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Part 1 Preliminary

1. Name of Rules

These Rules are the *Private Health Insurance (Complying Product) Rules 2015*.

3A Authority

These Rules are made under the *Private Health Insurance Act 2007*.

4. Definitions

In these Rules:

Act means the *Private Health Insurance Act 2007*.

addiction medicine specialist means a specialist (within the meaning of the *Health Insurance Act 1973*) in relation to addiction medicine.

basic policy means an insurance policy that:

- (a) covers hospital treatment; and
- (b) covers at least the treatments in all of the clinical categories indicated for a basic policy in Schedule 4; and
- (c) is not a gold, silver or bronze policy.

bronze policy means an insurance policy that:

- (a) covers hospital treatment; and
- (b) covers at least the treatments in all of the clinical categories indicated for a bronze policy in Schedule 4; and
- (c) is not a gold or silver policy.

certified Type C procedure has the same meaning as in rule 3 of the Private Health Insurance (Benefit Requirements) Rules.

certified overnight Type C procedure has the same meaning as in rule 3 of the Private Health Insurance (Benefit Requirements) Rules.

clinical category, for hospital treatment, means a clinical category that is set out in Schedule 5.

consultant physician has the same meaning as in subsection 3(1) of the *Health Insurance Act 1973*.

consultant psychiatrist means a specialist (within the meaning of the *Health Insurance Act 1973*) in relation to psychiatry.

general medical services table has the same meaning as in subsection 3(1) of the *Health Insurance Act 1973*.

gold policy means an insurance policy that: