# SECOND SUPPLEMENT TO THE GIBRALTAR GAZETTE

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## MEDICAL (GROUP PRACTICE SCHEME) ACT

## MEDICAL (GROUP PRACTICE SCHEME) (AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS 2022

In exercise of the powers conferred on it by section 10 of the Medical (Group Practice Scheme) Act and all other enabling powers, the Government has made the following Regulations—

#### Title.

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Medical (Group Practice Scheme) (Amendment) Regulations 2022.

#### Commencement.

2. These Regulations shall come into operation on 21st June 2022.

## Amendment of the Medical (Group Practice Scheme) Regulations.

- 3.(1) The Medical (Group Practice Scheme) Regulations are amended in accordance with this regulation.
  - (2) In regulation 11(1)—
    - (a) for "£2.50" substitute "£5.00";
    - (b) in paragraph (iii) for "£7.50" substitute "£15.00".
  - (3) After regulation 11 insert-

### "Annual indexation of fees.

- 11A.(1) Subject to the provisions of this regulation, the fees set out in regulation 11(1) must be revised annually in accordance with the Index of Retail Prices published by the Government Statistician.
- (2) The first revision under this regulation shall apply as from 1st April 2023 and shall apply the Index of Retail Prices as at 1st January 2023, and subsequent revisions shall apply on each subsequent 1st April and apply the Index of Retail Prices prevailing on the preceding 1st January of that year.

(3) Any figure revised pursuant to subregulation (1) shall be rounded up to the next whole penny.".

Dated: 16<sup>th</sup> June 2022.

A J ISOLA, Minister with responsibility for Health, For the Government.

## **EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM**

These Regulations amend the prescription fees set out in the Medical (Group Practice Scheme) Regulations.