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## Health Insurance Commission Regulations<sup>2</sup> (Amendment)

I, THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL of the Commonwealth of Australia, acting  
with the advice of the Federal Executive Council, hereby make the following  
Regulations under the *Health Insurance Commission Act 1973*.

Dated *22 MAY* 1989.

**BILL HAYDEN**

Governor-General

By His Excellency's Command,

**NEAL BLEWETT**  
Minister of State for  
Community Services and Health

### Commencement

1. (1) Regulation 3 shall be taken to have commenced on 24 April 1985.

(2) Regulations 2 and 4 shall be taken to have commenced on 22 May 1986.

### Interpretation

2. Regulation 2A of the Health Insurance Commission Regulations is amended by inserting after the definition of "registered organization" the following definition:

"'Repatriation Commission' means the Repatriation Commission continued in existence by section 179 of the *Veterans' Entitlements Act 1986*";

**Additional functions of the Commission**

3. Regulation 4 of the Health Insurance Commission Regulations is amended by inserting in subregulation (2) "and Division 2 of Part IV of the Seamen's War Pensions and Allowances Regulations" after "Regulations".

**Additional functions of the Commission**

4. Regulation 4 of the Health Insurance Commission Regulations is amended:

- (a) by omitting subregulation (1);
- (b) by omitting from subregulation (2) "Part IV of the Repatriation Regulations and";
- (c) by inserting in subregulation (2) "and Part V of the *Veterans' Entitlements Act 1986*" after "Allowances Regulations".

**Saving**

5. (1) In this regulation, "authority of the Commonwealth" has the same meaning as in subregulation 48 (2) of the *Acts Interpretation Act 1901*.

(2) Nothing in these Regulations shall be taken:

- (a) to affect the rights of a person (other than the Commonwealth or an authority of the Commonwealth) existing at the commencement of these Regulations in a manner prejudicial to that person; or
- (b) to impose liabilities on any person (other than the Commonwealth or an authority of the Commonwealth) in respect of anything done or omitted to be done before the commencement of these Regulations.

**NOTES**

1. Notified in the *Commonwealth of Australia Gazette* on

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2. Statutory Rules 1975 No. 27 as amended by 1976 Nos. 21 and 146; 1982 No. 249; 1983 Nos. 88 and 152; 1984 No. 321; 1985 Nos. 41 and 70; 1986 No. 127; 1987 No. 165.

t. 1989 No. 55  
and see also Statutory Rules 1989 No. 55.