

DENTAL TECHNICIANS REGISTRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL

*Schedule of Amendments referred to in Legislative Council's
Message of 10 November, 1977*

No. 1.—Pages 2 and 3, clause 5. *Omit* the clause.

No. 2.—Page 7, Schedule 1, lines 3 to 23 inclusive. *Omit* all words on these lines.

No. 3.—Page 10, Schedule 1, lines 3 to 17 inclusive. *Omit* all words on these lines,
insert—

18B. (1) A person who makes application for a practising certificate in the prescribed manner is entitled to be granted a practising certificate if—

Practising
certificates.

- (a) not being a dental technician on the date of commencement of Schedule 1 to the Dental Technicians Registration (Amendment) Act, 1977, he subsequently becomes a dental technician and completes a full-time course of at least two years' duration, in biological sciences and clinical training, at an institution approved by the board and satisfactorily completes an examination fitting him to engage in the practice of dental prosthetics; or
- (b) being a dental technician on the date of commencement of Schedule 1 to the Dental Technicians Registration (Amendment) Act, 1977, he, within three years from that date, in the opinion of the board, satisfactorily completes a course of instruction part-time for a period of twelve months, in a clinical training institution approved by the board, and satisfactorily completes an examination relating to the practice of dental prosthetics, approved by the board; or
- (c) being a dental technician he—
 - (i) has biological and clinical qualifications which, with or without additional studies at an institution referred to in paragraph (a), are certified by such an institution as being equivalent to the qualifications required under paragraph (a); and
 - (ii) completes to the satisfaction of the board, any examination that may be required by the board, and is approved by the board as a person fitted to be engaged in the practice of dental prosthetics.

No. 4.—Page 23, Schedule 1, lines 21 to 23 inclusive. *Omit* all words on these lines,
insert—

- (h) regulating advertising by dental technicians, whether or not they are dental prosthetists, in the same manner and form as any regulations regulating advertising by dentists, pursuant to the Dentists Act, 1934; and

No. 5.—Page 1, Title. *Omit—*

“so as to alter the constitution of the Dental Technicians Registration Board and”.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF DALLAS, ss. I, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said State, do hereby certify that the within and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original thereof, as the same appears from the records of said County, in my office, this 1st day of January, 1917.

Witness my hand and the seal of said County, at Dallas, Texas, this 1st day of January, 1917.

Notary Public in and for the State of Texas.

My commission expires on the 1st day of January, 1918.

Attest my hand and the seal of said County, at Dallas, Texas, this 1st day of January, 1917.

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This PUBLIC BILL originated in the LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY, and, having this day passed, is now ready for presentation to the LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL for its concurrence.

R. E. WARD,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

*Legislative Assembly Chamber,
Sydney, 12 October, 1977.*

The LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL has this day agreed to this Bill with Amendments.

L. A. JECKELN,
Clerk of the Parliaments.

*Legislative Council Chamber,
Sydney, 10 November, 1977.*

New South Wales



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Act No. , 1977.

An Act to amend the Dental Technicians Registration Act, 1975, so as to alter the constitution of the Dental Technicians Registration Board and to permit dental technicians holding practising certificates as dental prosthetists to carry out certain work in the practice of dental prosthetics otherwise than on the written order of a dentist; and for certain other purposes.

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NOTE.—The words to be *omitted* are ruled through; those to be *inserted* are printed in **black letter**.

Dental Technicians Registration (Amendment).

BE it enacted by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly of New South Wales in Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows :—

5 **1.** This Act may be cited as the "Dental Technicians Registration (Amendment) Act, 1977". Short title.

2. (1) This section and section 1 shall commence on the date of assent to this Act. Commence-
ment.

 (2) Except as provided in subsection (1), this Act
10 shall commence on such day as may be appointed by the Governor in respect thereof and as may be notified by proclamation published in the Gazette.

3. The Dental Technicians Registration Act, 1975, is referred to in this Act as the Principal Act. Principal
Act.

15 **4.** The Principal Act is amended in the manner set forth in Schedule 1. Amendment
of Act No.
40, 1975.

5. (1) The persons who held office as members of the Dental Technicians Registration Board immediately before the day appointed and notified under section 2
20 (2) shall, subject to the Principal Act, continue to hold office as such members for the balance of the term for which they were appointed.

(2)

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(2) The person first appointed as a member of the Dental Technicians Registration Board pursuant to section 6 (1) (h) of the Principal Act, as amended by this Act, shall, subject to the Principal Act, hold office until the expiration of the balance of the term referred to in subsection (1).

SCHEDULE 1.

Sec. 4.

AMENDMENTS TO THE PRINCIPAL ACT.

(1) (a) Section 3—

10 From the matter relating to Part III, omit “ss. 14–24.”, insert instead “ss. 14–18.”.

(b) Section 3—

After the matter relating to Part III, insert :—

15 PART IIIA.—PRACTISING CERTIFICATES—ss. 18A–18E.

PART IIIB.—DISCIPLINARY PROVISIONS—ss. 19–20.

PART IIIC.—APPEALS—s. 21.

(c) Section 3—

20 From the matter relating to Part IV, omit “ss. 25–35.”, insert instead “ss. 22–35.”.

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SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*

AMENDMENTS TO THE PRINCIPAL ACT—*continued.*

(2) (a) Section 5 (1), definition of “artificial denture”—

After the definition of “appointed day”,
insert :—

“artificial denture” does not include—

(a) a fixed bridge;

(b) an artificial denture—

(i) of which an intracoronaral
retainer forms a part;

(ii) to which an intracoronaral
retainer is attached; or

(iii) which is combined with
an obturator; or

(c) any prescribed dental appliance;

(b) Section 5 (1), definition of “dental prosthetist”—

After the definition of “board”, insert :—

“dental prosthetist” means a dental technician
to whom a practising certificate has been
granted;

(c) Section 5 (1), definitions of “fitting”, “index”—

After the definition of “dentist”, insert :—

“fitting”, in relation to an artificial denture,
includes taking an impression or making
a measurement for the purpose of insert-
ing, constructing, repairing or renewing
the artificial denture;

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“index” means the Index of Dental Prosthetists
of New South Wales referred to in section
18A;

(d) Section 5 (1), definition of “practising
certificate”—

After the definition of “member”, insert :—

“practising certificate” means a practising
certificate granted under section 18B that
is in force;

(e) Section 5 (3), (4)—

After section 5 (2), insert :—

(3) For the purposes of this Act, the practice
of dental prosthetics means—

(a) the giving of any advice to or the
attendance upon any person as pre-
paratory to, or for the purpose of, or
for or in connection with, the fitting,
inserting, constructing, repairing or
renewing of artificial dentures;

(b) the constructing, repairing or renewing
by a person of artificial dentures in
connection with the performance by
that person of any functions referred
to in paragraph (a) or (c); and

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- (c) the inserting or fitting of artificial dentures in healthy human mouths,
5 but does not include the inserting or fitting of an artificial denture where, in the proper practice of dentistry, it could be reasonably foreseen, before any such work is commenced, that an adjustment
10 of natural teeth or the jaw would be, or is, required for the purpose of—
 - (d) balancing the occlusion of natural teeth and the artificial denture; or
 - (e) preparing natural teeth or the jaw for the insertion of the artificial denture.
- 15 (4) For the purposes of subsection (3) (c) a human mouth is not healthy if—
 - (a) the jaws are apparently damaged and not completely healed or are apparently diseased ;
 - 20 (b) it contains any soft tissue that is apparently damaged and not completely healed or is apparently diseased; or
 - 25 (c) it contains any teeth that are apparently carious, are apparently damaged and not completely repaired or are apparently diseased.

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SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*

AMENDMENTS TO THE PRINCIPAL ACT—*continued.*

(3) (a) Section 6 (1)—

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Omit "The Governor may constitute a Dental Technicians Registration Board consisting of eight", insert instead "There shall be a Dental Technicians Registration Board consisting of 9".

