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PART I—Preliminary

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Professions Supplementary to Medicine Regulations, 1974.

2. In these Regulations, unless the context otherwise requires—

“recognized university” or “recognized college” means a university or college respectively, offering courses of training, degrees, and other qualifications in a specified profession, of a standard acceptable to the Council;

“registered member” means any person duly registered under the Act as a member of a specified profession.

PART II—Medical Laboratory Technologists

3. Subject to the provisions of subsection (2) of section 11 of the Act, no person shall be registered as a medical laboratory technologist unless he has sufficient knowledge of the English language to enable him to practise his profession efficiently in Jamaica and he holds—

- (a) a degree in medical technology from a recognized university; or
- (b) a Diploma in Medical Technology from—
 - (i) the Caribbean Association of Medical Technologists;
 - (ii) the University of Technology, Jamaica; or
 - (iii) the Northern Caribbean University; or
- (c) a Certificate in Medical Technology from the Caribbean Association of Medical Technologists.

4.—(1) Any person who satisfies the requirements for registration may apply to the Council in the form specified as Form A in the Schedule for Registration as a medical laboratory technologist.

Schedule.
Form A

(2) Any person who applies for registration as a medical laboratory technologist in accordance with paragraph (1) and—

- (a) furnishes such satisfactory reference as to character as the Council may require; and
- (b) pays the registration fee of two thousand dollars,

shall be registered as a medical laboratory technologist and shall, while he is so registered, be entitled to use the title "Registered Medical Laboratory Technologist".

Form B.

5.—(1) A certificate of registration in the form prescribed as Form B in the Schedule shall be issued to every person registered as a medical laboratory technologist.

(2) Where a certificate of registration issued under paragraph (1) has been lost or destroyed, the person to whom it was issued may apply to the Council for a duplicate certificate, which shall be issued after the Council has carried out an investigation and upon payment by the applicant of a fee of two thousand dollars and any duplicate so issued shall be clearly marked "DUPLICATE".

(3) The validity of a certificate issued under paragraph (1) shall expire on the thirty-first day of March next following the date of issue thereof.

Form C.

6. The register of medical laboratory technologists shall contain the particulars specified in Form C in the Schedule.

7.—(1) The Council shall, as soon as practicable after the thirty-first day of March in each year, publish in the *Gazette* a list of all medical laboratory technologists who were registered during the preceding twelve-month period.

(2) The list specified in paragraph (1) shall include, in respect of each medical laboratory technologist, the particulars specified in the form set out as Form C in the Schedule.

PART III—*Radiographers*

8. Subject to the provisions of subsection (2) of section 11 of the Act, no person shall be registered as a radiographer unless he has sufficient knowledge of the English language to enable him to practise his profession efficiently in Jamaica and he holds—

- (a) a degree in radiography from a recognized university;
- (b) the Caribbean Diploma in Diagnostic Radiography;

- (c) any other qualification in radiography considered by the Council to be of at least equivalent standard as those specified in paragraphs (a) and (b).

9.—(1) Any person who satisfies the requirements for registration may apply to the Council in the form specified as Form A in the Schedule for registration as a radiographer. Form A.

(2) Any person who applies for registration as a radiographer in accordance with paragraph (1) and—

- (a) furnishes such satisfactory reference as to character as the Council may require; and

- (b) pays the registration fee of two thousand dollars,

shall be registered as a radiographer and shall, while he is so registered, be entitled to use the title “Registered Radiographer”.

10.—(1) A certificate of registration in the form prescribed as Form B in the Schedule shall be issued to every person registered as a radiographer. Form B.

(2) Where a certificate of registration issued under paragraph (1) has been lost or destroyed, the person to whom it was issued may apply to the Council for a duplicate certificate, which shall be issued after the Council has carried out an investigation and upon payment by the applicant of a fee of two thousand dollars and any duplicate certificate so issued shall be clearly marked “DUPLICATE”.

(3) The validity of a certificate issued under paragraph (1) shall expire on the thirty-first day of March next following the date of issue thereof.

11. The register of radiographers shall contain the particulars specified in Form C in the Schedule.

12.—(1) The Council shall, as soon as practicable after the thirty-first day of March in each year, publish in the *Gazette* a list of all radiographers who were registered during the preceding twelve-month period.

