STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1984 No. 295 (S.35)

NATIONAL HEALTH SERVICE, SCOTLAND

The National Health Service (Charges to Overseas Visitors) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 1984

Made - - - -	*7th March* 1984
Laid before Parliament	*9th March* 1984
Coming into Operation	*1st April* 1984

In exercise of the powers conferred on me by sections 98 and 108(1) of the National Health Service (Scotland) Act 1978(**a**) and of all other powers enabling me in that behalf, I hereby make the following regulations:—

Citation, commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) These regulations may be cited as the National Health Service (Charges to Overseas Visitors) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 1984 and shall come into operation on 1st April 1984.

(2) In these regulations, "the principal regulations" means the National Health Service (Charges to Overseas Visitors) (Scotland) Regulations 1982(**b**).

Amendment of the principal regulations

2.—(1) In regulation 1(2) of the principal regulations after the definition of "child" there shall be inserted the following definition:—

" "Continental Shelf", except in a reference to a designated area of the Continental Shelf, means the submarine shelf adjacent to the western coast of the continent of Europe."

(2) In regulation 4*(a)* of the principal regulations for the words "in any area" there shall be substituted the words "in or over any area;"

3. For Schedule 2 to the principal regulations there shall be substituted the Schedule set out in Schedule 1 to these regulations.

4. For Schedule 3 to the principal regulations there shall be substituted the Schedule set out in Schedule 2 to these regulations.

George Younger,
One of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

New St Andrew's House,
Edinburgh.
7th March 1984.

(**a**) 1978 c.29.
(**b**) S.I. 1982/898; the relevant amending instrument is S.I. 1983/362.

SCHEDULE 1 Regulation 3

Schedule to be substituted for Schedule 2 to the principal regulations

"SCHEDULE 2 Regulation 2(2)

DAILY CHARGES FOR SERVICES PROVIDED FOR OVERSEAS VISITORS AS IN-PATIENTS

Column (1)	Column (2)	Column (3)
Class of hospital in which services are provided	Single room	Other accommodation
	£	£
1	136	123
2	121	110
4	112	102
5	108	98
6	113	103
7	158	144
8	71	64
9	65	59
10	61	55
11	126	115
12	83	75
13	79	72
14	84	77
15	146	133
16	53	49
17	45	41
18	45	41
19	43	39
20	49	44
21	64	58
22	158	144
23	79	72
24	158	144
25	118	107
26	151	137
27	55	50
28	94	86
29	75	68
31	85	77
32	51	47
34	46	42
35	40	36
38	45	41
39	32	29
40	30	27
41	88	80
42	130	118
44	66	60"

SCHEDULE 2

Regulation 4

Schedule to be substituted for Schedule 3 to the principal regulations

"SCHEDULE 3

Regulation 2(3)

CHARGES FOR SERVICES PROVIDED FOR OVERSEAS VISITORS OTHERWISE THAN AS IN-PATIENTS

Column (1)	Column (2)	Column (3)
Services provided	All classes of hospital except Class 1	Class 1 hospital
1. For a patient on each attendance at a hospital other than attendances directly associated with the procedures listed in paragraphs 3–10 of this Schedule	£ 9.50	£ 9.50
DAY CASES		
2. For investigation, therapeutic test, operative procedure or other treatment and who requires some form of preparation or period of recovery, or both, involving the provision of accommodation and services – per day exclusive of charges for procedures listed in paragraphs 3–10 of this Schedule for a patient who attends as a non-resident patient	£21.00	£21.00
PATHOLOGY		
3. For each request for pathological investigation received by the laboratory in respect of one patient and executed in one department of the laboratory, irrespective of the number of tests involved	£ 5.00	£ 5.00
RADIODIAGNOSIS		
4. i. For each procedure listed in Schedule 4 (charge per unit value)	£ 0.59	£ 0.62
ii. For each procedure (or all procedures carried out on a single visit to a radiology department) listed in Schedule 4 (minimum charge)	£ 9.50	£10.00
iii. C T Scanning: For all Scans	£86.50	£88.00
RADIOTHERAPY		
5. For treatment in any one day:		
i. superficial treatment	£ 5.50	£ 6.00
ii. other treatment	£11.50	£12.50

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Column (1)	Column (2)	Column (3)
Services provided	All classes of hospital except Class 1	Class 1 hospital
PHYSIOTHERAPY AND REMEDIAL GYMNASTICS		
6. i. For single treatment	£ 3.50	£ 3.50
ii. For the application of treatment of more than one individual modality or type in any one day	£ 7.00	£ 7.00
OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY		
7. For treatment in any one day	£ 5.00	£ 7.00
OTHER DIAGNOSTIC PROCEDURES		
8. i. Audiometry	£ 3.50	£ 3.50
ii. Electrocardiography: for each testing session	£ 6.00	£ 8.50
iii. Electroencephalography: for each testing session	£25.50	£26.00
iv. Electromyography: for each testing session	£16.00	£17.00
USE OF OPERATING THEATRE FACILITIES		
9. Operating theatre facilities booked as required:		
i. For less than 10 minutes	£16.50	£16.50
ii. For 10 minutes to 30 minutes	£32.00	£32.00
iii. For more than 30 minutes	£47.00	£47.00
DIALYSIS		
10. For haemodialysis or intermittent peritoneal dialysis:		
i. with training, at a hospital – per session	£90.00	£90.00
ii. routine, at a hospital – per session	£90.00	£90.00
iii. routine, at home – per session	£56.00	£56.00
iv. minimal care unit – per session	£73.00	£73.00
For continuous ambulatory peritoneal dialysis (including continuous cycling peritoneal dialysis) – per day	£26.00	£26.00"

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not Part of the Regulations.)

These Regulations further amend the National Health Service (Charges to Overseas Visitors) (Scotland) Regulations 1982 to increase the sums prescribed for charges to certain overseas visitors for services forming part of the health service. A new charging rate for "Minimal Care Unit" has been added to Schedule 3. They also insert a definition of "Continental Shelf" for the purpose of interpreting regulation 4*(a)* of the 1982 Regulations.

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