

Nursing Homes Amendment (Fees) Regulation 2003

under the

Nursing Homes Act 1988

Her Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has made the following Regulation under the *Nursing Homes Act 1988*.

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Minister for Health

Explanatory note

The object of this Regulation is to amend the *Nursing Homes Regulation 1996* to increase the following fees:

- (a) the application fee for a licence for a nursing home,
- (b) the annual licence fees for nursing homes,
- (c) the application fee for the transfer of a licence for a nursing home.

The fee increases are in line with movements in the Consumer Price Index.

This Regulation is made under the *Nursing Homes Act 1988*, including sections 5 (Application for licence), 14 (Annual licence fees), 15 (Transfer of licence to another licensee) and 52 (the general regulation-making power).

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1 Name of Regulation

This Regulation is the Nursing Homes Amendment (Fees) Regulation 2003.

2 Amendment of Nursing Homes Regulation 1996

The *Nursing Homes Regulation 1996* is amended as set out in Schedule 1.

Amendments Schedule 1

Schedule 1 Amendments

(Clause 2)

[1] Clause 6 Applications for licences

Omit "\$675" from clause 6 (b). Insert instead "\$690".

[2] Clause 7 Annual licence fees

Omit the Table to the clause. Insert instead:

Table

Column 1	Column 2
Number of persons licensed to be accommodated	Licence fee \$
Fewer than 40	1,265
40–49	1,755
50–59	2,260
60–69	2,765
70–79	3,295
80–89	3,775
90–99	4,260
100 or more	4,780

[3] Clause 8 Transfer of licence

Omit "\$675" from clause 8 (b). Insert instead "\$690".