(2) The list specified in paragraph (1) shall include, in respect of each radiographer, the particulars set out in the form specified as Form C in the Schedule. Form C.

PART IV—*Physiotherapists*

13. Subject to the provisions of subsection (2) of section 11 of the Act, no person shall be registered as a physiotherapist unless he has

sufficient knowledge of the English language to enable him to practise his profession efficiently in Jamaica and he holds—

- (a) a diploma or degree in physiotherapy or physical therapy from an approved educational institution;
- (b) proof of eligibility for membership in the Professional Association;
- (c) proof of completion of the specified internship period;
- (d) any other qualification in physiotherapy or physical therapy as may be considered by the Council to be of at least equivalent standard as those specified in paragraph (a).

Form A.

14.—(1) Any person who satisfies the requirements for registration may apply to the Council in the form specified as Form A in the Schedule for registration as a physiotherapist.

(2) Any person who applies for registration as a physiotherapist in accordance with paragraph (1) and—

- (a) furnishes such satisfactory reference as to character as the Council may require; and
- (b) pays the registration fee of two thousand dollars,

shall be registered as a physiotherapist and shall, while he is so registered be entitled to use the title “Registered Physiotherapist”.

Form B.

15.—(1) A certificate of registration in the form prescribed as Form B in the Schedule shall be issued to every person registered as a physiotherapist.

(2) Where a certificate of registration issued under paragraph (1) has been lost or destroyed, the person to whom it was issued may apply to the Council for a duplicate certificate, which shall be issued after the Council has carried out an investigation and upon payment by the applicant of a fee of two thousand dollars and any duplicate so issued shall be clearly marked “DUPLICATE”.

(3) The validity of a certificate issued under paragraph (1) shall expire on the thirty-first day of March next following the date of issue thereof.

Form C.

16. The register of physiotherapists shall contain the particulars specified in Form C in the Schedule.

17.—(1) The Council shall, as soon as practicable after the thirty-first day of March in each year, publish in the *Gazette* a list of all physiotherapists who were registered during the preceding twelve-month period.

(2) The list specified in paragraph (1) shall include, in respect of each physiotherapist, the particulars specified as Form C in the Schedule.

PART V—Occupational Therapists

18. Subject to the provisions of subsection (2) of section 11 of the Act, no person shall be registered as an occupational therapist unless he has sufficient knowledge of the English language to enable him to practise his profession efficiently in Jamaica and he holds—

- (a) a bachelor's or a master's degree in occupational therapy from a recognized university; or
- (b) any other qualification in occupational therapy duly recognized by the World Federation of Occupational Therapists.

19.—(1) Any person who satisfies the requirements for registration may apply to the Council in the form specified as Form A in the Schedule for registration as an occupational therapist. Form A.

(2) Any person who applies for registration as an occupational therapist in accordance with paragraph (1) and—

- (a) furnishes such satisfactory reference as to character as the Council may require; and
- (b) pays the registration fee of two thousand dollars.

shall be registered as an occupational therapist and shall, while he is so registered, be entitled to use the title "Registered Occupational Therapist".

20.—(1) A certificate of registration in the form prescribed as Form B in the Schedule shall be issued to every person registered as an occupational therapist. Form B.

(2) Where a certificate of registration issued under paragraph (1) has been lost or destroyed, the person to whom it was issued may apply to the Council for a duplicate certificate, which shall be issued after the Council has carried out an investigation and upon payment by the applicant of a fee of two thousand dollars and any duplicate so issued shall be clearly marked "DUPLICATE".

(3) The validity of a certificate issued under paragraph (1) shall expire on the thirty-first day of March next following the date of issue thereof.

21. The register of occupational therapists shall contain the particulars specified in Form C in the Schedule. Form C.

22.—(1) The Council shall, as soon as practicable after the thirty-first day of March in each year, publish in the *Gazette* a list of all occupational therapists who were registered during the preceding twelve-month period.

(2) The list specified in paragraph (1) shall include, in respect of each occupational therapists, the particulars specified in the form set out as Form C in the Schedule.

Form C.

