APPENDIX TO DRAFT ARTICLES OF PUPILAGE

REGULATIONS FOR PRACTICAL COURSE OF STUDY

1. The Employer shall from time to time, if requested, furnish such information as may be required by the Society about the staff, accommodation, equipment and work of the premises at any reasonable time while work is proceeding therein.

2. If the Employer is not a registered pharmacist, or does not undertake personally the practical course of study of the Pupil, he shall appoint some registered pharmacist member of his staff who shall be responsible to the Employer therefor.

3. The practical course of study which the Pupil must undergo shall include:—

(1) experience in—

(*a*) the manipulation of pharmaceutical apparatus in common use;

(*b*) the recognition, by sensory characters, of the chief crude drugs and chemical substances used in medicine;

(*c*) the preparation of galenicals illustrating the principles involved in the commoner pharmaceutical operations;

(*d*) the reading, translation and copying of prescriptions, including the checking of doses;

(*e*) the dispensing of prescriptions illustrating the commoner methods of administering medicaments;

(*f*) the storage of drugs and medicinal preparations.

(2) a knowledge of the keeping of the records required by the various Acts of Parliament affecting pharmaceutical practice.

4. The Employer shall provide such opportunity, accommodation, apparatus, materials and books of reference as shall be required to enable the Pupil to undergo the practical course of study prescribed in Regulation 3

5. The number of pupils that may be employed in any shop shall not exceed two where there is one registered pharmacist engaged in the work in which the Pupil is undergoing the aforesaid course, and where there is more than one registered pharmacist similarly engaged, the number shall not exceed one for each additional such registered pharmacist.

6. For the purpose of Regulation 6, the description "pupil" shall mean and intend any person, other than a bona fide medical student, undergoing a practical course of study, including the compounding and dispensing of medicines whether or not for one of the qualifications of the Society and whether or not under an apprenticeship agreement.

7. In the event of any questions arising as to the interpretation or observance of these regulations the decision of the Council shall be final.

POISONS

ORDER IN COUNCIL, DATED 13TH FEBRUARY, 1956, APPROVING A RESOLUTION PASSED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE PHARMACEUTICAL SOCIETY OF NORTHERN IRELAND AND THE MEDICAL FACULTY OF THE QUEEN'S UNIVERSITY OF BELFAST, AMENDING THE THIRD SCHEDULE TO THE MEDICINES, PHARMACY AND POISONS ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1945.

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BY THE GOVERNOR IN THE PRIVY COUNCIL OF NORTHERN IRELAND

WAKEHURST

WHEREAS by sub-section (2) of section twenty-six of the Medicines, Pharmacy and Poisons Act (Northern Ireland), 1945, it is provided that the Council of the Pharmaceutical Society of Northern Ireland and the Medical Faculty of the Queen's