(b) Section 6 (1) (f)—

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Omit "Minister; and", insert instead "Minister;".

(c) Section 6 (1) (g)—

Omit "Minister.", insert instead "Minister; and".

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(d) Section 6 (1) (h)—

After section 6 (1) (g), insert :—

(h) one shall be a dental technician nominated by the Public Service Association of New South Wales.

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(e) Section 6 (1A)—

After section 6 (1), insert :—

(1A) The members of the board shall be appointed by the Governor.

(4) Section 13 (2) (a)–(c)—

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Omit the paragraphs, insert instead :—

(a) for the purposes of sections 15 (1) (a) and 18B (1) (a), approve courses of training, whether conducted or to be conducted within New South Wales or elsewhere ;

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5 (b) recommend the standards to be achieved in the examinations to be completed by persons undertaking the courses of training referred to in paragraph (a);

(c) arrange examinations for the purposes of sections 15 (1) (c) and 18B (1) (b);

(5) (a) Section 15 (1) (a)—

10 Omit “approved by the board”, insert instead “, approved by the board,”.

(b) Section 15 (5)—

Omit “the board”.

(c) Section 15 (5) (a)—

15 Omit the paragraph, insert instead :—

(a) a person is entitled to be registered as a dental technician, he shall be so registered on payment of the prescribed fee;
or

20 (d) Section 15 (5) (b)—

Omit “is not”, insert instead “the board is not”.

(6) Section 17 (1A)—

Before section 17 (1), insert :—

25 (1A) In this section, a reference to a dental technician includes a reference to a person who has been registered as a dental technician but whose registration is suspended.

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SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*

AMENDMENTS TO THE PRINCIPAL ACT—*continued.*

(7) Section 18 (c)—

Omit “or who has ceased to possess”.

5 (8) Part IIIA—

After section 18, insert :—

PART IIIA.

PRACTISING CERTIFICATES.

10 18A. (1) The board shall keep an index to be **Index.**
called the “Index of Dental Prosthetists of New South
Wales”.

(2) Where a practising certificate is granted
to a dental technician under section 18B—

- 15 (a) his full name;
(b) his address;
(c) the date on which his practising certificate
was granted; and
20 (d) particulars of the qualification by reason of
which his practising certificate was granted
to him,

shall be entered in the index.

(3) The index shall at all reasonable times
be open to inspection at the office of the board by any
person on payment of the prescribed fee.

25 (4) The secretary shall, as soon as practicable after the first day of July in each year, transmit a list of names and addresses entered in the index to the Minister and, if the Minister so directs, the list shall be printed and published.

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18B. (1) A person who makes application for a practising certificate in the prescribed manner is entitled to be granted a practising certificate if, at the time at which the practising certificate is granted, he is a dental technician and—

(a) he has, in the opinion of the board, satisfactorily completed a course of training, approved by the board, fitting him to engage in the practice of dental prosthetics; or

(b) not being a person referred to in paragraph (a), he has, in the opinion of the board, satisfactorily completed an examination relating to the practice of dental prosthetics arranged by the board.

18B. (1) A person who makes application for a Practising certificate in the prescribed manner is entitled to be granted a practising certificate if—

(a) not being a dental technician on the date of commencement of Schedule 1 to the Dental Technicians Registration (Amendment) Act, 1977, he subsequently becomes a dental technician and completes a full-time course of at least two years' duration, in biological sciences and clinical training, at an institution approved by the board and satisfactorily completes an examination fitting him to engage in the practice of dental prosthetics; or

(b) being a dental technician on the date of commencement of Schedule 1 to the Dental Technicians Registration (Amendment) Act, 1977, he, within three years from that date,

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5 in the opinion of the board, satisfactorily
completes a course of instruction part-time
for a period of twelve months, in a clinical
training institution approved by the board,
and satisfactorily completes an examination
relating to the practice of dental prosthetics,
approved by the board; or

10 (c) being a dental technician he—

(i) has biological and clinical quali-
fications which, with or without
additional studies at an institution
referred to in paragraph (a), are
15 certified by such an institution as
being equivalent to the qualifica-
tions required under paragraph
(a); and

(ii) completes to the satisfaction of
20 the board, any examination that
may be required by the board,
and is approved by the board as
a person fitted to be engaged in
the practice of dental prosthetics.

25 (2) Where application is made to the board
under subsection (1), the board, upon payment of
the prescribed fee, shall grant a practising certificate
to a person who is entitled to be granted a practising
certificate.

30 (3) Where the board is not satisfied that a
person who has made application for a practising
certificate is entitled to be granted a practising certi-
ficate, it shall refuse the application and the secretary
shall give the person notice of that refusal in
35 accordance with section 29 (1).

(4) If the board does not, within 60 days
after the receipt by it of an application for a practising
certificate, give notice to the applicant of the result of
the application, the secretary shall be deemed to have
40 given the applicant a notice that the board has refused
the application.

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SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*

AMENDMENTS TO THE PRINCIPAL ACT—*continued.*

5 18C. (1) The board may, for the purpose of ^{Inquiries in} obtaining any information required by it for the ^{connection} purposes of section 18B, require any applicant for a ^{with} practising certificate or other person to appear before it for examination by the members of the board.

(2) A person who—

(a) wilfully makes a false statement; or
10 (b) utters or attempts to put off as true before the board a false, forged or counterfeit document purporting to be an academic award or a document signifying a technical qualification,

15 in connection with a matter into which the board is inquiring for the purposes of section 18B, is guilty of a misdemeanour and liable to be imprisoned for a period not exceeding 12 months.

20 18D. (1) In this section, a reference to a dental ^{Practising} prosthetist includes a reference to a person who has ^{fee.} been granted a practising certificate but whose practising certificate is suspended.

25 (2) Every dental prosthetist shall, on or before the thirty-first day of March in each year, pay a practising fee of such amount as is prescribed for the year commencing on the first day of July next following.

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5 (3) If a dental prosthetist does not pay the practising fee on or before the thirty-first day of March in any year, the board shall forthwith notify him by letter addressed to him at his address appearing in the register that if the fee is not paid on or before the thirtieth day of June next following his practising certificate will be cancelled.

10 (4) Where a dental prosthetist who has been notified in accordance with subsection (3) fails to pay the practising fee on or before the thirtieth day of June next after the notice has been forwarded to him, the board shall cancel his practising certificate.

15 18E. (1) The board may cancel the practising certificate of a person who requests that the practising certificate granted to him be cancelled. Removal of name from index.

(2) The board shall cancel the practising certificate of—

- 20 (a) a deceased dental prosthetist; and
(b) a dental prosthetist who has ceased to be a dental technician.

25 (3) Where the board cancels a practising certificate under subsection (1) or (2) or section 19A, it shall remove from the index the name of the person to whom the practising certificate was granted.

(9) Part IIIB, heading—

Before section 19, insert :—

PART IIIB.

DISCIPLINARY PROVISIONS.

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SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*

AMENDMENTS TO THE PRINCIPAL ACT—*continued.*

(10) (a) Section 19 (1)—

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Omit “that a dental technician” where firstly occurring, insert instead “under section 20 that a dental technician, whether or not he is a dental prosthetist”.

(b) Section 19 (1) (f)—

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After “period”, insert “, not exceeding 12 months,”.

(c) Section 19 (1)—

Omit “a dental technician” where secondly occurring, insert instead “he”.

(d) Section 19 (2)—

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Omit “to the register”, insert instead “to the register and, notwithstanding section 15, that person may not make application for registration as a dental technician before that time unless the board before that time directs that he may make such an application”.

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(e) Section 19 (5)—

After section 19 (4), insert :—

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(5) The registration of a dental technician is not in force during any period for which it has been suspended and, notwithstanding section 15, a person may not make application for registration as a dental technician while his registration is suspended.