PART VI—*Dietitians and Nutritionists*

23. Subject to the provisions of subsection (2) of section 11 of the Act, no person shall be registered as a dietitian or nutritionist unless he has sufficient knowledge of the English language to enable him to practise his profession efficiently in Jamaica and he holds—

- (a) a degree in Foods and Nutrition from a recognized university or recognized college and has either completed at least one year's dietetic internship or had such other experience in dietetics in an approved hospital as may be acceptable to the Council; or
- (b) a Master's degree in nutrition; or
- (c) any other qualification in Foods and Nutrition as may be considered by the Council to be of at least equivalent standard as those specified in paragraphs (a) and (b).

24.—(1) Any person who satisfies the requirements for registration may apply to the Council in the form specified as Form A in the Schedule for registration as a dietitian or nutritionist.

Form A.

(2) Any person who applies for registration as a dietitian or nutritionist in accordance with paragraph (1) and—

- (a) furnishes such satisfactory reference as to character as the Council may require; and
- (b) pays the registration fee of two thousand dollars,

shall be registered as a dietitian or nutritionist and shall, while he is so registered, be entitled to use the title "Registered Dietitian" or "Registered Nutritionist", as the case may require.

Form B.

25.—(1) A certificate of registration in the form prescribed as Form B in the Schedule shall be issued to every person registered as a dietitian or nutritionist.

(2) Where a certificate of registration issued under paragraph (1) has been lost or destroyed, the person to whom it was issued may apply to the

Council for a duplicate certificate, which shall be issued after the Council has carried out an investigation and upon payment by the applicant of a fee of two thousand dollars and any duplicate so issued shall be clearly marked "DUPLICATE".

(3) The validity of a certificate issued under paragraph (1) shall expire on the thirty-first day of March next following the date of issue thereof.

26. The register of dietitians and nutritionists shall contain the particulars specified in Form C in the Schedule.

Form C.

27.—(1) The Council shall, as soon as practicable after the thirty-first day of March in each year, publish in the *Gazette* a list of dietitians and nutritionists who were registered during the preceding twelve-month period.

(2) The list specified in paragraph (1) shall include, in respect of each dietitian and nutritionist, the particulars specified in the form set out Form C in the Schedule.

PART VII—*Speech Therapists*

28. Subject to the provisions of subsection (2) of section 11 of the Act, no person shall be registered as a speech therapist unless he has sufficient knowledge of the English language, and sufficient knowledge of the Jamaican dialect and vernacular, to enable him to practise his profession efficiently in Jamaica and—

- (a) he holds a master's degree in speech therapy or speech language pathology from a recognized university;
- (b) he is a Licentiate of the College of Speech Therapists (London); or
- (c) he has such other qualification in speech therapy as may be considered by the Council to be of at least equivalent standard as those specified in paragraphs (a) and (b).

29.—(1) Any person who satisfies the requirements for registration may apply to the Council in the form specified as Form A in the Schedule for registration as a speech therapist.

Form A

(2) Any person who applies for registration as a speech therapist in accordance with paragraph (1) and—

- (a) furnishes such satisfactory reference as to character as the Council may require; and
- (b) pays the registration fee of two thousand dollars,

shall be registered as a speech therapist and shall, while he is so registered, be entitled to use the title "Registered Speech Therapist".

Form B

30.—(1) A certificate of registration in the form prescribed as Form B in the Schedule shall be issued to every person registered as a speech therapist.

(2) Where a certificate of registration issued under paragraph (1) has been lost or destroyed, the person to whom it was issued may apply to the Council for a duplicate certificate, which shall be issued only after the Council has carried out an investigation and upon payment by the applicant of a fee of two thousand dollars and any duplicate certificate so issued shall be clearly marked "DUPLICATE".

(3) The validity of a certificate issued under paragraph (1) shall expire on the thirty-first day of March next following the date of issue thereof.

Form C.

31. The register of speech therapists shall contain the particulars specified in Form C in the Schedule.

32.—(1) The Council shall, as soon as practicable after the thirty-first day of March in each year, publish in the *Gazette* a list of all speech therapists who were registered during the preceding twelve-month period.

(2) The list specified in paragraph (1) shall include, in respect of each speech therapist, the particulars specified in the form set out as Form C in the Schedule.

