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NATIONAL ASSISTANCE

The National Assistance (Powers of Inspection)
Amendment Regulations 1963

Made	6th December 1963
Laid before Parliament	13th December 1963
Coming into Operation	1st January 1964

The Minister of Health, in exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 35(2) and (3) of the National Assistance Act 1948(a), and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby makes the following regulations:—

Citation and commencement

1. These regulations may be cited as the National Assistance (Powers of Inspection) Amendment Regulations 1963 and shall come into operation on 1st January 1964.

Interpretation

2.—(1) In these regulations the expression “ the Act ” means the National Assistance Act 1948.

(2) References in these regulations to any enactment shall be construed as references to that enactment as amended or re-enacted by any subsequent enactment.

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

Amendment of the National Assistance (Powers of Inspection) Regulations 1948

3. Regulation 3 of the National Assistance (Powers of Inspection) Regulations 1948(c), shall be amended as follows—

- (a) In paragraph (1) the words “ workshop or ” in subparagraph (b), the word “ workshop ” where it appears for the second time and the words “ or of the persons employed in any workshop ” shall be omitted.
- (b) In paragraph (2) for the words “ section 29 or 30 of the Act ” there shall be substituted the words “ sections 29, 30 or 31(1) of the Act ”.
- (c) In paragraph (3) for the words “ section 31 of the Act ” there shall be substituted the words “ section 31(3) of the Act ”.

Given under the Official Seal of the Minister of Health on 6th December 1963.

(L.S.)

Anthony Barber,
Minister of Health.

(a) 11 & 12 Geo. 6. c. 29.

(b) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63.

(c) S.I. 1948/1445 (Rev. XV, p. 261; 1948 I, p. 2028).

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These regulations amend the National Assistance (Powers of Inspection) Regulations 1948—

- (a) by excluding workshops for the disabled, which are now the responsibility of the Minister of Labour under the Disabled Persons (Employment) Act 1958 (6 & 7 Eliz. 2. c. 33), and
- (b) by enabling officers of the Ministry of Health to inspect arrangements made by local authorities for providing meals or recreation for old people.