STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

# 1965 No. 1673

# THERAPEUTIC SUBSTANCES

## The Therapeutic Substances (Supply of Substances for Analysis) Amendment Regulations 1965

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The Minister of Health, the Secretary of State and the Minister of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland, jointly, in exercise of their powers under section 9 of the Therapeutic Substances Act 1956(a), and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, after consultation with the Medical Research Council and the Agricultural Research Council, hereby make the following regulations:—

**1.**—(1) These regulations may be cited as the Therapeutic Substances (Supply of Substances for Analysis) Amendment Regulations 1965 and shall come into operation on 13th September 1965.

(2) The Therapeutic Substances (Supply of Substances for Analysis) Regulations 1958(b) (hereinafter referred to as "the principal regulations") and these regulations may be cited together as the Therapeutic Substances (Supply of Substances for Analysis) Regulations 1958 and 1965.

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

**2.** For paragraph (*e*) of regulation 2 of the principal regulations there shall be substituted the following paragraph:—

"(*e*) any person employed or engaged in connection with—

(i) testing, in the course of manufacture, substances to which Part II of the Therapeutic Substances Act 1956 applies; or

(ii) a scheme for testing the quality and amount of the drugs, preparations and appliances supplied under the National Health Service Act 1946(d), the National Health Service (Scotland) Act 1947(e) or the Health Services Act (Northern Ireland) 1948(f), or under any regulations made under those Acts,".

(a) 4 & 5 Eliz. 2. c. 25.
(b) S.I. 1958/214 (1958 II, p. 2327).
(c) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63.
(d) 9 & 10 Geo. 6. c. 81.
(e) 10 & 11 Geo. 6. c. 27.
(f) 11 & 12 Geo. 6. c. 3 (N.I.).

Given under the official seal of the Minister of Health on 3rd September 1965.

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

Given under the seal of the Secretary of State for Scotland on 2nd September 1965.

(L.S.) *William Ross,*
Secretary of State for Scotland.

Given under the hand of the Minister of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland on 24th August 1965.

*Wm. J. Morgan,*
Minister of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland.

## EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

Section 9(1) of the Therapeutic Substances Act 1956 controls the sale and supply of penicillin and certain other therapeutic substances. Under Section 9(2) regulations have been made exempting from that control the sale or supply of such substances to certain persons for the purposes of analysis. These regulations extend that exemption to persons engaged in testing the substances in the course of manufacture.