
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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The Human Medicines Regulations 2012

PART 12

Dealings with medicinal products

CHAPTER 3

Exemptions

Other exemptions

[^{F1}Protocols relating to coronavirus and influenza vaccinations and immunisations

247A.—(1) Regulations 214, 220 and 221 do not apply to the supply or administration of a medicinal product used for vaccination or immunisation against coronavirus or influenza virus (of any type) that meets the following conditions.

^{F2}(2)

(3) Condition B is that the supply or administration is in accordance with the requirements of a protocol that is approved by the Secretary of State, the Scottish Ministers, the Welsh Ministers or the Minister of Health in Northern Ireland.

(4) Condition C is that the protocol specifies (amongst other matters)—

- (a) the classes of persons permitted to administer medicinal products under the protocol;
- (b) the process by which a person of the specified class is designated, and by whom, as a person authorised to administer medicinal products under the protocol;
- (c) requirements as to the recording of the name of a person who, on any particular occasion, administers a medicinal product under the protocol; and
- (d) requirements, where appropriate, for the supervision of a person who, on any particular occasion, administers a medicinal product under the protocol.

(5) Condition D is that when the medicine is supplied, there is in force in relation to it—

- (a) an authorisation by the licensing authority on a temporary basis under regulation 174;
- (b) before 1st January 2021, a marketing authorisation; or
- (c) on and after 1st January 2021, a UK marketing authorisation [^{F3}(including in Northern Ireland if supply is in accordance with regulation 167A)] or, in Northern Ireland, an EU marketing authorisation.]

^{F4}(6)

[^{F5}(7) This regulation ceases to have effect on 1st April 2026.]

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Textual Amendments

- F1** Reg. 247A inserted (6.11.2020) by [The Human Medicines \(Coronavirus and Influenza\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2020 \(S.I. 2020/1125\)](#), regs. 1(2), **14** and reg. 247A inserted (N.I.) (6.11.2020) by [The Human Medicines \(Coronavirus and Influenza\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2020 \(S.R. 2020/349\)](#), regs. 1(2), **14**
- F2** Reg. 247A(2) omitted (E.W.S.) (31.3.2024) by virtue of [The Human Medicines \(Amendments Relating to Coronavirus and Influenza\) \(England and Wales and Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(S.I. 2024/344\)](#), regs. 1(2), **5(2)** and (N.I.) (31.3.2024) by virtue of [The Human Medicines \(Amendments Relating to Coronavirus and Influenza\) Regulations \(Northern Ireland\) 2024 \(S.R. 2024/68\)](#), regs. 1(2), **5(2)**
- F3** Words in reg. 247A(5)(c) inserted (1.1.2022) by [The Human Medicines \(Amendment\) \(Supply to Northern Ireland\) Regulations 2021 \(S.I. 2021/1452\)](#), regs. 1(2), **22**
- F4** Reg. 247A(6) omitted (E.W.S.) (31.3.2024) by virtue of [The Human Medicines \(Amendments Relating to Coronavirus and Influenza\) \(England and Wales and Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(S.I. 2024/344\)](#), regs. 1(2), **5(3)** and (N.I.) (31.3.2024) by [The Human Medicines \(Amendments Relating to Coronavirus and Influenza\) Regulations \(Northern Ireland\) 2024 \(S.R. 2024/68\)](#), regs. 1(2), **5(3)**
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