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**THE SOCIAL SECURITY (MATERNITY BENEFITS)  
REGULATIONS 1939, AMENDMENT NO. 5**

C. W. M. NORRIE, Governor-General  
ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Government House at Wellington this 1st day of December 1954

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL

PURSUANT to the Social Security Act 1938, 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 Social Security (Maternity Benefits) Regulations 1939, Amendment No. 5, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Social Security (Maternity Benefits) Regulations 1939\*.

2. Regulation 3 of the Social Security (Maternity Benefits) Regulations 1939, Amendment No. 4, is hereby amended, as from the date of the making thereof, by omitting from subclause (1) the words "date of the birth of the child is", and substituting the words "maternity benefits are afforded on".

T. J. SHERRARD,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

\*Statutory Regulations 1939, Serial number 1939/43, page 207.

Reprinted with Amendments Nos. 1 and 2: Statutory Regulations 1950, Serial number 1950/114, page 374.

Amendment No. 3: Statutory Regulations 1951, Serial number 1951/88, page 304.

Amendment No. 4: Statutory Regulations 1954, Serial number 1954/151, page 782.

## EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These regulations provide that the increased fees of £1 10s. a day payable to Hospital Boards and licensees of maternity hospitals for maternity benefits are to apply in all cases where the benefits have been provided on or after 1 October 1954, and not only where the birth occurred on or after that date.

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These regulations are administered in the Department of Health.