PART VIIA.—*Audiologists*

32A. Subject to the provisions of subsection (2) of section 11 of the Act, no person shall be registered as an audiologist unless he has sufficient knowledge of the English language to enable him to practise his profession efficiently in Jamaica and—

- (a) he holds a Master's degree in audiology from an accredited educational institution and a registration certificate from the registration body in the country from which the training and degree was obtained; or
- (b) he has such other qualification in audiology as may be considered by the Council to be of at least equivalent standard as those specified paragraph (a).

Form A.

32B.—(1) Any person who satisfies the requirements for registration as an audiologist may apply to the Council in the form specified as Form A in the Schedule for registration as an audiologist.

(2) Any person who applies for registration as an audiologist in accordance with paragraph (1) and—

- (a) furnishes such satisfactory reference as to character as the Council may require; and
- (b) pays the registration fee of two thousand dollars,

shall be registered as an audiologist and shall, while he is so registered, be entitled to use the title "Registered Audiologist".

32C.—(1) A certificate of registration in the form specified as Form B in the Schedule shall be issued to every person who is registered as an audiologist. Form B.

(2) Where a certificate of registration issued under paragraph (1) has been lost or destroyed, the person to whom it was issued may apply to the Council for a duplicate certificate, which shall be issued after the Council has carried out an investigation and upon payment by the applicant of a fee of two thousand dollars and any duplicate so issued shall be clearly marked "DUPLICATE".

(3) The validity of a certificate issued under paragraph (1) shall expire on the thirty-first day of March next following the date of issue thereof.

32D. The register of audiologists shall contain the particulars specified in Form C in the Schedule. Form C.

32E.—(1) The Council shall, on or before the thirty-first day of March in each year, publish in the *Gazette* a list of all audiologists who were registered during the preceding twelve-month period.

(2) The list specified in paragraph (1) shall include, in respect of each audiologist, the particulars specified in the form set out as Form C in the Schedule.

PART VIIB—*Dietetic Assistants and Nutrition Assistants*

32F. Subject to the provisions of subsection (2) of section 11 of the Act, no person shall be registered as a dietetic assistant or a nutrition assistant unless he has sufficient knowledge of the English language to enable him to practise his profession efficiently in Jamaica and—

- (a) he holds a Diploma or Associate Degree in Dietetics and Nutrition from the University of Technology, Jamaica; or
- (b) he has such other qualifications in Dietetics and Nutrition as may be considered by the Council to be of at least equivalent standard as that specified in paragraph (a).

32G.—(1) Any person who satisfies the requirements for registration as a dietetic assistant or a nutrition assistant, may apply to the Council in the form specified as Form A in the Schedule for registration as a dietetic assistant or nutrition assistant, as the case may be. Form A

(2) Any person who applies for registration as a dietetic assistant or nutrition assistant, as the case may be, in accordance with paragraph (1) and—

- (a) furnishes such satisfactory reference as to character as the Council may require; and
- (b) pays the registration fee of two thousand dollars,

shall be registered as a dietetic assistant or nutrition assistant, as the case may be, and shall, while he is so registered, be entitled to use the title “Registered Dietetic Assistant” or “Registered Nutrition Assistant”, as the case may be.

Form B.

32H.—(1) A certificate of registration in the form specified as Form B in the Schedule shall be issued to every person who is registered as a dietetic assistant or nutrition assistant.

(2) Where a certificate of registration issued under paragraph (1) has been lost or destroyed, the person to whom it was issued may apply to the Council for a duplicate certificate, which shall be issued after the Council has carried out an investigation and upon payment by the applicant of a fee of two thousand dollars and any duplicate so issued shall be clearly marked “DUPLICATE”.

(3) The validity of a certificate issued under paragraph (1) shall expire on the thirty-first day of March next following the date of issue thereof.

Form C

32I. The register of dietetic assistants and nutrition assistants shall contain the particulars specified in the form set out as Form C in the Schedule.

32J.—(1) The Council shall, as soon as practicable after the thirty-first day of March in each year, publish in the *Gazette* a list of all dietetic assistants and nutrition assistants who were registered during the preceding twelve-month period.

(2) The list specified in paragraph (1) shall include, in respect of each dietetic assistant and nutrition assistant, the particulars specified in the form set out as Form C in the Schedule.

