

STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1987 No. 2088

The Registration of Births and Deaths Regulations 1987

PART XII

CORRECTION OF ERRORS

Correction of error on coroner's certificate

59.—(1) Where the superintendent registrar or the registrar having the custody of a register containing an entry made in pursuance of a coroner's certificate after inquest receives—

- (a) notification from the coroner of a clerical error in the certificate ^{F1}...; or
- (b) a certificate relating to that entry given by the coroner pursuant to section 29(4)(a) or (b) of the Act(1), as to an error of fact or substance in the certificate after inquest and as to the true facts of the case,

he shall send a report to the Registrar General, enclosing a copy of the entry and (as the case may be) of the coroner's certificate and notification, or of the coroner's certificates, relating to the entry.

[^{F2}(2) Where the error is a clerical error, the superintendent registrar or the registrar shall correct the error by entering a marginal note in the following form—

“Clerical error in space [or column] corrected to on by me registrar [or superintendent registrar] on receipt of notification from the Coroner”,

and he shall complete and sign the note in the places provided.]

(3) Where the error is one of fact or substance the superintendent registrar or the registrar shall correct the error by—

^{F3}(a)

[^{F4}(b) entering a marginal note in the following form—

“In space [or column] corrected toonby me registrar [or superintendent registrar] on the authority of a certificate from the Coroner”,]

and he shall complete and sign the note in the places provided.

Textual Amendments

- F1** Words in reg. 59(1)(a) omitted (13.11.2006) by virtue of [The Registration of Births and Deaths \(Amendment\) Regulations 2006 \(S.I. 2006/2827\)](#), regs. 1(1), **21(1)**
- F2** Reg. 59(2) substituted (13.11.2006) by [The Registration of Births and Deaths \(Amendment\) Regulations 2006 \(S.I. 2006/2827\)](#), regs. 1(1), **21(2)**
- F3** Reg. 59(3)(a) omitted (13.11.2006) by virtue of [The Registration of Births and Deaths \(Amendment\) Regulations 2006 \(S.I. 2006/2827\)](#), regs. 1(1), **21(3)**

(1) Section 29(4) was amended by Schedule 12 to the Criminal Law Act 1977 (c. 45) and by Schedule 2 to the Coroners Act 1980 (c. 38).

Changes to legislation: There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Registration of Births and Deaths Regulations 1987, Section 59. (See end of Document for details)

F4 Reg. 59(3)(b) substituted (13.11.2006) by The Registration of Births and Deaths (Amendment) Regulations 2006 (S.I. 2006/2827), regs. 1(1), **21(4)**

Commencement Information

I1 Reg. 59 in force at 1.1.1988, see **reg. 1**

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