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**The European Qualifications (Health and
Social Care Professions) Regulations 2016**

PART 3

PHARMACISTS AND PHARMACY TECHNICIANS

CHAPTER 2

**AMENDMENT OF THE REGISTRATION OF PHARMACEUTICAL CHEMISTS
(EXEMPT PERSONS) REGULATIONS (NORTHERN IRELAND) 2008**

Introductory

26. The Registration of Pharmaceutical Chemists (Exempt Persons) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2008⁽¹⁾ are amended in accordance with this Chapter.

Amendment of regulation 2

27.—(1) Regulation 2 (manner and content of applications by exempt persons for registration in the register of pharmaceutical chemists) is amended as follows.

(2) In paragraph (1), for “(6)” substitute “(6A)”.

(3) After paragraph (6), insert—

“(6A) In the event of justified doubts, the registrar shall accept a certificate issued by a competent authority in E’s attesting State which confirms that E is not suspended or prohibited from practising as a pharmacist as a result of serious professional misconduct or conviction of criminal offences relating to the pursuit of any of E’s professional activities.”.

(4) In paragraph (7), for “(6)” substitute “(6A)”.

(5) In paragraph (8), for “, (4), (5) or (6)” substitute “to (6A)”.

Insertion of regulation 3

28. After regulation 2, insert—

“Review

3. By 1st November 2021, and subsequently at intervals not exceeding 5 years from that date, in accordance with section 30 of the Small Business, Enterprise and Employment Act 2015, the Secretary of State must—

(a) carry out a review of the amendments made to these Regulations by the European Qualifications (Health and Social Care Professions) Regulations 2016;

- (b) set out the conclusions of the review in a report; and
- (c) publish the report.”.