PART VIIC—*Public Health Inspectors*

32K. Subject to the provisions of subsection (2) of section 11 of the Act, no person shall be registered as a public health inspector unless he has sufficient knowledge of the English language to enable him to practise his profession efficiently in Jamaica and—

- (a) he holds a Diploma in Public Health Inspection from the West Indies School of Public Health; or
- (b) he has such other qualification in public health inspection as may be considered by the Council to be of at least equivalent standard as that specified in paragraph (a).

32L.—(1) Any person who satisfies the requirements for registration as a public health inspector may apply to the Council in the form specified as Form A in the Schedule for registration as a public health inspector.

Form A.

(2) Any person who applies for registration as a public health inspector in accordance with paragraph (1) and—

- (a) furnishes such satisfactory reference as to character as the Council may require; and
- (b) pays the registration fee of two thousand dollars,

shall be registered as a public health inspector and shall, while he is so registered, be entitled to use the title “Registered Public Health Inspector”.

32M.—(1) A certificate of registration in the form specified as Form B in the Schedule shall be issued to every person who is registered as a public health inspector.

Form B.

(2) Where a certificate of registration issued under paragraph (1) has been lost or destroyed, the person to whom it was issued may apply to the Council for a duplicate certificate, which shall be issued after the Council has carried out an investigation and upon payment by the applicant of a fee of two thousand dollars and any duplicate certificate so issued shall be clearly marked “DUPLICATE”.

(3) The validity of a certificate issued under paragraph (1) shall expire on the thirty-first day of March next following the date of issue thereof.

32N. The register of public health inspectors shall contain the particulars specified in Form C in the Schedule.

Form C.

32O.—(1) The Council shall, as soon as practicable after the thirty-first day of March in each year, publish in the *Gazette* a list of all public health inspectors who were registered during the preceding twelve-month period.

(2) The list specified in paragraph (1) shall include, in respect of each public health inspector, the particulars specified in the form set out as Form C in the Schedule.

PART VIID—*Renewal of Registration*

32P.—(1) A person who is registered under these Regulations shall, not later than the thirtieth day of June in each year, apply to the Council for renewal of registration in the form specified as Form D in the Schedule.

Form D

(2) The Council shall, upon receipt of—

- (a) the application for renewal of registration;
- (b) the prescribed fee; and
- (c) the certificate of registration,

affix a seal signifying the new period of validity to the certificate of registration issued to the applicant at the time of registration.

32Q. Any person who is registered under these Regulations and fails to renew his registration before the expiration of the registration period and continues to practise his profession shall be liable to pay a late registration fee of one thousand dollars, in addition to the re-registration fee.

PART VIII—*Conditions Pertaining to Conduct of Specified Profession*

33.—(1) Subject to the provisions of paragraphs (2) and (3) a registered member shall carry out treatment or investigation on a patient only after having been requested to do so by a registered medical practitioner or a registered dentist.

(2) Professional investigations not involving direct patient management may be carried out by a registered member for research or academic purposes without the request of the registered medical practitioner or registered dentist.

(3) A registered speech therapist may carry out initial investigation and assessment of a patient who has not been directly referred to him by a registered medical practitioner or a registered dentist.

34.—(1) A registered member shall carry out only such services as may properly be associated with his professional qualifications and skill, he shall not engage in activities contrary to the ethics of his particular profession or conduct himself in a manner derogatory to the accepted standards thereof.

(2) A registered member shall not engage in canvassing, advertising, or denigration of other registered members.

(3) A registered member shall not be deemed to have acted contrary to the provisions of paragraph (2) by reason only of the fact that he has caused to be published in a newspaper, for the convenience of his patients, and in accordance with fact, a notice—

- (a) in the form set out as Form E in the Schedule intimating his impending absence for a period of not less than two weeks; Form E.
- (b) in the form set out as Form F in the Schedule intimating his impending or recent change of address; or Form F.
- (c) in the form set out as Form G in the Schedule intimating both such absence and change of address: Form G.

Provided that—

- (i) no registered member shall cause more than one notice in relation to each of the categories (a), (b) or (c) to be published in respect of each such absence or change of address, whether each publication is in the same newspaper or not;
- (ii) any notice published in relation to category (c) shall be counted as a publication in relation to categories (a), (b) and (c).

35. A registered member shall not act as *locum tenens* for or assist any unregistered person in the treatment or investigation of any patient.

