

Health Practitioner Regulation (New South Wales) Amendment (Pharmacy Fees) Regulation 2016

under the

Health Practitioner Regulation National Law (NSW)

His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has made the following Regulation under the *Health Practitioner Regulation National Law (NSW)*.

JILLIAN SKINNER, MP Minister for Health

Explanatory note

The object of this Regulation is to amend the *Health Practitioner Regulation (New South Wales) Regulation 2010* to prescribe fees relating to:

- (a) applications for the approval of premises as suitable for carrying on a pharmacy business by a pharmacist, and
- (b) applications for the registration of the holder of a financial interest in a pharmacy business.

This Regulation is made under the *Health Practitioner Regulation National Law (NSW)*, including section 247A (the NSW regulation-making power) of, and clauses 12 (5) and 14 (4) of Schedule 5F to, that Law.

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1 Name of Regulation

This Regulation is the *Health Practitioner Regulation (New South Wales)* Amendment (Pharmacy Fees) Regulation 2016.

2 Commencement

This Regulation commences on 1 July 2016 and is required to be published on the NSW legislation website.

3 Amendment of Health Practitioner Regulation (New South Wales) Regulation 2010 Clause 16

Omit the clause. Insert instead:

16 Pharmacy fees

(1) For the purposes of clause 12 (5) of Schedule 5F to the Law, a fee specified in the following table is prescribed as the fee for the type of application specified opposite that fee in the table:

Type of application			Fee
Application for approval of premises as suitable for carrying on pharmacy business by pharmacist:			
(a)	initial application		\$480
(b)	annual renewal application:		
	(i)	if lodged on or before due date, or	\$320
	(ii)	if lodged after due date	\$400
Application for registration of holder of financial interest in pharmacy business			\$550

(2) For the purposes of clause 14 (4) of Schedule 5F to the Law, the prescribed amount (being the maximum amount that the Council may charge as a fee for inspection of the Register of Pharmacies) is \$30.