STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1981 No. 1574

NURSES, MIDWIVES AND HEALTH VISITORS

The Nurses Agencies Amendment Regulations 1981

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The Secretary of State for Social Services, in exercise of powers conferred by sections 1(4), 2(2) and 7 of the Nurses Agencies Act 1957 (a) and now vested in him (b), and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby makes the following regulations:—

- 1. These regulations may be cited as the Nurses Agencies Amendment Regulations 1981 and shall come into operation on 1st December 1981.
- 2.—(1) The Nurses Agencies Regulations 1961(c) shall be amended in accordance with the following provisions of this regulation.
- (2) In regulation 4(4) (which prescribes the fees payable for the making of a first and subsequent application for a licence to carry on an agency for the supply of nurses) for "£13.00" there shall be substituted "£122.00", for "£6.50" there shall be substituted "£80.00" and for "£1.00" there shall be substituted "£16.00"
- (3) In regulation 6 (which prescribes the records to be kept by an agency for the supply of nurses) there shall be added the following paragraph—
 - "(n) in the case of a nurse or other person who trained outside the United Kingdom, particulars of that nurse's or other person's knowledge of English".

Norman Fowler,
Secretary of State for Social Services.

30th October 1981.

⁽a) 1957 c 16

⁽b) See Secretary of State for Social Services Order 1968 (S.I. 1968/1699), Art. 2.

⁽c) S.I. 1961/1214; the relevant amending instrument is S.I. 1978/1443.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Regulations.)

These Regulations amend regulation 4(4) of the Nurses Agencies Regulations 1961 so as to increase the fees payable to a licensing authority for a licence to carry on a nurses agency and regulation 6 so as to require nurses agencies to keep a record, in the case of nurses trained outside the United Kingdom, of their knowledge of English.

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