36. A registered member shall not perform his professional duties while he is, by reason of the influence of alcohol or drugs, unlikely to be able to do so efficiently.

37. Any information obtained by a registered member in the course of the performance of his duties shall be confidential and shall not be improperly disclosed.

38. Where in any disciplinary proceedings a registered member is found guilty of having acted contrary to the provisions of regulation 33, 34, 35, 36 or 37 or having performed his duties in a negligent or incompetent manner, he shall be regarded as being guilty of professional misconduct.

PART IX—Disciplinary Proceedings

39.—(1) Where an allegation is made to the Council that any registered member (in this Part referred to as “the respondent”) has been convicted of a criminal offence or is guilty of professional misconduct, the Council shall appoint an investigation committee to decide whether the case should proceed to hearing, and any investigation committee so appointed shall investigate the allegation as they think fit, and shall report thereon to the Council, stating whether or not the allegation made against the respondent has been substantiated.

(2) Where an investigation committee report to the Council that a *prima facie* case has been made out against the respondent in any case in respect of which that committee was appointed, other than one involving conviction for a criminal offence, the Council shall forthwith appoint a disciplinary committee to deal with the matter.

(3) Any investigation committee or disciplinary committee appointed in accordance with paragraph (1) or (2), as the case may be, shall consist of five members who need not be members of the Council, but two of whom should, wherever possible, be members of the same profession as the person in respect of whom the proceedings are being taken, so, however, that no member of an investigation committee in respect of any case shall be appointed to be a member of the disciplinary committee in respect of the same case.

40.—(1) An investigation committee appointed in accordance with the provisions of regulation 39 may, in relation to any case in respect of which they are appointed, at any stage of the investigation, take advice from any solicitor appointed by the Council, and may obtain proof of evidence in support of the allegations made against the respondent, and may, in such cases as they think fit, decline to proceed with the investigation unless the evidence in support of the allegations (other than evidence of a conviction) is verified by statutory declaration.

(2) Where it is proved by the certificate of the competent officer of the Court in which the proceedings took place, that the respondent has been convicted of a criminal offence and has been sentenced to a term of imprisonment, and that such conviction has not been sub-

sequently quashed on appeal, the investigation committee shall so inform the Council and the Council may forthwith and without further inquiry, direct the Registrar to remove the name of the respondent from the register.

(3) In any other case in respect of which they are appointed, the investigation committee shall invite the respondent to furnish any written statement or explanation which he may wish to submit, and shall consider such statement or explanation before taking a decision on the matter.

41.—(1) Where a disciplinary committee is appointed in accordance with the provisions of regulation 39, they shall fix a date for hearing the matter and may direct the solicitor appointed by the Council to take all necessary steps for verifying the evidence to be submitted to them and for obtaining the necessary documents and the attendance of witnesses at that hearing.

(2) The disciplinary committee shall send to the respondent a notice in writing, specifying the nature and particulars of the allegation against him, and informing him of the time and place of the meeting of the disciplinary committee at which the matter will be heard.

(3) A notice under paragraph (2) shall be sent to the respondent by registered post to his address contained in the register, or if the Registrar has reason to believe that that address is not his present address, then to any other address which may be known to the Registrar, and shall be posted so as to allow at least twenty-one days to elapse between the date of posting and the date fixed for the hearing.

(4) Where there is a complaint in any matter fixed for hearing before the disciplinary committee, the Registrar shall send him a copy of the notice sent to the respondent under paragraph (2).

(5) Any party to proceedings being held under the provisions of this regulation may be represented at the hearing by counsel or a solicitor; so, however, that if any party intends to be so represented at the hearing, he shall give not less than seven days' notice of that intention to the Registrar.

42. At the hearing of any matter the counsel, solicitor, Registrar

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or other person appointed by the Council for that purpose, shall state to the disciplinary committee the allegation against the respondent, the facts of the case, and submit evidence in support of the allegation, and the respondent or his representative shall be entitled to cross-examine any witness appearing in support of the allegations against him.

43. At the conclusion of the statement of the allegation against him and the evidence in support thereof and the cross-examination of the relevant witnesses, the respondent or his representative shall be invited by the chairman to address the disciplinary committee and to tender evidence in answer to the charge, and the counsel, solicitor, Registrar or other person appointed by the Council for that purpose shall be entitled to cross-examine the respondent or any witness giving evidence on his behalf, and to reply upon the whole case, after the respondent or his representative has replied.