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SCHEDULE 1—continued.

(11) Section 19A—

19A. (1) Where the board is satisfied after an inquiry held under section 20 that a dental practitioner has been guilty of misconduct with respect to the practice of dental prosthetics, it may by order—

(b) suspend his practising certificate for such period, not exceeding 12 months, as it thinks fit; or

(2) Whenever an order is made under subsection (1) in respect of any person, the board may make an order of any kind that may be made under section 19 in respect of that person.

(3) Where the board directs that a practising certificate be cancelled it shall in its order fix a time after which the person whose practising certificate is so cancelled may apply for another practising certificate and, notwithstanding section 18B, that person may not make application for another practising certificate before that time unless the board before that time directs that he may make such an application.

(4) An order made by the board under subsection (1) shall not take effect until the expiration of a period of 21 days after notice of the making of the order is given to the dental prosthetist by the secretary in accordance with section 29 (1).

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SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*

AMENDMENTS TO THE PRINCIPAL ACT—*continued.*

5 (5) A practising certificate is not in force during any period for which it has been suspended and, notwithstanding section 18B, a person may not make application for another practising certificate while his practising certificate is suspended.

(12) (a) Section 20 (1)—

Omit the subsection, insert instead :—

10 (1) In this section—

“delegate” means a member of the board or an officer or employee appointed or employed under the Public Service Act, 1902, specified in a resolution referred to in subsection (2);

15 “inquiry” means an inquiry held under this section for the purposes of section 19 (1) or 19A (1) or under both sections 19 (1) and 19A (1) in respect of the same person.

(b) Section 20 (2)—

25 Omit “by resolution authorise a delegate to make an inquiry under section 19 (1)”, insert instead “hold an inquiry or may, by resolution, authorise a delegate to hold an inquiry”.

(c) Section 20 (3)—

Omit “dental technician”, insert instead “person”.

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SCHEDULE 1—continued.**AMENDMENTS TO THE PRINCIPAL ACT—continued.****(13) Part IIIc, heading—**

Before section 21, insert :—

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PART IIIc.**APPEALS.****(14) (a) Section 21 (1) (a)—**

Omit the paragraph, insert instead :—

(a) by the refusal of the board—

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(i) to direct that he be registered as a dental technician; or

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(ii) to direct under section 19 (2) that he may make an application for registration or under section 19A (3) that he may make application for a practising certificate; or

(b) Section 21 (1) (b)—

After “19”, insert “or 19A”.

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(c) Section 21 (3) (a)—

After “registered”, insert “or that the person applying for a practising certificate be granted a practising certificate”.

(d) Section 21 (3) (a)—

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Omit “or” where lastly occurring.

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SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*

AMENDMENTS TO THE PRINCIPAL ACT—*continued.*

(e) Section 21 (3) (a1)—

After section 21 (3) (a), insert :—

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(a1) where—

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(i) the practising certificate of a dental prosthetist has been cancelled under section 18E (2) (b) by reason of his ceasing to be a dental technician consequent upon the making of an order under section 19;

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(ii) the appeal is against that order; and

(iii) the court, on that appeal, orders that he be registered as a dental technician,

order that his practising certificate be restored; or

20 (15) Part IV, heading—

Before section 22, insert :—

PART IV.

GENERAL.

(16) (a) Section 22—

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After “19”, insert “or 19A”.

(b) Section 22—

After “technician”, insert “or dental prosthetist, as the case may be,”.

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SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*

AMENDMENTS TO THE PRINCIPAL ACT—*continued.*

(c) Section 22—

5 Omit “Court, in the register adjacent to the name of the person in respect of whom the order has been made.”, insert instead :—

Court—

10 (a) where the order was made under section 19 or under section 19A and is of a kind that may be made under section 19—in the register adjacent to the name of the person in respect of whom the order has been made; and

15 (b) where the order was made under section 19A and is not of a kind that may be made under section 19—in the index adjacent to the name of the person in respect of whom the order has been made.

20 (17) Section 23—

Omit the section.

(18) (a) Section 24—

After “register”, insert “or index”.

(b) Section 24—

25 After “registered”, insert “or to be granted a practising certificate”.

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SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*

AMENDMENTS TO THE PRINCIPAL ACT—*continued.*

(19) Part IV, heading—

5 Omit the matter between the end of section 24 and
the beginning of section 25

(20) (a) Section 25 (1) (a)—

Omit “technician; or”, insert instead “technician,
whether or not he is a dental prosthetist;”.

(b) Section 25 (1) (b)—

10 After “technician” where firstly occurring, insert
“, whether or not he is a dental prosthetist;”.

(c) Section 25 (1) (b)—

Omit “work;”, insert instead “work; or”.

(d) Section 25 (1) (c)—

15 After section 25 (1) (b), insert :—

(c) whether a dental prosthetist has been
guilty of misconduct in respect of which
the board, if satisfied it occurred, could
make an order under section 19A (1),

20 (e) Section 25 (1)—

After “work” where lastly occurring, insert “or
which a dental prosthetist uses in connection with
the practice of dental prosthetics”.

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SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*

AMENDMENTS TO THE PRINCIPAL ACT—*continued.*

(21) Section 26 (2), (3)—

Omit section 26 (2), insert instead :—

5 (2) A person other than a dental prosthetist is guilty of an offence if he does any act that forms part of the practice of dental prosthetics, not being an act that is technical work.

10 (3) A person is guilty of an offence if he permits a person employed by him to do any act the doing of which is an offence under subsection (1) or (2).

(22) Section 27—

Omit the section, insert instead :—

15 27. A dental technician who carries out technical work is guilty of an offence unless that technical work—
Restrictions upon dental technicians.

(a) is carried out on the written order, in or to the effect of the form referred to in section 12 (3) (d) of the Dentists Act, 1934, of a dentist; or
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(b) comprises work involved in the practice of dental prosthetics and he—

(i) is a dental prosthetist; or
(ii) carries out the work on the written order, in or to the effect of the form prescribed for the purposes of this subparagraph, of a dental prosthetist.
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SCHEDULE

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SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*

AMENDMENTS TO THE PRINCIPAL ACT—*continued.*

(23) (a) Section 28 (1A)—

After section 28 (1), insert :—

- 5 (1A) Notwithstanding subsection (1), a dental prosthetist may, in his practice as a dental prosthetist, describe himself as a dental prosthetist and use that title.

(b) Section 28 (3A)—

10 After section 28 (3), insert :—

(3A) A person other than a dental prosthetist who uses the title or description of dental prosthetist is guilty of an offence.

(24) (a) Section 29 (1)—

15 After “technician” where firstly occurring, insert “, whether or not he is a dental prosthetist,”.

(b) Section 29 (1)—

After “technician” where secondly occurring, insert “or for a practising certificate”.

20 (25) (a) Section 30 (b)—

After “technician”, insert “or a dental prosthetist”.

(b) Section 30 (c)—

After “19”, insert “or 19A”.

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SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*

AMENDMENTS TO THE PRINCIPAL ACT—*continued.*

- (26) (a) Section 35 (2) (a)—
 5 After “technician”, insert “or for practising certificates”.
- (b) Section 35 (2) (b)—
 Omit “restoration of the name of a person to the register”, insert instead “the grant of a practising certificate”.
- 10 (c) Section 35 (2) (c)—
 Omit the paragraph, insert instead :—
 (c) fees to be paid under this Act;
- (d) Section 35 (2) (d)—
 After “register”, insert “or index”.
- 15 (e) Section 35 (2) (f)—
 Omit “work; and”, insert instead “work;”.
- (f) Section 35 (2) (g)—
 Omit “work.”, insert instead “work;”.
- (g) Section 35 (2) (h), (i)—
 20 After section 35 (2) (g), insert :—
 ~~(h) regulating advertising by dental technicians, whether or not they are dental~~
 ~~prosthetists; and~~
 (h) regulating advertising by dental technicians, whether or not they are dental
 25 **prosthetists, in the same manner and form as any regulations regulating advertising**
 by dentists, pursuant to the Dentists Act, 1934; and

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SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*

AMENDMENTS TO THE PRINCIPAL ACT—*continued.*

- 5 (i) fixing maximum fees to be charged by dental technicians or dental prosthetists in respect of any work performed by them.

