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HEALTH AND PERSONAL SOCIAL SERVICES

General Medical and Pharmaceutical Services (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1988

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Coming into operation . .	*1st August 1988*

The Department of Health and Social Services in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Articles 56(2), 63(2), 106 and 107(6) of the Health and Personal Social Services (Northern Ireland) Order 1972(**a**) and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf and in conjunction with the Department of Finance and Personnel(**b**) and after consultation with such organisations as appeared to the Department to be representative of the Medical and Pharmaceutical professions as required by Articles 56(5) and 63(3) of the said Order, hereby makes the following regulations:

Citation, commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) These regulations may be cited as the General Medical and Pharmaceutical Services (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1988, and shall come into operation on 1st August 1988.

(2) In these regulations, ''the principal regulations'' means the Health and Personal Social Services (General Medical and Pharmaceutical Services) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1973(**c**).

Amendments to the principal regulations

2. In regulation 37 (Pharmaceutical list) of the principal regulations—

(*a*) in paragraph (3) after the words ''the application shall'' there shall be inserted the words '', subject, in a case falling within sub-paragraph (*a*) of this paragraph, to the provisions of paragraph (4A),''; and

(*b*) after paragraph (4) there shall be inserted the following paragraph:—

''(4A) An application, other than one which shall be granted under paragraph (3) by virtue of paragraph (3)(*b*), which is made by a person who qualified to have his name registered under the Pharmacy (Northern Ireland) Order 1976(**d**) by virtue of Article 8(2)(*c*) of that Order (qualification by European diploma) shall not be granted unless the applicant satisfies the Board that he has the knowledge of English which, in the interests of himself and persons making use of the services to which the application relates, is necessary for the provision of pharmaceutical services in the Board's area.''.

(**a**) S.I. 1972/1265 (N.I. 14). As amended by S.I. 1978/1907 (N.I. 26) and S.I. 1986/2023 (N.I. 20)
(**b**) Formerly Department of Finance: *see* S.I. 1982/338 (N.I. 6) Art. 3
(**c**) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1973 No. 421. The relevant amending regulations are S.R. 1975 No. 180, S.R. 1985 No. 69, S.R. 1985 No. 131, S.R. 1985 No. 318, S.R. 1986 No. 65, S.R. 1986 No. 170, S.R. 1986 No. 289, S.R. 1987 No. 1, S.R. 1987 No. 247 and S.R. 1987 No. 323
(**d**) S.I. 1976/1213 (N.I. 22). As amended by S.R. 1987 No. 457

3. In Schedule 3A (drugs and other substances not to be prescribed for supply under pharmaceutical services) to the principal regulations—

(*a*) the following entries shall be omitted:—

Congesteze Paediatric Syrup
Congesteze Syrup
Congesteze Tablets
Normacol Standard Granules
Normacol Standard Sugar Free Formula Granules
Q-Panol Tablets
ROC Total Sunblock Creams (light tan; deep tan)
Trufree Bread Mix
Trufree Pasta Mix
Trufree Plain Flour
Trufree Sweet Biscuit Mix;

(*b*) the following entries shall be inserted:—

(i) immediately after "10 Hour Capsules"—

10.10 Cleaning and Disinfecting Solution
10.10 Rinsing and Neutralising Solution

(ii) at the appropriate point in the alphabetical order—

Ami — 10 Rinsing and Storage Solution
Amiclear Contact Lens Cleanser Tablets
Amidose Saline Solution 30ml
Amin-Aid
Barnes — Hind No. 4 Cleaner
Barnes — Hind Wetting and Soaking Solution
Barnes — Hind Intensive Cleaner
Barnes — Hind Cleaning and Soaking Solution
Bausch and Lomb Cleaning Tablets
Bausch and Lomb Daily Lens Cleaner
Bausch and Lomb Saline Solution
BC500 Vitamin Sachets Effervescent
Bergasol Ultra Protection Tanning Lotion
Biactol Anti-Bacterial Face Wash
Boots Baby Oil
Boots Soft Lens Comfort Solution
Boots Soft Lens Soaking Solution
Boston Lens Wetting and Soaking Solution
Boston Lens Cleaning Solution
Carnation Slender Meal Replacement (All Flavours)
Clean and Soak
Coda-Med Tablets
Contactaclean Cleaning Solution
Contactasoak Disinfecting and Soaking Solution
Contactasol Wetting Solution
Elizabeth Arden Flawless Finish
Elizabeth Arden Sunblock Cream Factor 15
Ener-G Gluten-free Rice Peanut-Butter Cookies
Ener-G Gluten-free Rice Walnut Cookies
Ener-G Low-Protein and Gluten-free Egg Replacer