44. If the respondent does not attend, either personally or by a representative, the disciplinary committee may proceed to hear and determine the case in his absence.

45.—(1) Upon the conclusion of the case, the disciplinary committee shall, after consideration of all the relevant evidence, report their findings to the Council either forthwith or at a later date, in writing.

(2) The Council shall, as soon as may be practicable after the receipt of a report from a disciplinary committee, consider such report and make its decision thereon, and may, if it thinks fit so to do, direct the Registrar to remove the name of the respondent from the register.

46. Upon the conclusion of any investigation or proceedings under this Part, the Council shall direct the Registrar to inform the respondent forthwith by registered letter of the outcome of such investigation or proceedings.

PART X—Restoration of Name to Register

47.—(1) Where the name of any registered member has been removed from the register in accordance with subsection (1) of section 12 of the Act, any application for the restoration to the register of the name of that member shall be made in writing addressed to the Council and signed by the applicant, stating the grounds on which the application is made.

(2) The application shall contain the names and addresses of at least three persons able and willing to identify the applicant and to give evidence as to his character and the nature of his employment both before and since the removal, and such other evidence as the Council may require.

(3) Not less than two of the persons mentioned in paragraph (2) shall belong to one or more of the following categories—

- (a) Justices of the Peace;
- (b) ministers of religion;
- (c) registered medical practitioners;
- (d) registered dentists;
- (e) registered members of the specified profession in respect of which the application for restoration to the register is being made.

(4) The Council may require the applicant to verify by statutory declaration, any statement made in his application, or any further statement which it may think necessary, and may, if it thinks fit, require the applicant to attend in person at a meeting of the Council at which the matter is to be considered.

48. If upon consideration of the application and of the evidence furnished in support thereof, the Council is satisfied that the name of the applicant should be restored to the register, it may direct the Registrar accordingly, and upon payment by the applicant of a fee of two dollars, his name shall be restored to the register and a new certificate of registration issued to him.

49. Any person who, on the 13th day of January, 2005, is a member of a specified profession, whether or not registered prior to that date shall, within six months after that date, apply to the Council in writing to be registered or to renew his registration, as the case may require.

SCHEDULE

FORM A

(Regulations 4, 9, 19, 24,
29, 32B, 32G, 32L)

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NAME OF APPLICANT _____
Surname Christian or Forename(s)

Married female applicants: Please state maiden name and furnish relevant documents

DATE AND PLACE OF BIRTH _____

NATIONALITY _____

CURRENT ADDRESS _____

PRACTISE ADDRESS _____

QUALIFICATION(S) _____

SPECIAL AWARDS _____

FORWARDED HERewith ARE THE FOLLOWING CERTIFICATES:

- CHARACTER REFERENCES FROM TWO REFEREES
- ONE PASSPORT SIZE PHOTOGRAPH

SCHEDULE, *contd.*

FORM A

THE PROFESSIONS SUPPLEMENTARY TO MEDICINE ACT

Application for Admission to the Register of

PLEASE STATE:

1. ARE YOU FLUENT IN THE USE OF THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE?

[] YES [] NO

2. HAVE YOU EVER BEEN CONVICTED OF A CRIMINAL OFFENCE?

(IF "YES" GIVE DETAILS)

[] YES [] NO

3. HAVE YOU EVER BEEN FOUND GUILTY OF PROFESSIONAL MISCONDUCT?

(IF "YES" GIVE DETAILS)

[] YES [] NO

I DECLARE THAT THE FOREGOING PARTICULARS ARE CORRECT TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE. I HAVE NOT MADE A PREVIOUS APPLICATION AND I HAVE READ THE **COUNCIL'S GUIDELINES ON INFAMOUS CONDUCT**. I ENCLOSE THE FEE OF _____ DOLLARS AND I HEREBY APPLY FOR REGISTRATION IN THE REGISTER FOR _____ AND I PROMISE, IN THE EVENT OF MY BEING REGISTERED, AND IN THE

_____ CONSIDERATION THEREOF, TO BE BOUND BY AND TO CONFORM IN ALL RESPECTS TO THE REGULATIONS RELATING TO _____ FOR THE TIME BEING IN FORCE.

