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**THE SOCIAL SECURITY (DIAGNOSTIC IMAGING SERVICES)  
REGULATIONS 1985, AMENDMENT NO. 1**

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PAUL REEVES, Governor-General

ORDER IN COUNCIL

At Wellington this 15th day of September 1986

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL

PURSUANT to section 116 of the Social Security Act 1964, His Excellency the Governor-General, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, hereby makes the following regulations.

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REGULATIONS

**1. Title, commencement, and application**—(1) These regulations may be cited as the Social Security (Diagnostic Imaging Services) Regulations 1985, Amendment No. 1, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Social Security (Diagnostic Imaging Services) Regulations 1985\* (hereinafter referred to as the principal regulations).

(2) These regulations shall come into force on the 1st day of October 1986, and shall apply to diagnostic imaging services provided on or after that date.

**2. New scale of fees payable in respect of X-ray diagnostic services substituted**—The principal regulations are hereby amended by revoking

the First Schedule, and substituting the First Schedule set out in the First Schedule to these regulations.

**3. New scale of fees payable in respect of ultrasound diagnostic services substituted**—The principal regulations are hereby amended by revoking the Second Schedule, and substituting the Second Schedule set out in the Second Schedule to these regulations.

## SCHEDULES

### FIRST SCHEDULE

Reg. 2

#### NEW FIRST SCHEDULE TO PRINCIPAL REGULATIONS

#### “FIRST SCHEDULE

Reg. 12 (2), (3), (5), (6)

#### SCALE OF FEES PAYABLE IN RESPECT OF X-RAY DIAGNOSTIC SERVICES

A. Upper limb and shoulder girdle—	\$
1. Sternum .. .. .	5.20
2. Sterno-clavicular joints .. .. .	5.20
3. Clavicle .. .. .	3.90
4. Acromio-clavicular joints .. .. .	3.90
5. Scapula .. .. .	3.90
6. Shoulder .. .. .	3.90
7. Humerus .. .. .	2.60
8. Elbow joint .. .. .	2.60
9. Forearm .. .. .	2.60
10. Hand and/or wrist joint .. .. .	2.60
11. Arthrogram .. .. .	13.10
12. Axillary arteriogram (percutaneous) .. .. .	26.20
13. Subclavian arteriogram (by catheterisation) .. .. .	39.30
14. Tomography plus .. .. .	7.90
15. Upper limb (infant) .. .. .	5.20
B. Lower limb and pelvic girdle—	
1. Sacro-iliac joints .. .. .	3.90
2. Pelvis .. .. .	2.60
3. Pelvis plus hip joint .. .. .	5.20
4. Pelvis and/or both hip joints .. .. .	6.60
5. Hip joint (2 projections) .. .. .	3.90
6. Femur .. .. .	3.90
7. Knee joint .. .. .	2.60
8. Knee joint plus intercondylar and/or axial projection .. .. .	3.90
9. Leg .. .. .	2.60
10. Ankle joint .. .. .	2.60
11. Ankle joint plus projections in forced inversion and/or eversion .. .. .	3.90
12. Foot .. .. .	2.60
13. Foot plus projection with weight bearing .. .. .	3.90
14. Arthrogram .. .. .	13.10
15. Venogram .. .. .	13.10

"FIRST SCHEDULE—*continued*SCALE OF FEES PAYABLE IN RESPECT OF X-RAY  
DIAGNOSTIC SERVICES—*continued*

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<b>B. Lower limb and pelvic girdle—<i>continued</i></b>	
16. Femoral arteriogram (percutaneous) .. .. .	26.20
17. Abdominal aortogram .. .. .	32.80
18. Lymphangiogram .. .. .	39.30
19. Tomography plus .. .. .	7.90
20. Lower limb (infant) .. .. .	5.20
<b>C. Spinal column—</b>	
1. Cervical spine .. .. .	6.60
2. Thoracic spine .. .. .	6.60
3. Lumbar spine plus lumbo-sacral joint .. .. .	6.60
4. Sacro-coccygeal spine .. .. .	6.60
5. Tomography plus .. .. .	7.90
6. Lower thoracic and lumbar spine .. .. .	6.60
7. Cervical and upper thoracic spine .. .. .	6.60
8. Lumbar spine .. .. .	6.60
9. Lumbar spine and sacrum .. .. .	6.60
<b>D. Respiratory system—</b>	
1. Nasal sinuses .. .. .	3.90
2. Naso-pharynx .. .. .	2.60
3. Mastoids (bilateral) .. .. .	7.90
4. Larynx .. .. .	2.60
5. Thoracic inlet .. .. .	2.60
6. Chest (PA projection) .. .. .	3.90
7. Chest (with lateral projection) .. .. .	5.20
8. Thoracic cage .. .. .	5.20
9. Bronchogram .. .. .	13.10
10. Bilateral bronchogram .. .. .	19.70
11. Sinogram .. .. .	6.60
12. Pneumo-mediastinogram .. .. .	26.20
13. Pulmonary arteriogram .. .. .	39.30
14. Thoracic aortogram .. .. .	39.30
15. A.P. tomography plus .. .. .	13.10
16. Lateral tomography plus .. .. .	13.10
<b>E. Cardio-vascular system—</b>	
1. Chest (PA projection) .. .. .	3.90
2. Chest (with lateral or other projection) .. .. .	5.20
3. Chest (with both oblique projections—with or without barium) .. .. .	6.60
4. Heart screening .. .. .	3.90
5. Coronary arteriography .. .. .	39.30
6. Cardiac catheterisation .. .. .	26.20
7. Angio-cardiography .. .. .	39.30
8. A.P. tomography plus .. .. .	13.10
9. Lateral tomography plus .. .. .	13.10

