



National Health (Pharmaceutical Benefits) Amendment (Supply of Pharmaceutical Benefits Following Bankruptcy or External Administration) Regulations 2019

I, General the Honourable David Hurley AC DSC (Retd), Governor-General of the Commonwealth of Australia, acting with the advice of the Federal Executive Council, make the following regulations.

Dated 28 November 2019

David Hurley
Governor-General

By His Excellency's Command

Greg Hunt
Minister for Health

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1 Name

This instrument is the *National Health (Pharmaceutical Benefits) Amendment (Supply of Pharmaceutical Benefits Following Bankruptcy or External Administration) Regulations 2019*.

2 Commencement

- (1) Each provision of this instrument specified in column 1 of the table commences, or is taken to have commenced, in accordance with column 2 of the table. Any other statement in column 2 has effect according to its terms.

Commencement information		
Column 1	Column 2	Column 3
Provisions	Commencement	Date/Details
1. The whole of this instrument	At the same time as Schedule 2 to the <i>National Health Amendment (Pharmaceutical Benefits) Act 2019</i> .	5 December 2019

Note: This table relates only to the provisions of this instrument as originally made. It will not be amended to deal with any later amendments of this instrument.

- (2) Any information in column 3 of the table is not part of this instrument. Information may be inserted in this column, or information in it may be edited, in any published version of this instrument.

3 Authority

This instrument is made under the *National Health Act 1953*.

4 Schedules

Each instrument that is specified in a Schedule to this instrument is amended or repealed as set out in the applicable items in the Schedule concerned, and any other item in a Schedule to this instrument has effect according to its terms.

Schedule 1—Amendments

National Health (Pharmaceutical Benefits) Regulations 2017

1 After subsection 16(3)

Insert:

- (3A) If the Secretary grants permission to an applicant to supply pharmaceutical benefits under subsection 91B(1), (2) or (3) of the Act, the Secretary may allot a number to the approval that, under paragraph 91B(10)(a) of the Act, is treated as having been granted to the person under section 90 of the Act.