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT

DATE

RETURN COMPLETED FORM TO: The Registrar, Council for Professions Supplementary to Medicine

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY	VERIFIED	APPROVED	DEFERRED	REJECTED
DOCUMENTS RECEIVED				
REGISTRATION FEE (\$) CHEQUE <input type="checkbox"/> CASH <input type="checkbox"/>				
REGISTRATION DATE				
CERTIFICATE NO.				
DATE COLLECTED/DISPACHED				

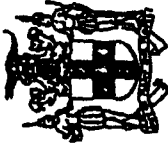
FORM B

(Regulations 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 32C, 32H, 32M)

THE PROFESSIONS SUPPLEMENTARY TO MEDICINE ACT

Certificate of Registration

The Professions Supplementary to Medicine Act 1965.



We hereby certify that

has been duly admitted to the Register as a professionally qualified pursuant to the Act and is herewith permitted to practise as a licensed as endorsed hereunder.

Date of Registration Registration No.

..... Chairman Registrar

Annual Endorsement:

Grid of 16 circles for annual endorsement, arranged in two columns of eight.

FORM C (Regulations 6, 7, 11, 12, 16, 17, 21, 22, 26, 27, 31, 32, 32D, 32E, 32I, 32J, 32N, 32O)

THE PROFESSIONS SUPPLEMENTARY TO MEDICINE ACT

Form of Register of Professions Supplementary to Medicine

Each register shall show in respect of every registered medical laboratory technologist, registered radiographer, registered physiotherapist, registered occupational therapist, registered dietitian, registered speech therapist, registered nutritionist, registered audiologist, registered dietetic assistant, registered nutrition assistant, and registered public health inspector, as the case may be, the following particulars—

- (a) registration number;
- (b) full name, and if married, widowed or divorced, maiden name;
- (c) date and place of birth;
- (d) nationality;
- (e) permanent address;
- (f) date of registration;
- (g) qualification. (Under this heading shall appear the qualification in each case for admission to the register and the date of obtaining such qualification).

FORM D (Regulation 32)

THE PROFESSIONS SUPPLEMENTARY TO MEDICINE ACT

Application for Re-registration

NAME IN FULL _____

MAIDEN NAME _____

RE-REGISTRATION AS:	MEDICAL TECHNOLOGISTS	[]
	RADIOGRAPHER	[]
	PHYSIOTHERAPIST	[]
	OCCUPATIONAL THERAPIST	[]
	DIETITIAN/NUTRITIONIST	[]
	SPEECH THERAPIST	[]
	AUDIOLOGIST	[]
	DIETETIC ASSISTANT/ NUTRITION ASSISTANT	[]
	PUBLIC HEALTH INSPECTOR	[]

FORM D, *contd*

THE PROFESSIONS SUPPLEMENTARY TO MEDICINE ACT

Application for Re-registration

REGISTRATION NUMBER _____ REGISTRATION DATE _____

PRACTICE ADDRESS _____
_____I WISH TO HAVE MY NAME RETAINED IN THE REGISTER OF THE
COUNCIL FOR THE PROFESSIONS SUPPLEMENTARY TO MEDICINE FOR
THE YEAR _____ AS A _____

THE FEE OF _____ DOLLARS IS ENCLOSED.

SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____

The completed Form is to be returned to:

The Registrar,
Council for Professions Supplementary
to Medicine

FORM E

(Regulation 34)

THE PROFESSIONS SUPPLEMENTARY TO MEDICINE ACT

*Notice of Impending Absence*Miss/Mrs./Mr. _____
(name)of _____
(address)

will be absent from practice from _____ to _____

FORM F

(Regulation 34)

THE PROFESSIONS SUPPLEMENTARY TO MEDICINE ACT

Change of Address

Miss/Mrs./Mr. _____
(name)

has removed office/will remove office/residence to

(new address)

from _____
(date)

Telephone No. _____

FORM G

(Regulation 34)

THE PROFESSIONS SUPPLEMENTARY TO MEDICINE ACT

Impending absence and change of address

Miss/Mrs./Mr. _____
(name)

Will be absent from practice from _____ to _____

And will remove/has removed office to _____

(new address)

Telephone No. _____