

1984 No. 374

PUBLIC HEALTH**The Public Health (Fee for Notification of Infectious Disease) Regulations
(Northern Ireland) 1984**

Made 1st November 1984

Coming into operation 17th December 1984

The Department of Health and Social Services in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 2(4) and 23(1) of the Public Health Act (Northern Ireland) 1967(a) and section 18 of the Administrative and Financial Provisions Act (Northern Ireland) 1962(b) and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following regulations:—

Citation and commencement

1. These regulations may be cited as the Public Health (Fee for Notification of Infectious Disease) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1984 and shall come into operation on 17th December 1984 and shall have effect from 15th August 1983.

Fee for certificates of notification

2. A Health and Social Services Board shall pay to each medical practitioner, other than a medical practitioner serving for the time being in the naval, military or air forces of the Crown or in any women's service administered by the Defence Council, a fee of £1.15 for each certificate sent by him to the Chief Administrative Medical Officer of the Board under section 2(1) of the Public Health Act (Northern Ireland) 1967 (which requires a medical practitioner to notify by certificate any case or suspected case of notifiable disease).

Revocation

3. The Public Health (Fee for Notification of Infectious Disease) (No. 2) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1968(c) are hereby revoked.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland on 1st November 1984.

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R. W. McQuiston

Assistant Secretary

(a) 1967 c. 36 (N.I.)

(b) 1962 c. 7 (N.I.)

(c) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1968 No. 211

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations.)

These regulations increase the fee payable by a Health and Social Services Board to a medical practitioner for the notification of a case or suspected case of notifiable disease. Such notification is required under section 2 of the Public Health Act (Northern Ireland) 1967, and is made to the Chief Administrative Medical Officer of the Board for the area in which the examination took place.

The fee is increased from £0.25 to £1.15, with effect from 15th August 1983.

The regulations have retrospective effect by virtue of section 18 of the Administrative and Financial Provisions Act (Northern Ireland) 1962.

The regulations revoke the Public Health (Fee for Notification of Infectious Disease) (No. 2) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1968.