STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1968 No. 443

NATIONAL HEALTH SERVICE, ENGLAND AND WALES

The National Health Service (General Dental Services) Amendment Regulations 1968

Made - - -	*20th March* 1968
Laid before Parliament	*27th March* 1968
Coming into Operation	*1st April* 1968

The Minister of Health, in exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 40 of the National Health Service Act 1946(**a**), as amended by the National Health Service (Amendment) Act 1949(**b**), and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby makes the following regulations :—

1.—(1) These regulations may be cited as the National Health Service (General Dental Services) Amendment Regulations 1968 and shall come into operation on 1st April 1968.

(2) The Interpretation Act 1889(**c**) applies to the interpretation of these regulations as it applies to an Act of Parliament.

2. For paragraphs 1 and 3 of schedule 6 to the National Health Service (General Dental Services) Regulations 1967(**d**) (Remuneration of Salaried Practitioners) there shall be respectively substituted the following paragraphs :—

"1. Rates applicable to whole-time employment at a health centre :—

Grade	*Scale of Remuneration*
I	Commencing at £2,390 per annum and rising to £3,020 per annum by annual increments as follows:—

£
2,390
2,480
2,570
2,660
2,750
2,840
2,930
3,020

(**a**) 1946 c. 81.
(**b**) 1949 c. 93.
(**c**) 1889 c. 63.
(**d**) S.I. 1967/937 (1967 II, p. 2816).

II	Commencing at £1,725 per annum and rising to £2,535 per annum by annual increments as follows:—	
	£	
	1,725	
	1,795	
	1,865	
	1,945	
	2,025	
	2,105	
	2,185	
	2,265	
	2,355	
	2,445	
	2,535"	

"3. Rates of sessional remuneration:—

Grade	*Fees per session of 3 hours*
I	£6 6s. 0d.
II	£5 0s. 0d.".

Given under the official seal of the Minister of Health on 20th March 1968.

(L.S.) *Kenneth Robinson,*
Minister of Health.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(*This Note is not part of the Regulations.*)

These Regulations amend the National Health Service (General Dental Services) Regulations 1967 by providing for increased rates of remuneration for salaried dental practitioners practising at a health centre.