(h) Section 35 (3)—

Omit "referred to in subsection (2) (d), (f) and (g)".

BY AUTHORITY

D. WEST, GOVERNMENT PRINTER, NEW SOUTH WALES—1977

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This PUBLIC BILL originated in the LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY, and, having this day passed, is now ready for presentation to the LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL for its concurrence.

R. E. WARD,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

*Legislative Assembly Chamber,
Sydney, 12 October, 1977.*

New South Wales



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Act No. , 1977.

An Act to amend the Dental Technicians Registration Act, 1975, so as to alter the constitution of the Dental Technicians Registration Board and to permit dental technicians holding practising certificates as dental prosthetists to carry out certain work in the practice of dental prosthetics otherwise than on the written order of a dentist; and for certain other purposes.

BE

Dental Technicians Registration (Amendment).

BE it enacted by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly of New South Wales in Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows :—

5 **1.** This Act may be cited as the "Dental Technicians Registration (Amendment) Act, 1977". Short title.

2. (1) This section and section 1 shall commence on the Commence-
date of assent to this Act. ment.

 (2) Except as provided in subsection (1), this Act
10 shall commence on such day as may be appointed by the Governor in respect thereof and as may be notified by proclamation published in the Gazette.

3. The Dental Technicians Registration Act, 1975, is Principal
referred to in this Act as the Principal Act. Act.

15 **4.** The Principal Act is amended in the manner set forth Amendment
in Schedule 1. of Act No.
40, 1975.

5. (1) The persons who held office as members of the Savings.
Dental Technicians Registration Board immediately before
the day appointed and notified under section 2 (2) shall,
20 subject to the Principal Act, continue to hold office as such
members for the balance of the term for which they were
appointed.

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(2) The person first appointed as a member of the Dental Technicians Registration Board pursuant to section 6 (1) (h) of the Principal Act, as amended by this Act, shall, subject to the Principal Act, hold office until the expiration of the balance of the term referred to in subsection (1).

SCHEDULE 1.

Sec. 4.

AMENDMENTS TO THE PRINCIPAL ACT.

(1) (a) Section 3—

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From the matter relating to Part III, omit “ss. 14–24.”, insert instead “ss. 14–18.”.

(b) Section 3—

After the matter relating to Part III, insert :—

PART IIIA.—PRACTISING CERTIFICATES—ss.
18A–18E.

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PART IIIB.—DISCIPLINARY PROVISIONS—ss.
19–20.

PART IIIC.—APPEALS—s. 21.

(c) Section 3—

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From the matter relating to Part IV, omit “ss. 25–35.”, insert instead “ss. 22–35.”.

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SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*

AMENDMENTS TO THE PRINCIPAL ACT—*continued.*

(2) (a) Section 5 (1), definition of “artificial denture”—

After the definition of “appointed day”,
insert :—

“artificial denture” does not include—

(a) a fixed bridge;

(b) an artificial denture—

(i) of which an intracoronaral
retainer forms a part;

(ii) to which an intracoronaral
retainer is attached; or

(iii) which is combined with
an obturator; or

(c) any prescribed dental appliance;

(b) Section 5 (1), definition of “dental prosthetist”—

After the definition of “board”, insert :—

“dental prosthetist” means a dental technician
to whom a practising certificate has been
granted;

(c) Section 5 (1), definitions of “fitting”, “index”—

After the definition of “dentist”, insert :—

“fitting”, in relation to an artificial denture,
includes taking an impression or making
a measurement for the purpose of insert-
ing, constructing, repairing or renewing
the artificial denture;

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SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*

AMENDMENTS TO THE PRINCIPAL ACT—*continued.*

5 “index” means the Index of Dental Prosthetists
 of New South Wales referred to in section
 18A;

(d) Section 5 (1), definition of “practising
certificate”—

After the definition of “member”, insert :—

10 “practising certificate” means a practising
 certificate granted under section 18B that
 is in force;

(e) Section 5 (3), (4)—

After section 5 (2), insert :—

15 (3) For the purposes of this Act, the practice
 of dental prosthetics means—

20 (a) the giving of any advice to or the
 attendance upon any person as pre-
 paratory to, or for the purpose of, or
 for or in connection with, the fitting,
 inserting, constructing, repairing or
 renewing of artificial dentures;

25 (b) the constructing, repairing or renewing
 by a person of artificial dentures in
 connection with the performance by
 that person of any functions referred
 to in paragraph (a) or (c); and

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SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*

AMENDMENTS TO THE PRINCIPAL ACT—*continued.*

- (c) the inserting or fitting of artificial dentures in healthy human mouths,
- 5 but does not include the inserting or fitting of an artificial denture where, in the proper practice of dentistry, it could be reasonably foreseen, before any such work is commenced, that an adjustment of natural teeth or the jaw would be, or is,
- 10 required for the purpose of—
- (d) balancing the occlusion of natural teeth and the artificial denture; or
- (e) preparing natural teeth or the jaw for the insertion of the artificial denture.
- 15 (4) For the purposes of subsection (3) (c) a human mouth is not healthy if—
- (a) the jaws are apparently damaged and not completely healed or are apparently diseased ;
- 20 (b) it contains any soft tissue that is apparently damaged and not completely healed or is apparently diseased; or
- 25 (c) it contains any teeth that are apparently carious, are apparently damaged and not completely repaired or are apparently diseased.

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SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*

AMENDMENTS TO THE PRINCIPAL ACT—*continued.*

(3) (a) Section 6 (1)—

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Omit "The Governor may constitute a Dental Technicians Registration Board consisting of eight", insert instead "There shall be a Dental Technicians Registration Board consisting of 9".

(b) Section 6 (1) (f)—

Omit "Minister; and", insert instead "Minister;".

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(c) Section 6 (1) (g)—

Omit "Minister.", insert instead "Minister; and".

(d) Section 6 (1) (h)—

After section 6 (1) (g), insert :—

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(h) one shall be a dental technician nominated by the Public Service Association of New South Wales.

(e) Section 6 (1A)—

After section 6 (1), insert :—

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(1A) The members of the board shall be appointed by the Governor.

(4) Section 13 (2) (a)–(c)—

Omit the paragraphs, insert instead :—

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(a) for the purposes of sections 15 (1) (a) and 18B (1) (a), approve courses of training, whether conducted or to be conducted within New South Wales or elsewhere ;

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SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*

AMENDMENTS TO THE PRINCIPAL ACT—*continued.*

5 (b) recommend the standards to be achieved in the examinations to be completed by persons undertaking the courses of training referred to in paragraph (a);

(c) arrange examinations for the purposes of sections 15 (1) (c) and 18B (1) (b);

(5) (a) Section 15 (1) (a)—

10 Omit “approved by the board”, insert instead “, approved by the board,”.

(b) Section 15 (5)—

Omit “the board”.

(c) Section 15 (5) (a)—

15 Omit the paragraph, insert instead :—

(a) a person is entitled to be registered as a dental technician, he shall be so registered on payment of the prescribed fee;
or

20 (d) Section 15 (5) (b)—

Omit “is not”, insert instead “the board is not”.

(6) Section 17 (1A)—

Before section 17 (1), insert :—

25 (1A) In this section, a reference to a dental technician includes a reference to a person who has been registered as a dental technician but whose registration is suspended.

