

NATIONAL HEALTH INSURANCE

Medical Benefit

REGULATIONS, DATED 11TH APRIL, 1945, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF
LABOUR UNDER THE NATIONAL HEALTH INSURANCE ACTS (NORTHERN
IRELAND), 1936 TO 1941.

1945 No. 54

The Ministry of Labour in exercise of the powers conferred on it by the National Health Insurance Acts (Northern Ireland), 1936 to 1941, and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following regulations :—

1.—(1) These regulations may be cited as the National Health Insurance (Medical Benefit) Amendment Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1945, and shall be read as one with the National Health Insurance (Medical Benefit) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1938 (a) (hereinafter referred to as “ the principal regulations ”), as subsequently amended (b).

(2) The Interpretation Act, 1921, applies to the interpretation of these regulations as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of the Parliament of Northern Ireland.

2.—(1) The definition of “ permanent list ” contained in regulation 2 of the National Health Insurance (Medical Benefit) Amendment Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1940 (c), shall be deleted.

(2) The word “ permanent ” shall be omitted wherever it occurs in regulation 3 of the said regulations and in paragraph 93a of the First Schedule to the principal regulations.

3. The following paragraph shall be substituted for paragraph (d) of regulation 3 of the National Health Insurance (Medical Benefit) Amendment Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1940 (a) :—

“(d) Where the Ministry is satisfied that an absentee practitioner has returned from emergency service and is able to give treatment personally, every insured person who was on his list at the date on which he undertook such service and who has since that date been placed upon the list of another practitioner shall, if resident within the district in which the first mentioned practitioner has undertaken to provide treatment, cease from such date as the Ministry may determine to be entitled to obtain treatment from that other practitioner and shall thereupon become entitled to obtain treatment from the first mentioned practitioner.”

(a) S. R. & O. (N.I.) 1938 (No. 141) p. 265.

(b) S. R. & O. (N.I.) 1939 (No. 84) p. 346; 1940 (No. 60) p. 141; 1942 (No. 157) p. 127, and 1943 (No. 76) p. 84.

(c) S. R. & O. (N.I.) 1940 (No. 60) p. 141.

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4. The following paragraph shall be substituted for paragraph (2) of regulation 74 of the principal regulations :—

“(2) Any sums received by the Ministry from the Minister of Pensions under the provisions of subsection (3) of section 34 of the Act shall be credited to the Medical Benefit Account and to the Ministry and applied for the purpose of meeting the cost of medical benefit and the expenses incurred by the Ministry in the administration of benefits in such proportions as the Ministry with the approval of the Ministry of Finance may determine.”

5. The following regulation shall be inserted after regulation 19 of the principal regulations :—

“19A. Any sums received by the Ministry under the provisions of paragraph (h) of regulation 2 of the National Health Insurance (Unclaimed Proceeds of Stamp Sales) Regulations, 1938 (b), as subsequently amended (c), shall be credited to the Medical Benefit Account and shall be applied towards the cost of medical benefit and the administration expenses thereof, incurred by the Ministry in such proportions as the Ministry may determine.

Given under the Official Seal of the Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland this 11th day of April, 1945.

(L.S.)

H. Anderson,

Assistant Secretary to the Ministry of Labour
for Northern Ireland.

The Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland hereby consents to regulation 4 of these regulations.

Given under the Official Seal of the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland this 11th day of April, 1945.

(L.S.)

John I. Cook,

Assistant Secretary to the Ministry of Finance
for Northern Ireland.

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THE ELECTORAL REGISTRATION (NO. 1) REGULATIONS (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1945, DATED 12TH FEBRUARY, 1945, MADE BY THE MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS FOR NORTHERN IRELAND UNDER

(b) S. R. & O. 1938 (No. 696) II, p. 2703.

(c) S. R. & O. 1941 (No. 1982) I, p. 666 and 1944 No. 1469.