1952 No. 2050

The Medical Act, 1950, (Period of Employment as House Officers) Regulations Approval Order of Council, 1952

Made - - - *26th November*, 1952
Coming into Operation *1st January*, 1953

At the Council Chamber, Whitehall, the 26th day of November, 1952

By the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council

Whereas the General Medical Council have, in pursuance of subsection (1) of section two of the Medical Act, 1950(a), submitted to the Privy Council for approval regulations, contained in the Schedule to this Order, prescribing the period of time for which a person must be engaged in employment in a resident medical capacity in one or more approved hospitals or approved institutions before a certificate shall be granted for the purposes of paragraph (*a*) of section one of the said Act:

And whereas a draft of this Order has been laid before Parliament in accordance with the provisions of subsection (2) of section thirty-four of the said Act and has been approved by resolution of each House of Parliament:

Now, therefore, in pursuance of subsection (1) of section two of the said Act, Their Lordships are pleased to approve the aforesaid regulations as set forth in the Schedule to this Order.

This Order may be cited as the Medical Act, 1950, (Period of Employment as House Officers) Regulations Approval Order of Council, 1952, and shall come into operation on the first day of January, 1953.

F. J. Fernau.

THE SCHEDULE

GENERAL MEDICAL COUNCIL

REGULATIONS 1951 No. 3

THE MEDICAL ACT, 1950,

(PERIOD OF EMPLOYMENT AS HOUSE OFFICERS)

REGULATIONS, 1951

The General Medical Council in exercise of their power under subsection (1) of section 2 of the Medical Act, 1950, hereby make the following regulations:—

1. These regulations may be cited as the Medical Act, 1950, (Period of Employment as House Officers) Regulations, 1951, and shall come into operation on the appointed day for the purposes of section 1 and subsection (6) of section 7 of the said Act.

2.—(1) In these regulations—

the expression "a house officer" means a person who after passing a qualifying examination has been engaged in employment in a resident medical capacity in one or more approved hospitals or approved institutions for the period prescribed by these regulations;

the expression "an applicant" means a person claiming registration by virtue of a qualifying diploma other than a Commonwealth or foreign diploma.

(2) The Interpretation Act, 1889, applies to the interpretation of these regulations as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

(a) 14 Geo. 6. c. 29.

3. For the purposes of subsection (1) of section 2 of the Medical Act, 1950, the period for which an applicant shall have been engaged in employment as a house officer shall be a period of twelve months.

Given under the official seal of the General Medical Council this twenty-third day of May, nineteen hundred and fifty-one.

(L.S.) DAVID CAMPBELL,
President.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order, but is intended to indicate its general purport.)

This Order approves the regulations, made by the General Medical Council under section 2 of the Medical Act, 1950, which prescribe twelve months as the period for which applicants for full registration under the Medical Acts must be employed in a resident medical capacity in approved hospitals or institutions prior to such registration.

1952 No. 2188

The Medical Act, 1950 (Persons Provisionally Registered) (National Service) Order of Council, 1952

Made - - - -	*17th December,* 1952
Laid before Parliament	*18th December,* 1952
Coming into Operation	*1st January,* 1953

At the Council Chamber, Whitehall, the 17th day of December, 1952

By the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council

Whereas by virtue of subsection (3) of section six of the Medical Act, 1950(a), persons provisionally registered by virtue of that section shall be deemed to be registered so far as is necessary for the purpose of any such enactment as the Privy Council may by Order prescribe:

Now, therefore, Their Lordships, in pursuance of the said subsection (3), are pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

1. Subsection (2) of section three of the National Service (Amendment) Act, 1948(b), (which relates to the limit of age for calling-up in the case of registered medical practitioners) shall be an enactment for the purpose of which persons provisionally registered by virtue of section six of the Medical Act, 1950, shall be deemed to be registered medical practitioners.

2. This Order may be cited as the Medical Act, 1950 (Persons Provisionally Registered) (National Service) Order of Council, 1952, and shall come into operation on the first day of January, 1953.

F. J. Fernau.

(a) 14 Geo. 6. c. 29. (b) 12, 13 & 14 Geo. 6. c. 6.