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SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*

AMENDMENTS TO THE PRINCIPAL ACT—*continued.*

(7) Section 18 (c)—

Omit “or who has ceased to possess”.

5 (8) Part IIIA—

After section 18, insert :—

PART IIIA.

PRACTISING CERTIFICATES.

10 18A. (1) The board shall keep an index to be **Index.**
called the “Index of Dental Prosthetists of New South
Wales”.

(2) Where a practising certificate is granted
to a dental technician under section 18B—

- 15 (a) his full name;
(b) his address;
(c) the date on which his practising certificate
was granted; and
20 (d) particulars of the qualification by reason of
which his practising certificate was granted
to him,

shall be entered in the index.

(3) The index shall at all reasonable times
be open to inspection at the office of the board by any
person on payment of the prescribed fee.

25 (4) The secretary shall, as soon as practicable after the first day of July in each year, transmit
a list of names and addresses entered in the index to
the Minister and, if the Minister so directs, the list
shall be printed and published.

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SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*AMENDMENTS TO THE PRINCIPAL ACT—*continued.*

5 18B. (1) A person who makes application for Practising
a practising certificate in the prescribed manner is certificates.
entitled to be granted a practising certificate if, at the
time at which the practising certificate is granted, he
is a dental technician and—

10 (a) he has, in the opinion of the board, satisfac-
torily completed a course of training,
approved by the board, fitting him to
engage in the practice of dental prosthetics;
or

15 (b) not being a person referred to in paragraph
(a), he has, in the opinion of the board,
satisfactorily completed an examination
relating to the practice of dental prosthetics
arranged by the board.

20 (2) Where application is made to the board
under subsection (1), the board, upon payment of
the prescribed fee, shall grant a practising certificate
to a person who is entitled to be granted a practising
certificate.

25 (3) Where the board is not satisfied that a
person who has made application for a practising
certificate is entitled to be granted a practising certifi-
cate, it shall refuse the application and the secretary
shall give the person notice of that refusal in
accordance with section 29 (1).

30 (4) If the board does not, within 60 days
after the receipt by it of an application for a practising
certificate, give notice to the applicant of the result of
the application, the secretary shall be deemed to have
given the applicant a notice that the board has refused
the application.

SCHEDULE

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SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*

AMENDMENTS TO THE PRINCIPAL ACT—*continued.*

5 18C. (1) The board may, for the purpose of obtaining any information required by it for the purposes of section 18B, require any applicant for a practising certificate or other person to appear before it for examination by the members of the board.

(2) A person who—

10 (a) wilfully makes a false statement; or
(b) utters or attempts to put off as true before the board a false, forged or counterfeit document purporting to be an academic award or a document signifying a technical qualification,

15 in connection with a matter into which the board is inquiring for the purposes of section 18B, is guilty of a misdemeanour and liable to be imprisoned for a period not exceeding 12 months.

20 18D. (1) In this section, a reference to a dental practitioner includes a reference to a person who has been granted a practising certificate but whose practising certificate is suspended.

25 (2) Every dental practitioner shall, on or before the thirty-first day of March in each year, pay a practising fee of such amount as is prescribed for the year commencing on the first day of July next following.

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SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*

AMENDMENTS TO THE PRINCIPAL ACT—*continued.*

- 5 (3) If a dental prosthetist does not pay the practising fee on or before the thirty-first day of March in any year, the board shall forthwith notify him by letter addressed to him at his address appearing in the register that if the fee is not paid on or before the thirtieth day of June next following his practising certificate will be cancelled.
- 10 (4) Where a dental prosthetist who has been notified in accordance with subsection (3) fails to pay the practising fee on or before the thirtieth day of June next after the notice has been forwarded to him, the board shall cancel his practising certificate.
- 15 18E. (1) The board may cancel the practising certificate of a person who requests that the practising certificate granted to him be cancelled. Removal of name from index.
- (2) The board shall cancel the practising certificate of—
- 20 (a) a deceased dental prosthetist; and
- (b) a dental prosthetist who has ceased to be a dental technician.
- 25 (3) Where the board cancels a practising certificate under subsection (1) or (2) or section 19A, it shall remove from the index the name of the person to whom the practising certificate was granted.

(9) Part IIIB, heading—

Before section 19, insert :—

PART IIIB.

DISCIPLINARY PROVISIONS.

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Dental Technicians Registration (Amendment).

SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*

AMENDMENTS TO THE PRINCIPAL ACT—*continued.*

(10) (a) Section 19 (1)—

5 Omit “that a dental technician” where firstly occurring, insert instead “under section 20 that a dental technician, whether or not he is a dental prosthetist”.

(b) Section 19 (1) (f)—

10 After “period”, insert “, not exceeding 12 months,”.

(c) Section 19 (1)—

Omit “a dental technician” where secondly occurring, insert instead “he”.

(d) Section 19 (2)—

15 Omit “to the register”, insert instead “to the register and, notwithstanding section 15, that person may not make application for registration as a dental technician before that time unless the board before that time directs that he may make
20 such an application”.

(e) Section 19 (5)—

After section 19 (4), insert :—

25 (5) The registration of a dental technician is not in force during any period for which it has been suspended and, notwithstanding section 15, a person may not make application for registration as a dental technician while his registration is suspended.

SCHEDULE

Dental Technicians Registration (Amendment).

SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*

AMENDMENTS TO THE PRINCIPAL ACT—*continued.*

(11) Section 19A—

After section 19, insert :—

- 5 19A. (1) Where the board is satisfied after an inquiry held under section 20 that a dental prosthetist has been guilty of misconduct with respect to the practice of dental prosthetics, it may by order—
- Proceedings
before
board
against
dental
prosthetist.
- 10 (a) reprimand or caution that dental prosthetist;
- (b) suspend his practising certificate for such period, not exceeding 12 months, as it thinks fit; or
- (c) cancel his practising certificate.
- 15 (2) Whenever an order is made under subsection (1) in respect of any person, the board may make an order of any kind that may be made under section 19 in respect of that person.
- 20 (3) Where the board directs that a practising certificate be cancelled it shall in its order fix a time after which the person whose practising certificate is so cancelled may apply for another practising certificate and, notwithstanding section 18B, that person may not make application for another practising certificate before that time unless the board before that time directs that he may make such an application.
- 25 (4) An order made by the board under subsection (1) shall not take effect until the expiration of a period of 21 days after notice of the making of the order is given to the dental prosthetist by the secretary in accordance with section 29 (1).
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SCHEDULE

Dental Technicians Registration (Amendment).

SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*

AMENDMENTS TO THE PRINCIPAL ACT—*continued.*

5 (5) A practising certificate is not in force during any period for which it has been suspended and, notwithstanding section 18B, a person may not make application for another practising certificate while his practising certificate is suspended.

(12) (a) Section 20 (1)—

Omit the subsection, insert instead :—

10 (1) In this section—

“delegate” means a member of the board or an officer or employee appointed or employed under the Public Service Act, 1902, specified in a resolution referred to in subsection (2);

15 “inquiry” means an inquiry held under this section for the purposes of section 19 (1) or 19A (1) or under both sections 19 (1) and 19A (1) in respect of the same person.

(b) Section 20 (2)—

Omit “by resolution authorise a delegate to make an inquiry under section 19 (1)”, insert instead
25 “hold an inquiry or may, by resolution, authorise a delegate to hold an inquiry”.

(c) Section 20 (3)—

Omit “dental technician”, insert instead “person”.

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SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*

AMENDMENTS TO THE PRINCIPAL ACT—*continued.*

(13) Part IIIc, heading—

Before section 21, insert :—

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PART IIIc.

APPEALS.

(14) (a) Section 21 (1) (a)—

Omit the paragraph, insert instead :—

(a) by the refusal of the board—

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(i) to direct that he be registered as
a dental technician; or

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(ii) to direct under section 19 (2)
that he may make an application
for registration or under section
19A (3) that he may make appli-
cation for a practising certificate;
or

(b) Section 21 (1) (b)—

After “19”, insert “or 19A”.

