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HEALTH AND PERSONAL SOCIAL SERVICES

Dental Charges (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1988

Made . . . . . *6th December 1988*

Coming into operation . . *1st January 1989*

The Department of Health and Social Services in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Articles 98, 106 and 107 of, and Schedule 15 to, the Health and Personal Social Services (Northern Ireland) Order 1972(**a**) and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, with the approval of the Department of Finance and Personnel(**b**), hereby makes the following regulations:

Citation, commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) These regulations may be cited as the Dental Charges (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1988 and shall come into operation on 1st January 1989.

(2) In these regulations, "the principal regulations" means the Dental Charges Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1988(**c**).

Amendment of the principal regulations

2. In regulation 3 of the principal regulations—

(*a*) sub-paragraph (3)(*d*) shall be omitted;

(*b*) the existing sub-paragraphs (3)(*e*), (3)(*f*) and (3)(*g*) shall be renumbered as (3)(*d*), 3(*e*) and 3(*f*) respectively.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Health and Social Services on 6th December 1988.

(L.S.) *J. Scott*
Assistant Secretary

The Department of Finance and Personnel hereby approves the foregoing Regulations.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Finance and Personnel on 6th December 1988.

(L.S.) *Joan O. M. Frame*
Assistant Secretary

(**a**) S.I. 1972/1265 (N.I. 14)
(**b**) Formerly Department of Finance: *see* S.I. 1982/338 (N.I. 6) Art. 3
(**c**) S.R. 1988 No. 81

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations.)

These regulations amend the Dental Charges Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1988 which relate to charges in respect of the supply of dental appliances and dental treatment.

These regulations remove from the list of general dental services which are provided free of charge the clinical examination of a patient or any report thereon.

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This Order has been exempted from printing by the Statutory Rules (Northern Ireland) Order 1979. A summary is given in the List of Statutory Rules of a Local Character under the heading ROADS.