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The National Health Service (Travel Expenses and Remission of Charges) Amendment Regulations 2009

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<i>Laid before Parliament</i>	<i>3rd July 2009</i>
<i>Coming into force</i> - -	<i>1st August 2009</i>

The Secretary of State for Health makes the following Regulations in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 182, 183, 184 and 272(7) of the National Health Service Act 2006(a).

Citation and commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as the National Health Service (Travel Expenses and Remission of Charges) Amendment Regulations 2009 and shall come into force on 1st August 2009.

Modifications of the Income Support Regulations in Schedule 1 to the National Health Service (Travel Expenses and Remission of Charges) Regulations 2003

2.—(1) Schedule 1 to the National Health Service (Travel Expenses and Remission of Charges) Regulations 2003(b) (Modifications of the Income Support (General) Regulations 1987) is amended as follows.

(2) In Table A, in the modifications of regulation 66A of the Income Support Regulations (treatment of student loans), in the first entry, for “Guide to Student Support issued by the Student Awards Agency for Scotland 2008-2009” substitute “Student Support Information Guide 2009-2010 issued by the Student Awards Agency for Scotland (c)”.

(a) 2006 c.41. By virtue of section 271 of the Act the powers conferred on the Secretary of State by those sections are exercisable only in relation to England. The expressions “prescribed” and “regulations”, which are relevant to the powers being exercised in these Regulations, are defined in section 275 of the Act.
(b) S.I. 2003/2382; relevant amendments are made by S.I. 2007/1975 and 2008/1697.
(c) The Guide is available on the Student Awards Agency for Scotland website at www.saas.gov.uk.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Health.

30th June 2009

Mike O'Brien
Minister of State,
Department of Health

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations)

These Regulations which apply to England amend the National Health Service (Travel Expenses and Remission of Charges) Regulations 2003 (“the Travel Expenses and Remission of Charges Regulations”).

Regulation 2 updates the reference to the publication which describes additional loans paid under the Education (Student Loans) (Scotland) Regulations 2007. These loans are disregarded in the calculation of a student’s loan income when a person’s entitlement to the payment of NHS travel expenses and the remission of NHS charges is being established under the Travel Expenses and Remission of Charges Regulations.

A full impact assessment has not been produced for this instrument as it has no impact on the private and voluntary sectors.

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