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(c) Section 21 (3) (a)—

After “registered”, insert “or that the person
applying for a practising certificate be granted a
practising certificate”.

(d) Section 21 (3) (a)—

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Omit “or” where lastly occurring.

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Dental Technicians Registration (Amendment).

SCHEDULE 1—continued.

AMENDMENTS TO THE PRINCIPAL ACT—continued.

(e) Section 21 (3) (a1)—

After section 21 (3) (a), insert :—

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(a1) where—

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(i) the practising certificate of a dental prosthetist has been cancelled under section 18E (2) (b) by reason of his ceasing to be a dental technician consequent upon the making of an order under section 19;

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(ii) the appeal is against that order; and

(iii) the court, on that appeal, orders that he be registered as a dental technician,

order that his practising certificate be restored; or

20 (15) Part IV, heading—

Before section 22, insert :—

PART IV.

GENERAL.

(16) (a) Section 22—

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After "19", insert "or 19A".

(b) Section 22—

After "technician", insert "or dental prosthetist, as the case may be,".

Dental Technicians Registration (Amendment).

SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*

AMENDMENTS TO THE PRINCIPAL ACT—*continued.*

(c) Section 22—

5 Omit “Court, in the register adjacent to the name of the person in respect of whom the order has been made.”, insert instead :—

Court—

10 (a) where the order was made under section 19 or under section 19A and is of a kind that may be made under section 19—in the register adjacent to the name of the person in respect of whom the order has been made; and

15 (b) where the order was made under section 19A and is not of a kind that may be made under section 19—in the index adjacent to the name of the person in respect of whom the order has been made.

20 (17) Section 23—

Omit the section.

(18) (a) Section 24—

After “register”, insert “or index”.

(b) Section 24—

25 After “registered”, insert “or to be granted a practising certificate”.

SCHEDULE

Dental Technicians Registration (Amendment).

SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*AMENDMENTS TO THE PRINCIPAL ACT—*continued.*

(19) Part IV, heading—

- 5 Omit the matter between the end of section 24 and
the beginning of section 25

(20) (a) Section 25 (1) (a)—

Omit “technician; or”, insert instead “technician,
whether or not he is a dental prosthetist;”.

(b) Section 25 (1) (b)—

- 10 After “technician” where firstly occurring, insert
“, whether or not he is a dental prosthetist;”.

(c) Section 25 (1) (b)—

Omit “work;”, insert instead “work; or”.

(d) Section 25 (1) (c)—

- 15 After section 25 (1) (b), insert :—

(c) whether a dental prosthetist has been
guilty of misconduct in respect of which
the board, if satisfied it occurred, could
make an order under section 19A (1),

(e) Section 25 (1)—

20 After “work” where lastly occurring, insert “or
which a dental prosthetist uses in connection with
the practice of dental prosthetics”.

SCHEDULE

Dental Technicians Registration (Amendment).

SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*

AMENDMENTS TO THE PRINCIPAL ACT—*continued.*

(21) Section 26 (2), (3)—

Omit section 26 (2), insert instead :—

5 (2) A person other than a dental prosthetist is guilty of an offence if he does any act that forms part of the practice of dental prosthetics, not being an act that is technical work.

10 (3) A person is guilty of an offence if he permits a person employed by him to do any act the doing of which is an offence under subsection (1) or (2).

(22) Section 27—

Omit the section, insert instead :—

15 27. A dental technician who carries out technical work is guilty of an offence unless that technical work—

Restrictions
upon dental
technicians.

20 (a) is carried out on the written order, in or to the effect of the form referred to in section 12 (3) (d) of the Dentists Act, 1934, of a dentist; or

(b) comprises work involved in the practice of dental prosthetics and he—

(i) is a dental prosthetist; or

25 (ii) carries out the work on the written order, in or to the effect of the form prescribed for the purposes of this subparagraph, of a dental prosthetist.

SCHEDULE

Dental Technicians Registration (Amendment).

SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*

AMENDMENTS TO THE PRINCIPAL ACT—*continued.*

(23) (a) Section 28 (1A)—

After section 28 (1), insert :—

- 5 (1A) Notwithstanding subsection (1), a dental
 prosthodontist may, in his practice as a dental
 prosthodontist, describe himself as a dental prosthodontist
 and use that title.

(b) Section 28 (3A)—

- 10 After section 28 (3), insert :—

(3A) A person other than a dental prosthodontist
who uses the title or description of dental
prosthodontist is guilty of an offence.

(24) (a) Section 29 (1)—

- 15 After “technician” where firstly occurring, insert
 “, whether or not he is a dental prosthodontist,”.

(b) Section 29 (1)—

After “technician” where secondly occurring,
insert “or for a practising certificate”.

20 (25) (a) Section 30 (b)—

After “technician”, insert “or a dental
prosthodontist”.

(b) Section 30 (c)—

After “19”, insert “or 19A”.

SCHEDULE

Dental Technicians Registration (Amendment).

SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*

AMENDMENTS TO THE PRINCIPAL ACT—*continued.*

- (26) (a) Section 35 (2) (a)—
 5 After “technician”, insert “or for practising
 certificates”.
- (b) Section 35 (2) (b)—
 Omit “restoration of the name of a person to the
 register”, insert instead “the grant of a practising
 certificate”.
- 10 (c) Section 35 (2) (c)—
 Omit the paragraph, insert instead :—
 (c) fees to be paid under this Act;
- (d) Section 35 (2) (d)—
 After “register”, insert “or index”.
- 15 (e) Section 35 (2) (f)—
 Omit “work; and”, insert instead “work;”.
- (f) Section 35 (2) (g)—
 Omit “work.”, insert instead “work;”.
- (g) Section 35 (2) (h), (i)—
 20 After section 35 (2) (g), insert :—
 (h) regulating advertising by dental tech-
 nicians, whether or not they are dental
 prosthetists; and

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SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*

AMENDMENTS TO THE PRINCIPAL ACT—*continued.*

- 5 (i) fixing maximum fees to be charged by
dental technicians or dental prosthetists
in respect of any work performed by
them.

(h) Section 35 (3)—

Omit “referred to in subsection (2) (d), (f) and
(g)”.

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(i) being necessary to be made by dental technicians or dental products in respect of any work performed by them.

(ii) Section 32 (3) --

Oral Technicians in section (3) (d) (3) and (g).

BY AUTHORITY

IN WEST GOVERNMENT PRINTING HOUSE, SOUTH AFRICA

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**DENTAL TECHNICIANS REGISTRATION (AMENDMENT)
BILL, 1977**

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THE objects of this Bill are—

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 - (c) to require the board to grant practising certificates to dental technicians who hold prescribed qualifications and to keep an index of persons to whom practising certificates have been granted (hereinafter referred to as “dental prosthetists”) (Schedule 1 (8));
 - (d) to empower the board to cancel practising certificates on certain grounds and, in circumstances prescribed by the Dental Technicians Registration Act, 1975, to take disciplinary action (which may include the cancellation of practising certificates) against dental prosthetists (Schedule 1 (8) and (11));
 - (e) to enable a dental technician to carry out technical work involved in the practice of dental prosthetics if—
 - (i) he is a dental prosthetist; or
 - (ii) he carries out the work on the written order of a dental prosthetist (Schedule 1 (22));
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(AMENDMENT) BILL, 1977**

No. , 1977.

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[MR K. J. STEWART—22 September, 1977.]

BE

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BE it enacted by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly of New South Wales in Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows :—

5 **1.** This Act may be cited as the "Dental Technicians Short title.
Registration (Amendment) Act, 1977".

2. (1) This section and section 1 shall commence on the Commence-
date of assent to this Act. ment.

