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THE WORKERS' COMPENSATION ORDER 1957,  
AMENDMENT NO. 3

COBHAM, Governor-General

ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Government Buildings at Wellington this 20th day of March 1961

Present:

THE HON. J. R. MARSHALL, PRESIDING IN COUNCIL

PURSUANT to the Workers' Compensation Act 1956, His Excellency the Governor-General, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, hereby makes the following order.

ORDER

1. (1) This order may be cited as the Workers' Compensation Order 1957, Amendment No. 3, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Workers' Compensation Order 1957\* (hereinafter referred to as the principal order).

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

(3) This order shall apply with respect to compensation payable after the commencement of this order for any period after the commencement of this order in respect of accidents happening before or after the commencement of this order.

2. Subclause (2) of clause 8 of the principal order (as substituted by clause 2 of the Workers' Compensation Order 1957, Amendment No. 1) is hereby amended by revoking paragraph (b), and substituting the following paragraph:

“(b) Paragraph (a) of this subclause shall not apply with respect to specialist medical services (being medical services that involve the application of special skill and experience of a degree or kind that general medical practitioners as a class cannot reasonably be expected to possess) rendered on the recommendation of the medical practitioner who has attended the worker:”.

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

\*S.R. 1957/56  
Amendment No. 1: S.R. 1958/15  
Amendment No. 2: S.R. 1959/180

## EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

The principal order provides that the only specialist medical services for which a full refund will be made are those approved by the insurer (or self-insuring employer). The effect of this order is that the full refund will be made for services rendered on the recommendation of the worker's medical practitioner.

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Issued under the authority of the Regulations Act 1936.

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These regulations are administered in the Department of Labour.