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HEALTH SERVICES

Supplementary Eye Services

REGULATIONS, DATED 23RD JULY 1969, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES UNDER THE HEALTH SERVICES ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1948.

The Ministry of Health and Social Services, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by sections 22, 76, 80 and 81 of the Health Services Act (Northern Ireland) 1948(a), and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf and in conjunction with the Ministry of Finance, hereby makes the following Regulations:—

Citation

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Health Services (Supplementary Eye Services) (Charges) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1969.

Amendment

- 2. The Health Services (Supplementary Eye Services) (Charges) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1961(b) shall be amended as follows:—
 - (1) In regulation 3(2) and (3) for the words "1st June 1961" there shall be substituted the words "11th August 1969".
 - (2) For the First and Second Schedules there shall be substituted the following:—

"FIRST SCHEDULE

Charges payable for Glasses

(where the relevant time falls before 11th August 1969)

For lenses:--

For frames:—

The current cost specified in the statement of fees and charges as payable by the person supplied.

SECOND SCHEDULE

Charges payable for Glasses

(where the relevant time falls on or after 11th August 1969)

For lenses:-

single vision lens 16s. 0d. per lens bifocal lens 25s. 0d. per lens

For frames: --

The current cost specified in the statement of fees and charges as payable by the person supplied."

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Health and Social Services this 23rd day of July 1969.

(L.S.)

S. H. O'Fee, Assistant Secretary.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Finance this 23rd day of July 1969.

(L.S.)

James V. Morrison, Assistant Secretary.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations but is intended to indicate their general purport.)

These regulations amend the Health Services (Supplementary Eye Services) (Charges) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1961 by providing for increases in the charges payable for lenses by persons supplied with glasses under the supplementary eye service.