 (2) Except as provided in subsection (1), this Act
10 shall commence on such day as may be appointed by the
Governor in respect thereof and as may be notified by
proclamation published in the Gazette.

3. The Dental Technicians Registration Act, 1975, is Principal
referred to in this Act as the Principal Act. Act.

15 **4.** The Principal Act is amended in the manner set forth Amendment
in Schedule 1. of Act No.
40, 1975.

5. (1) The persons who held office as members of the Savings.
Dental Technicians Registration Board immediately before
the day appointed and notified under section 2 (2) shall,
20 subject to the Principal Act, continue to hold office as such
members for the balance of the term for which they were
appointed.

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(2) The person first appointed as a member of the Dental Technicians Registration Board pursuant to section 6 (1) (h) of the Principal Act, as amended by this Act, shall, subject to the Principal Act, hold office until the expiration 5 of the balance of the term referred to in subsection (1).

SCHEDULE 1.**Sec. 4.****AMENDMENTS TO THE PRINCIPAL ACT.****(1) (a) Section 3—**

10 From the matter relating to Part III, omit “ss. 14–24.”, insert instead “ss. 14–18.”.

(b) Section 3—

After the matter relating to Part III, insert :—

**PART IIIA.—PRACTISING CERTIFICATES—ss.
18A–18E.**

15 **PART IIIB.—DISCIPLINARY PROVISIONS—ss.
19–20.**

PART IIIC.—APPEALS—s. 21.

(c) Section 3—

20 From the matter relating to Part IV, omit “ss. 25–35.”, insert instead “ss. 22–35.”.

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SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*

AMENDMENTS TO THE PRINCIPAL ACT—*continued.*

(2) (a) Section 5 (1), definition of “artificial denture”—

After the definition of “appointed day”,
insert :—

“artificial denture” does not include—

(a) a fixed bridge;

(b) an artificial denture—

(i) of which an intracoronaral
retainer forms a part;

(ii) to which an intracoronaral
retainer is attached; or

(iii) which is combined with
an obturator; or

(c) any prescribed dental appliance;

(b) Section 5 (1), definition of “dental prosthetist”—

After the definition of “board”, insert :—

“dental prosthetist” means a dental technician
to whom a practising certificate has been
granted;

(c) Section 5 (1), definitions of “fitting”, “index”—

After the definition of “dentist”, insert :—

“fitting”, in relation to an artificial denture,
includes taking an impression or making
a measurement for the purpose of insert-
ing, constructing, repairing or renewing
the artificial denture;

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5 “index” means the Index of Dental Prosthetists
of New South Wales referred to in section
18A;

(d) Section 5 (1), definition of “practising
certificate”—

After the definition of “member”, insert :—

10 “practising certificate” means a practising
certificate granted under section 18B that
is in force;

(e) Section 5 (3), (4)—

After section 5 (2), insert :—

15 (3) For the purposes of this Act, the practice
of dental prosthetics means—

20 (a) the giving of any advice to or the
attendance upon any person as pre-
paratory to, or for the purpose of, or
for or in connection with, the fitting,
inserting, constructing, repairing or
renewing of artificial dentures;

25 (b) the constructing, repairing or renewing
by a person of artificial dentures in
connection with the performance by
that person of any functions referred
to in paragraph (a) or (c); and

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- (c) the inserting or fitting of artificial dentures in healthy human mouths,

5 but does not include the inserting or fitting of an artificial denture where, in the proper practice of dentistry, it could be reasonably foreseen, before any such work is commenced, that an adjustment of natural teeth or the jaw would be, or is,
10 required for the purpose of—

- (d) balancing the occlusion of natural teeth and the artificial denture; or

- (e) preparing natural teeth or the jaw for the insertion of the artificial denture.

15 (4) For the purposes of subsection (3) (c) a human mouth is not healthy if—

- (a) the jaws are apparently damaged and not completely healed or are apparently diseased ;

20 (b) it contains any soft tissue that is apparently damaged and not completely healed or is apparently diseased; or

25 (c) it contains any teeth that are apparently carious, are apparently damaged and not completely repaired or are apparently diseased.

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- (3) (a) Section 6 (1)—
 5 Omit "The Governor may constitute a Dental Technicians Registration Board consisting of eight", insert instead "There shall be a Dental Technicians Registration Board consisting of 9".
- (b) Section 6 (1) (f)—
 Omit "Minister; and", insert instead "Minister;".
- 10 (c) Section 6 (1) (g)—
 Omit "Minister.", insert instead "Minister; and".
- (d) Section 6 (1) (h)—
 After section 6 (1) (g), insert :—
 15 (h) one shall be a dental technician nominated by the Public Service Association of New South Wales.
- (e) Section 6 (1A)—
 After section 6 (1), insert :—
 20 (1A) The members of the board shall be appointed by the Governor.
- (4) Section 13 (2) (a)–(c)—
 Omit the paragraphs, insert instead :—
 25 (a) for the purposes of sections 15 (1) (a) and 18B (1) (a), approve courses of training, whether conducted or to be conducted within New South Wales or elsewhere ;

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- 5 (b) recommend the standards to be achieved in the examinations to be completed by persons undertaking the courses of training referred to in paragraph (a);
- (c) arrange examinations for the purposes of sections 15 (1) (c) and 18B (1) (b);
- 10 (5) (a) Section 15 (1) (a)—
Omit “approved by the board”, insert instead “, approved by the board,”.
- (b) Section 15 (5)—
Omit “the board”.
- 15 (c) Section 15 (5) (a)—
Omit the paragraph, insert instead :—
(a) a person is entitled to be registered as a dental technician, he shall be so registered on payment of the prescribed fee; or
- 20 (d) Section 15 (5) (b)—
Omit “is not”, insert instead “the board is not”.
- (6) Section 17 (1A)—
Before section 17 (1), insert :—
25 (1A) In this section, a reference to a dental technician includes a reference to a person who has been registered as a dental technician but whose registration is suspended.

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SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*

AMENDMENTS TO THE PRINCIPAL ACT—*continued.*

(7) Section 18 (c)—

Omit “or who has ceased to possess”.

5 (8) Part IIIA—

After section 18, insert :—

PART IIIA.

PRACTISING CERTIFICATES.

10 18A. (1) The board shall keep an index to be *Index.*
called the “Index of Dental Prosthetists of New South
Wales”.

(2) Where a practising certificate is granted
to a dental technician under section 18B—

- 15 (a) his full name;
(b) his address;
(c) the date on which his practising certificate
was granted; and
20 (d) particulars of the qualification by reason of
which his practising certificate was granted
to him,

shall be entered in the index.

(3) The index shall at all reasonable times
be open to inspection at the office of the board by any
person on payment of the prescribed fee.

25 (4) The secretary shall, as soon as practicable after the first day of July in each year, transmit a list of names and addresses entered in the index to the Minister and, if the Minister so directs, the list shall be printed and published.

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5 18B. (1) A person who makes application for Practising
a practising certificate in the prescribed manner is certificates.
entitled to be granted a practising certificate if, at the
time at which the practising certificate is granted, he
is a dental technician and—

10 (a) he has, in the opinion of the board, satisfac-
torily completed a course of training,
approved by the board, fitting him to
engage in the practice of dental prosthetics;
or

15 (b) not being a person referred to in paragraph
(a), he has, in the opinion of the board,
satisfactorily completed an examination
relating to the practice of dental prosthetics
arranged by the board.

20 (2) Where application is made to the board
under subsection (1), the board, upon payment of
the prescribed fee, shall grant a practising certificate
to a person who is entitled to be granted a practising
certificate.

25 (3) Where the board is not satisfied that a
person who has made application for a practising
certificate is entitled to be granted a practising certi-
ficate, it shall refuse the application and the secretary
shall give the person notice of that refusal in
accordance with section 29 (1).

