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HEALTH AND SAFETY

FACTORIES

Medical Examinations (Fees) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1979

Made . . . . . 11*th May* 1979

Coming into operation . . . . 8*th June* 1979

The Department of Manpower Services, after consultation with the Health and Safety Agency for Northern Ireland and such other bodies as appeared to it to be appropriate, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Articles 17(1) and (3)(*a*), 40(2) and 49(1) of the Health and Safety at Work (Northern Ireland) Order 1978(**a**) ("the Order of 1978") and of every other power enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following regulations:—

Citation and commencement

1. These regulations may be cited as the Medical Examinations (Fees) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1979 and shall come into operation on 8th June 1979.

Revocation

2. The determination of fees of appointed factory doctors dated 14th July 1971 and made under section 152 of the Act of 1965 is hereby revoked.

Interpretation

3. For the purposes of these regulations, unless the context otherwise requires, the following expressions have the meanings hereby assigned to them respectively, that is to say:—

"appointed doctor" means a fully registered medical practitioner appointed by written certificate (of an employment medical adviser who is authorised to act in that behalf by the Department of Manpower Services under Article 48(5) of the Order of 1978) for such of the purposes of regulations under the Act of 1965 as are specified in the certificate;

"employment medical adviser" means an employment medical adviser appointed under Article 48 of the Order of 1978;

"the Act of 1965" means the Factories Act (Northern Ireland) 1965(**b**);

"section" means a section of the Act of 1965.

Amounts of Fees

4.—(1) The fees for work done by a person in conducting medical examinations under the Act of 1965 or regulations thereunder and payable in accordance with paragraph (2) shall in the cases specified in paragraphs (3) to (5) be fees of the amounts respectively specified therein.

(2) The fees fixed by these regulations are the fees payable by the employer of the persons examined—

(a) S.I. 1978/1039 (N.I. 9)
(b) 1965 c. 20 (N.I.)