

**L.N. 183 of 2024**

**Dentists Registration (Amendment) Ordinance 2024  
(Commencement) (No. 2) Notice 2024**

Under section 1(2) of the Dentists Registration (Amendment) Ordinance 2024 (22 of 2024), I appoint 1 April 2025 as the day on which the following provisions of the Ordinance come into operation—

- (a) section 5(9) in so far as it relates to paragraph (a) of the new definition of *registered address* (in so far as it relates to a person with provisional registration);
- (b) section 5(10) in so far as it relates to paragraph (e) of the new definition of *registered dentist*;
- (c) section 5(18) in so far as it relates to—
  - (i) paragraph (c) of the new definition of *lay person*;
  - (ii) the new definitions of *provisional registration*, *Schedule 6 institution* and *Schedule 7 institution*;
  - (iii) paragraph (b) of the new definition of *registrant*;
- (d) section 6 in so far as it relates to—
  - (i) the new section 2B(b);
  - (ii) the new section 2B (in so far as it relates to provisional registration);
  - (iii) the new section 2D(a)(i) (in so far as it relates to a person with provisional registration);
- (e) section 8(3);
- (f) section 13(4) in so far as it relates to the reference to section 7E;

- (g) section 14 in so far as it relates to the new section 5A(1) (in so far as it relates to the reference to section 7E);
- (h) section 26 in so far as it relates to the new section 5I(d)(iii), (iv), (v) and (vi);
- (i) section 30(2) in so far as it relates to the new section 7(1A)(b);
- (j) section 31 in so far as it relates to the new sections 7D, 7E, 7F and 7G;
- (k) section 33 in so far as it relates to the new section 8(1)(a)(ii) and (b)(ii);
- (l) section 34;
- (m) section 47 in so far as it relates to the new section 12G(1) (in so far as it relates to a person with provisional registration);
- (n) section 59(10) in so far as it relates to the new section 18(1AA)(a) (in so far as it relates to a person with provisional registration);
- (o) sections 61(2), 62(1), 63(3) and 66(1) in so far as they relate to the reference to section 7E;
- (p) section 66(8) in so far as it relates to the new section 23(3A)(ab) (in so far as it relates to the reference to section 7E);
- (q) section 68(2) in so far as it relates to the new section 25(1)(a)(iii);
- (r) section 73 in so far as it relates to the new section 27D(1)(a) (in so far as it relates to the reference to section 7E(5));

- (s) section 77 in so far as it relates to the new section 29C(3) (in so far as it relates to the references to Schedules 6, 7 and 8);
- (t) section 78(4) in so far as it relates to the reference to Division 3 of Part 11;
- (u) section 82 in so far as it relates to the new Schedules 6, 7 and 8;
- (v) section 93;
- (w) sections 115(2), 116(2) and 117(2) in so far as they relate to the reference to section 7E;
- (x) section 121 in so far as it relates to persons with provisional registration;
- (y) sections 126, 128(2) and 132(1) in so far as they relate to a person with provisional registration.

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