiving station licences, multiple sound broadcast receiving station licences, radio hirers licences Class I, and combined broadcast receiving station licences, and increase the fees for television broadcast receiving licences and for radio hirers licences Class II.

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