STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

2002 No. 2

HEALTH AND PERSONAL SOCIAL SERVICES

General Dental Services (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2002

Made - - - -	*3rd January 2002*
Coming into operation	*1st February 2002*

The Department of Health, Social Services and Public Safety(**1**), in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Articles 61(1), (2) and (2AA), 106 and 107(6) of the Health and Personal Social Services (Northern Ireland) Order 1972(**2**) and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, and in conjunction with the Department of Finance and Personnel and after consultation with such organisations as appeared to the Department to be representative of the dental profession as required by Article 61(4) of the Order, hereby makes the following Regulations:

Citation, commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the General Dental Services (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2002 and shall come into operation on 1st February 2002.

(2) In these Regulations "the principal Regulations" means the Health and Personal Social Services General Dental Services Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1993(**3**).

Amendment of the principal Regulations

2.—(1) The principal Regulations shall be amended in accordance with paragraphs (2), (3), (4) and (5).

(2) In regulation 2 (interpretation)—

(a) the definition of "general anaesthesia list" is omitted; and

(b) in the definition of "treatment" the words "general anaesthesia and" are omitted.

(3) In regulation 4(2) (dental list)—

(a) at the end of sub-paragraph (*b*)(ii) the word "and" is inserted;

(b) at the end of sub-paragraph (*b*)(iii) the words "; and" are omitted; and

(**1**) *See* S.I.1999/283 (N.I. 1) Article 3(6)
(**2**) S.I. 1972/1265 (N.I. 14); relevant amending Instruments are Article 13 of S.I. 1978/1907 (N.I. 26); Articles 30, 34, 35 and Part I of Schedule 5 to, and Part I of Schedule 6 to, S.I. 1991/194 (N.I. 1); and S.I. 1997/1177(N.I. 7)
(**3**) S.R. 1993 No. 326; relevant amending Regulations are S.R. 1998 No. 245 and S.R. 2001 No. 89