

Serial Number 1951/90

**THE SOCIAL SECURITY (X-RAY DIAGNOSTIC SERVICES)
REGULATIONS 1941, AMENDMENT NO. 2**

B. C. FREYBERG, Governor-General

ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 17th day of
April, 1951

Present :

THE RIGHT HON. S. G. HOLLAND PRESIDING 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, doth hereby make the following regulations.

REGULATIONS

1. These regulations may be cited as the Social Security (X-ray Diagnostic Services) Regulations 1941, Amendment No. 2, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Social Security (X-ray Diagnostic Services) Regulations 1941 * (hereinafter referred to as the principal regulations).

2. (1) Regulation 10 of the principal regulations is hereby amended by adding the following subclause :—

“ (3) Notwithstanding anything in the foregoing provisions of this regulation, for the financial year commencing on the 1st day of April, 1951, and for each subsequent financial year the Minister may direct with respect to any specified Hospital Board that, instead of the Board receiving payment of the prescribed fees calculated according to the actual number of services provided, there shall be paid to the Board in respect of all services to which these regulations apply performed in that year by a medical practitioner employed or engaged by the Board such sum as the Minister determines, being an amount which in his opinion would be payable for that year in respect of those services had the amount been calculated in accordance with the actual number of services provided. Every direction or determination by the Minister under this subclause shall be final.”

(2) Regulation 9 of the principal regulations is hereby amended by inserting in subclause (1), before the word “ Fees ”, the words “ Subject to the provisions of subclause (3) of regulation 10 hereof ”.

(3) Regulation 12 of the principal regulations is hereby amended by adding to subclause (1) the following proviso :—

“ Provided that no such claim need be made by a Hospital Board in any case where the Minister has directed payment to the Board of a lump sum under the provisions of subclause (3) of regulation 10 hereof.”

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

* Statutory Regulations 1941, Serial number 1941/122, page 390.
Reprinted with Amendment No. 1 : Statutory Regulations 1950, Serial number 1950/115, page 385.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

The principal regulations provide for Hospital Boards to receive payments out of the Social Security Fund in respect of X-ray diagnostic services provided by them, the amount being calculated according to the number of individual cases dealt with.

The purpose of these regulations is to enable the Minister to direct payment of a lump sum instead of payment in respect of individual cases.

The amount payable is to be fixed by the Minister having regard to what in his opinion would be payable had the amount been assessed on the actual number of cases dealt with.

Issued under the authority of the Regulations Act, 1936.

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These regulations are administered in the Department of Health.