
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2018 No. 105

VETERINARY SURGEONS

**The Veterinary Surgeons and Veterinary Practitioners
(Registration) (Amendment) Regulations Order of Council 2018**

Made - - - - - *29th January 2018*

Coming into force - - - - - *1st April 2018*

At the Council Chamber, Whitehall, the 29th day of January 2018

By the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 11 of the Veterinary Surgeons Act 1966(1) (“the Act”), the Council of the Royal College of Veterinary Surgeons have made the Veterinary Surgeons and Veterinary Practitioners (Registration) (Amendment) Regulations 2018 (“the Regulations”) set out in the Schedule to this Order.

By virtue of section 25(1) of the Act, the Regulations do not have effect unless approved by order of the Privy Council.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 25(1) and (2) of the Act, their Lordships make the following Order.

Title and commencement

1. This Order may be cited as the Veterinary Surgeons and Veterinary Practitioners (Registration) (Amendment) Regulations Order of Council 2018 and comes into force on 1st April 2018.

Approval

2. The Regulations set out in the Schedule are approved.

Richard Tilbrook
Clerk of the Privy Council

Status: This is the original version (as it was originally made).

SCHEDULE

Article 2

The Veterinary Surgeons and Veterinary Practitioners
(Registration) (Amendment) Regulations 2018

The Council of the Royal College of Veterinary Surgeons, in exercise of its powers under section 11 of the Veterinary Surgeons Act 1966, makes the following Regulations.

For Part 4 (Fees payable) of the Veterinary Surgeons and Veterinary Practitioners (Registration) Regulations 2014, substitute—

“PART 4

Fees payable

Table 1

Registration fees payable under regulation 9

<i>Type of registrant</i>	<i>Fee payable (£)</i>
New graduates registered by 31 December following graduation	165
Other persons registered between 1 April and 30 September	330
Other persons registered between 1 October and 31 March	165

Table 2

Fees for temporary registrants payable under regulations 10, 11 and 14

<i>Type of fee</i>	<i>Fee payable (£)</i>
Normal registration fee	330
Registration fee for practice restricted to period of six months or less	165
Retention fee	330

Table 3

Retention fees payable under regulation 15

<i>Circumstances</i>	<i>Column A – Fee payable if payment received on or before 30 April (£)</i>	<i>Column B – Fee payable if payment received after 30 April (£)</i>
Standard registrant	330	365
Overseas practising registrant	165	200
Non-practising registrant	54	89

Table 4**Additional fees payable under regulations 16 and 17**

<i>Fee paid (£)</i>	<i>New circumstance</i>	<i>Extra sum payable if change takes place before 1 October</i>	<i>Extra sum payable if change takes place on or after 1 October</i>
		<i>(£)</i>	<i>(£)</i>
54 or 89	Practising, but not in the British Islands	111	55
54 or 89	Practising in the British Islands	276	138
165 or 200	Practising in the British Islands	165	82

Table 5**Credits payable under regulation 18**

<i>Fee paid (£)</i>	<i>New circumstance</i>	<i>Sum to be credited (£)</i>
330 or 365	Non-practising registrant	138
330 or 365	Overseas practising registrant	82
165 or 200	Non-practising registrant	55

Table 6**Restoration fees payable under regulation 19**

<i>Type of restoration</i>	<i>Fee payable (£)</i>
Restoration under section 11(3) of the Act following removal for non-receipt of retention fee	330
Restoration in other circumstances	82”

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Pursuant to a resolution of the Council of the Royal College of Veterinary Surgeons held on 18th January 2018, the Common Seal of the said Royal College was affixed on 18th January 2018 in the presence of—

(L.S.)

Amanda K Boag
Member of Council
Christopher P Sturgess
Member of Council
Eleanor C Ferguson
Officer of the College

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order)

This Order approves the Veterinary Surgeons and Veterinary Practitioners (Registration) (Amendment) Regulations 2018 made by the Council of the Royal College of Veterinary Surgeons (“RCVS”) under section 11 of the Veterinary Surgeons Act 1966 on 18th January 2018. Those Regulations substitute a new Part 4 of the Veterinary Surgeons and Veterinary Practitioners (Registration) Regulations 2014 (“the 2014 Regulations”) ([SI 2014/3493](#)).

The new Part 4 of the 2014 Regulations, which takes effect from 1st April 2018, provides for an increase of approximately 5% in the fees for registration and retention of names in the Register of the RCVS.

No impact assessment has been produced for this instrument.