STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

# 1963 No. 1689 (S. 83)

# NATIONAL HEALTH SERVICE, SCOTLAND

## The National Health Service (General Dental Services) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 1963

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| *Made* - - - - | *4th October* 1963 |
| *Laid before Parliament* | *15th October* 1963 |
| *Coming into Operation* | *21st October* 1963 |

In exercise of the powers conferred on me by sections 39 and 72 of the National Health Service (Scotland) Act 1947(a), as amended(b), and of all other powers enabling me in that behalf, I hereby make the following regulations :—

1.—(1) These regulations may be cited as the National Health Service (General Dental Services) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 1963 and shall come into operation on 21st October 1963.

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

2. The National Health Service (General Dental Services) (Scotland) Regulations 1955(d), as amended(e), shall be amended as follows :—

After Regulation 31 there shall be added the following regulation :—

"*Additional payment to practitioner*

32. As respects any payment made to a practitioner for general dental services provided under a contract or arrangement entered into or made on or after 21st October 1963, there shall be paid by the Council to the practitioner in addition to the fees payable to him in respect of general dental services provided by him, a sum equal to one per cent. of the amount of the fees determined under paragraph (3) of Regulation 28 of these regulations in respect of those services."

*Michael Noble,*

One of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

St. Andrew's House,
Edinburgh, 1.

4th October 1963.

(a) 10 & 11 Geo. 6. c. 27. (b) The amendments do not relate expressly to the subject matter of these regulations. (c) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63. (d) S.I. 1955/258 (1955 I, p. 1384).
(e) The relevant amending instruments are S.I. 1958/2219, 1962/1239 (1958 II, p. 1559; 1962 II, p. 1346).

## EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These regulations amend the National Health Service (General Dental Services) (Scotland) Regulations 1955 (as amended) by providing for additional payments equal to one per cent. of the fees payable to dental practitioners providing general dental services, being the estimated equivalent of an increase of about 2·3 per cent. in net remuneration for such services.