PUBLIC HEALTH, ENGLAND AND WALES

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The Acute Rheumatism (Amendment) Regulations, 1957

Made - - - -	*4th January*, 1957
Laid before Parliament	10*th January*, 1957
Coming into Operation	14*th January*, 1957

The Minister of Health, in exercise of the powers conferred on him by sections 143 and 283 of the Public Health Act, 1936(**a**), and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby makes the following Regulations :—

1.—(1) These regulations may be cited as the Acute Rheumatism (Amendment) Regulations, 1957, and shall come into operation on the fourteenth day of January, 1957.

(2) These regulations shall be read as one with the Acute Rheumatism Regulations, 1953(**b**), and those regulations and these regulations may be cited together as the Acute Rheumatism Regulations, 1953 and 1957.

2. In paragraph (2) of regulation 1 of the Acute Rheumatism Regulations. 1953, (which provides that the regulations shall be in operation for a period of three years from the fifteenth day of January, 1954) for the words " and shall continue in operation for a period of three years from that date." there shall be substituted the words " and shall continue in operation until the fourteenth day of January, 1958.".

Given under the official seal of the Minister of Health this fourth day of January, nineteen hundred and fifty-seven.

(L.S.)

Robert H. Turton,
Minister of Health.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Regulations, but is intended to indicate their general purport.)

These regulations extend for a further twelve months the period of operation of the Acute Rheumatism Regulations, 1953, which require the notification of cases of acute rheumatism in persons under sixteen years of age occurring in certain parts of England specified in those regulations.

(a) 26 Geo. 5 & 1 Edw. 8. c. 49. (b) S.I. 1953/1928 (1953 II, p. 1688).