"FIRST SCHEDULE—*continued*SCALE OF FEES PAYABLE IN RESPECT OF X-RAY  
DIAGNOSTIC SERVICES—*continued*

F. Alimentary system—	\$
1. Upper teeth .. .. .	3.90
2. Lower teeth .. .. .	3.90
3. Mandible .. .. .	5.20
4. Temporo-mandibular joints .. .. .	5.20
5. Salivary gland .. .. .	5.20
6. Sialogram .. .. .	10.50
7. Pharynx .. .. .	2.60
8. Abdomen (single projection) .. .. .	3.90
9. Abdomen (2 or more projections) .. .. .	5.20
10. Barium meal (oesophagus) .. .. .	11.60
11. Barium meal (stomach) .. .. .	12.90
12. Barium meal (duodenum) .. .. .	11.60
13. Hypotonic duodenography .. .. .	6.60
14. Small intestinal meal .. .. .	20.80
15. Barium enema .. .. .	37.60
16. Double contrast enema .. .. .	41.50
17. Oral cholecystogram .. .. .	10.50
18. Intravenous cholecystogram .. .. .	15.70
19. Intravenous cholangiogram .. .. .	13.10
20. Intra-operative cholangiogram .. .. .	13.10
21. T-tube cholangiogram .. .. .	7.90
22. Mesenteric, coeliac, or hepatic arteriogram .. .. .	39.30
23. Spleno-portogram .. .. .	26.20
24. Portal venography via arterial route .. .. .	39.30
25. Tomography plus .. .. .	7.90
26. Combined barium meal and oral cholecystogram .. .. .	15.70
G. Renal system—	
1. Plain renal .. .. .	3.90
2. Intravenous pyelogram .. .. .	31.00
3. Retrograde pyelogram .. .. .	15.70
4. Retrograde cystogram .. .. .	7.90
5. Micturating cysto-urethrogram .. .. .	15.70
6. Ascending urethrogram .. .. .	7.90
7. Renal arteriogram .. .. .	39.30
8. Renal cyst puncture .. .. .	13.10
9. Retro-peritoneal pneumogram .. .. .	26.20
10. Tomography plus .. .. .	7.90
11. Combined intravenous pyelogram and cystourethrogram .. .. .	19.70
H. Genital system—	
1. Pregnant abdomen (antero-posterior or lateral) .. .. .	3.90
2. Pregnant abdomen (antero-posterior and lateral) .. .. .	5.20
3. Mammogram unilateral .. .. .	7.90
4. Mammogram bilateral .. .. .	11.80
5. Pelvimetry (antero-posterior or lateral) .. .. .	6.60
6. Pelvimetry (antero-posterior and lateral) .. .. .	9.20
7. Placental localisation .. .. .	6.60

"FIRST SCHEDULE—*continued*SCALE OF FEES PAYABLE IN RESPECT OF X-RAY  
DIAGNOSTIC SERVICES—*continued*

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H. Genital system— <i>continued</i>	
8. Hystero-salpingogram (performed by radiologist) ..	13.10
9. Hystero-salpingogram (performed by gynaecologist- obstetrician) .. .. .	6.60
10. Amniogram .. .. .	7.90
J. Nervous system—	
1. Skull .. .. .	6.60
2. Nasal bones .. .. .	3.90
3. Facial bones .. .. .	5.20
4. Optic foramina .. .. .	3.90
5. Dacryocystogram .. .. .	10.50
6. Auditory canals .. .. .	3.90
7. Lumbar myelogram or radiculogram .. .. .	13.10
8. Lumbar and thoracic myelogram or radiculogram ..	15.70
9. Lumbar, thoracic, and cervical myelogram or radiculogram .. .. .	18.40
10. Cerebello-pontine cisternogram .. .. .	21.00
11. Carotid arteriogram .. .. .	26.20
12. Bilateral carotid arteriogram .. .. .	39.30
13. Vertebral arteriogram .. .. .	26.20
14. Cerebral arteriography by trans-aortic catheterisation	39.30
15. Lumbar or cisternal encephalogram .. .. .	26.20
16. Venticulogram .. .. .	26.20
17. Myodil ventriculogram .. .. .	13.10
18. Tomography plus .. .. .	7.90
K. Miscellaneous—	
1. Domiciliary examination plus .. .. .	19.70
2. Stereoscopic examination plus .. .. .	1.30
3. Opposite side for comparison plus .. .. .	1.30
4. Foreign body—as for area examined	
5. Injection fee .. .. .	Nil
6. Fluoroscopy only .. .. .	2.60"

## SECOND SCHEDULE

Reg. 3

## NEW SECOND SCHEDULE TO PRINCIPAL REGULATIONS

## "SECOND SCHEDULE

Reg. 12 (2), (3), (5), (6)

SCALE OF FEES PAYABLE IN RESPECT OF ULTRASOUND  
DIAGNOSTIC SERVICES

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1. Gall bladder and upper abdomen	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	14.40
2. Kidney and bladder	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	31.00
3. Aorta	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	16.40
4. Head	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	26.20
5. Pylorus (infants only)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12.90
6. Female pelvis (other than for maternity purposes)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	13.10"

P. G. MILLEN,  
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, which come into force on 1 October 1986, increase the fees payable under the Social Security (Diagnostic Imaging Services) Regulations 1985 for X-ray diagnostic services and ultrasound diagnostic services.

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These regulations are administered in the Department of Health.