shall have power to determine, for the purposes of these rules, at what intervals certificates are to be given by the practitioner.

75. During the period between the receipt by the practitioner of notice of objection on the part of the Society and the decision of the Ministry, the practitioner shall give an intermediate certificate in every insurance week.

3. The following footnote

"This number must not exceed four or, if the incapacity has continued for at least six months, eight."

shall be substituted for the footnote

"This number must not exceed four."

appended to the form of Special Intermediate Certificate set out in Part 2 of the Sixth Schedule to the principal regulations.

Given under the Official Seal of the Ministry of Health and Local Government for Northern Ireland this twenty-third day of April, 1946.

(L.S.)

Thos. Elwood,

Assistant Secretary,
Ministry of Health and Local Government
for Northern Ireland.

REGULATIONS, DATED 15TH JULY, 1946, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNDER THE NATIONAL HEALTH INSURANCE ACTS (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1936 TO 1946.

1946. No. 102

The Ministry of Health and Local Government for Northern Ireland in exercise of the powers conferred on it by the National Health Insurance Acts (Northern Ireland), 1936 to 1946, 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 (No. 3) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1946, shall be read as one with the National Health Insurance (Medical Benefit) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1938, (hereinafter referred to as "the principal regulations"), as subsequently amended, and shall come into force on the date hereof.
- (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. The following proviso shall be added to paragraph 15 in Part II of the Second Schedule to the principal regulations:—

Provided that a chemist shall not dispense a prescription requiring the manufacture by him of a preparation of penicillin for parenteral injection unless he holds a licence under the Therapeutic Substances Act, 1925, for that manufacture.

Given under the Official Seal of the Ministry of Health and Local Government for Northern Ireland this fifteenth day of July, 1946.

(L.S.)

Thos. Elwood,

Assistant Secretary,
Ministry of Health and Local Government
for Northern Ireland.

REGULATIONS, DATED AUGUST 1, 1946, MADE BY THE NATIONAL HEALTH INSURANCE JOINT COMMITTEE AND THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT FOR NORTHERN IRELAND, ACTING JOINTLY, UNDER THE NATIONAL HEALTH INSURANCE ACTS (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1936 TO 1946.

1946. No. 122.

The National Health Insurance Joint Committee and the Ministry of Health and Local Government for Northern Ireland, acting jointly, in exercise of the powers conferred on them by the National Health Insurance Acts (Northern Ireland), 1936 to 1946, and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, hereby make the following regulations:—

- 1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the National Health Insurance (Medical Benefit) Amendment (No. 4) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1946, and shall come into force on the thirty-first day of August in the year nineteen hundred and forty-six.
- (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. The National Health Insurance (Medical Benefit) (Emergency Provisions) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1942 (a) shall cease to have effect on the coming into force of these Regulations, but without prejudice to the validity of anything previously done thereunder or to any right, privilege, obligation or liability acquired, accrued or incurred thereunder.

Given under the Official Seal of the National Health Insurance Joint Committee this first day of August, nineteen hundred and forty-six.

(L.S.)

Robert Rouse,

Secretary to the National Health Insurance Joint Committee.