The National Health Service (Superannuation) (Amendment) (No. 1) Regulations, 1951

1951 No. 1161

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The Minister of Health, in exercise of the powers conferred on him by subsection (1) of section 67 of the National Health Service Act, 1946(**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 National Health Service (Superannuation) (Amendment) (No. 1) Regulations, 1951, and shall come into operation on the seventh day after the day on which the draft thereof was approved by Parliament.

(2) These regulations shall be construed as one with the National Health Service (Superannuation) Regulations, 1950(**b**).

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

2. In regulation 46 of the National Health Service (Superannuation) Regulations, 1950, in paragraph 2 (*b*) thereof, there shall be substituted for the words " less such sum " the words " and, in the case of a dental practitioner, all charges which pursuant to section 1 of the National Health Service Act, 1951(**d**), he has become entitled to make and recover, less, in the case both of a medical practitioner and of a dental practitioner such sum ".

Given under the official seal of the Minister of Health this twenty-eighth day of June, nineteen hundred and fifty-one.

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H. A. Marquand,
Minister of Health.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

Under the National Health Service (Superannuation) Regulations, 1950, which are the regulations at present in force under section 67 (1) of the National Health Service Act, 1946, the remuneration of a dental practitioner for pension purposes is the sum of the payments made to him by Executive Councils in respect of his provision of general dental services.

Now that pursuant to section 1 of the National Health Service Act, 1951, these practitioners will be entitled to obtain part of their remuneration for some of their services from their patients instead of from Executive Councils, it is necessary to ensure that that part of their remuneration shall also be reckonable for pension purposes. These regulations are designed to secure that result.

(a) 9 & 10 Geo. 6. c. 81.
(b) S.I. 1950 (No. 497) I, p. 1327.
(c) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63.
(d) 14 & 15 Geo. 6. c. 31.

* A draft of these Regulations was approved by Resolution of the House of Lords, 19th June, 1951, and the House of Commons, 25th June, 1951, in accordance with section 75 (1) of the National Health Service Act, 1946.