

STATUTORY RULES OF A GENERAL CHARACTER
ISSUED IN 1987

1987 No. 1

HEALTH AND PERSONAL SOCIAL SERVICES

General Medical and Pharmaceutical Services (Amendment)
Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1987

Made 7th January 1987

Coming into operation—

for the purposes of
regulation 2(a) and (b) 1st February 1987

for all other purposes 1st August 1987

The Department of Health and Social Services in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Articles 56(2), 63(2), 106 and 107(6) of the Health and Personal Social Services (Northern Ireland) Order 1972(a) and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf and in conjunction with the Department of Finance and Personnel(b) and after consultation with such organisations as appeared to the Department to be representative of the Medical and Pharmaceutical professions as required by Articles 56(5) and 63(3) of the said Order, hereby makes the following regulations:

Citation, commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) These regulations may be cited as the General Medical and Pharmaceutical Services (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1987, and shall come into operation for the purposes of regulation 2(a) and (b) on 1st February 1987 and for all other purposes on 1st August 1987.

(2) In these regulations, “Schedule 3A” means Schedule 3A to the Health and Personal Social Services (General Medical and Pharmaceutical Services) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1973(c).

Amendment of Schedule 3A

2. In Schedule 3A (drugs and other substances not to be prescribed for supply under pharmaceutical services)—

(a) the following entries shall be omitted:—

- Fenoprofen Tablets 200 mg
- Maalox Tablets
- Maalox TC Tablets
- Progesic Tablets 200 mg

(b) the following entries shall be inserted at the appropriate point in the alphabetical order:—

(a) S.I. 1972/1265 (N.I. 14). As amended by S.I. 1978/1907 (N.I. 26)

(b) Formerly Department of Finance: see S.I. 1982/338 (N.I. 6) Art. 3

(c) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1973 No. 421. The relevant amending regulations are S.R. 1985 No. 69, S.R. 1985 No. 131, S.R. 1985 No. 318, S.R. 1986 No. 65, S.R. 1986 No. 170 and S.R. 1986 No. 289

Actonorm Gel
Angiers Junior Paracetamol Tablets
Catarrh — Ex Tablets
Dextromethorphan Hydrobromide Solution 3.75 mg/5ml
Dextromethorphan Hydrobromide Solution 7.5 mg/5ml
Haliborange Tablets
Hot Blackcurrant Cold Remedy (Beechams)
Hot Lemon Cold Remedy (Beechams)
Librofem Tablets
Mentholatum Nasal Inhaler
Night Nurse Capsules
Panacron Nasal Spray
Paxidal Tablets
Resolve Granules
Robitussin Cough Soother
Robitussin Cough Soother Junior Formula
Robitussin Plus Liquid
Seclodin Capsules
Seven Seas Malt and Cod Liver Oil
Simeco Suspension
Simeco Tablets

- (c) the following entry shall be inserted at the appropriate point in the alphabetical order:—

Normax Capsules.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Health and Social Services on 7th January 1987.

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R. W. McQuiston

Assistant Secretary

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Finance and Personnel on 7th January 1987.

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R. G. Smartt

Assistant Secretary

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations.)

These regulations amend the Health and Personal Social Services (General Medical and Pharmaceutical Services) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1973 ("the 1973 Regulations") which regulate the terms on which doctors and chemists provide general medical services and pharmaceutical services.

Schedule 3A to the 1973 Regulations contains a list of drugs and other substances for which a doctor may not issue a prescription for supply under pharmaceutical services and which may not be dispensed under those services. These regulations add some drugs to, and delete others from, that list.