30 (4) If the board does not, within 60 days
after the receipt by it of an application for a practising
certificate, give notice to the applicant of the result of
the application, the secretary shall be deemed to have
given the applicant a notice that the board has refused
the application.

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5 18C. (1) The board may, for the purpose of obtaining any information required by it for the purposes of section 18B, require any applicant for a practising certificate or other person to appear before it for examination by the members of the board.

(2) A person who—

10 (a) wilfully makes a false statement; or
(b) utters or attempts to put off as true before the board a false, forged or counterfeit document purporting to be an academic award or a document signifying a technical qualification,

15 in connection with a matter into which the board is inquiring for the purposes of section 18B, is guilty of a misdemeanour and liable to be imprisoned for a period not exceeding 12 months.

20 18D. (1) In this section, a reference to a dental prosthetist includes a reference to a person who has been granted a practising certificate but whose practising certificate is suspended.

25 (2) Every dental prosthetist shall, on or before the thirty-first day of March in each year, pay a practising fee of such amount as is prescribed for the year commencing on the first day of July next following.

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SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*

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- 5 (3) If a dental prosthetist does not pay the practising fee on or before the thirty-first day of March in any year, the board shall forthwith notify him by letter addressed to him at his address appearing in the register that if the fee is not paid on or before the thirtieth day of June next following his practising certificate will be cancelled.
- 10 (4) Where a dental prosthetist who has been notified in accordance with subsection (3) fails to pay the practising fee on or before the thirtieth day of June next after the notice has been forwarded to him, the board shall cancel his practising certificate.
- 15 18E. (1) The board may cancel the practising certificate of a person who requests that the practising certificate granted to him be cancelled. Removal of name from index.
- (2) The board shall cancel the practising certificate of—
- 20 (a) a deceased dental prosthetist; and
- (b) a dental prosthetist who has ceased to be a dental technician.
- 25 (3) Where the board cancels a practising certificate under subsection (1) or (2) or section 19A, it shall remove from the index the name of the person to whom the practising certificate was granted.
- (9) Part IIIB, heading—
Before section 19, insert :—

PART IIIB.

DISCIPLINARY PROVISIONS.

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SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*

AMENDMENTS TO THE PRINCIPAL ACT—*continued.*

(10) (a) Section 19 (1)—

5 Omit “that a dental technician” where firstly occurring, insert instead “under section 20 that a dental technician, whether or not he is a dental prosthetist”.

(b) Section 19 (1) (f)—

10 After “period”, insert “, not exceeding 12 months,”.

(c) Section 19 (1)—

Omit “a dental technician” where secondly occurring, insert instead “he”.

(d) Section 19 (2)—

15 Omit “to the register”, insert instead “to the register and, notwithstanding section 15, that person may not make application for registration as a dental technician before that time unless the board before that time directs that he may make
20 such an application”.

(e) Section 19 (5)—

After section 19 (4), insert :—

25 (5) The registration of a dental technician is not in force during any period for which it has been suspended and, notwithstanding section 15, a person may not make application for registration as a dental technician while his registration is suspended.

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SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*AMENDMENTS TO THE PRINCIPAL ACT—*continued.*

(11) Section 19A—

After section 19, insert :—

5 19A. (1) Where the board is satisfied after an inquiry held under section 20 that a dental prosthetist has been guilty of misconduct with respect to the practice of dental prosthetics, it may by order—

Proceedings
before
board
against
dental
prosthetist.

- (a) reprimand or caution that dental prosthetist;
- 10 (b) suspend his practising certificate for such period, not exceeding 12 months, as it thinks fit; or
- (c) cancel his practising certificate.

15 (2) Whenever an order is made under subsection (1) in respect of any person, the board may make an order of any kind that may be made under section 19 in respect of that person.

20 (3) Where the board directs that a practising certificate be cancelled it shall in its order fix a time after which the person whose practising certificate is so cancelled may apply for another practising certificate and, notwithstanding section 18B, that person may not make application for another practising certificate before that time unless the board before that time directs that he may make such an application.

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30 (4) An order made by the board under subsection (1) shall not take effect until the expiration of a period of 21 days after notice of the making of the order is given to the dental prosthetist by the secretary in accordance with section 29 (1).

SCHEDULE

Dental Technicians Registration (Amendment).

 SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*

 AMENDMENTS TO THE PRINCIPAL ACT—*continued.*

- 5 (5) A practising certificate is not in force during any period for which it has been suspended and, notwithstanding section 18B, a person may not make application for another practising certificate while his practising certificate is suspended.

(12) (a) Section 20 (1)—

Omit the subsection, insert instead :—

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(1) In this section—

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“delegate” means a member of the board or an officer or employee appointed or employed under the Public Service Act, 1902, specified in a resolution referred to in subsection (2);

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“inquiry” means an inquiry held under this section for the purposes of section 19 (1) or 19A (1) or under both sections 19 (1) and 19A (1) in respect of the same person.

(b) Section 20 (2)—

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Omit “by resolution authorise a delegate to make an inquiry under section 19 (1)”, insert instead “hold an inquiry or may, by resolution, authorise a delegate to hold an inquiry”.

(c) Section 20 (3)—

Omit “dental technician”, insert instead “person”.

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Dental Technicians Registration (Amendment).

SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*

AMENDMENTS TO THE PRINCIPAL ACT—*continued.*

(13) Part IIIc, heading—

Before section 21, insert :—

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PART IIIc.

APPEALS.

(14) (a) Section 21 (1) (a)—

Omit the paragraph, insert instead :—

(a) by the refusal of the board—

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(i) to direct that he be registered as a dental technician; or

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(ii) to direct under section 19 (2) that he may make an application for registration or under section 19A (3) that he may make application for a practising certificate; or

(b) Section 21 (1) (b)—

After “19”, insert “or 19A”.

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(c) Section 21 (3) (a)—

After “registered”, insert “or that the person applying for a practising certificate be granted a practising certificate”.

(d) Section 21 (3) (a)—

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Omit “or” where lastly occurring.

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SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*

AMENDMENTS TO THE PRINCIPAL ACT—*continued.*

(e) Section 21 (3) (a1)—

After section 21 (3) (a), insert :—

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(a1) where—

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(i) the practising certificate of a dental prosthetist has been cancelled under section 18E (2) (b) by reason of his ceasing to be a dental technician consequent upon the making of an order under section 19;

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(ii) the appeal is against that order; and

(iii) the court, on that appeal, orders that he be registered as a dental technician,

order that his practising certificate be restored; or

20 (15) Part IV, heading—

Before section 22, insert :—

PART IV.

GENERAL.

(16) (a) Section 22—

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After “19”, insert “or 19A”.

(b) Section 22—

After “technician”, insert “or dental prosthetist, as the case may be,”.

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SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*

AMENDMENTS TO THE PRINCIPAL ACT—*continued.*

(c) Section 22—

Omit “Court, in the register adjacent to the name of the person in respect of whom the order has been made.”, insert instead :—

Court—

(a) where the order was made under section 19 or under section 19A and is of a kind that may be made under section 19—in the register adjacent to the name of the person in respect of whom the order has been made; and

(b) where the order was made under section 19A and is not of a kind that may be made under section 19—in the index adjacent to the name of the person in respect of whom the order has been made.

(17) Section 23—

Omit the section.

(18) (a) Section 24—

After “register”, insert “or index”.

(b) Section 24—

After “registered”, insert “or to be granted a practising certificate”.

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SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*AMENDMENTS TO THE PRINCIPAL ACT—*continued.*

(19) Part IV, heading—

- 5 Omit the matter between the end of section 24 and the beginning of section 25.

(20) (a) Section 25 (1) (a)—

Omit “technician; or”, insert instead “technician, whether or not he is a dental prosthetist;”.

(b) Section 25 (1) (b)—

- 10 After “technician” where firstly occurring, insert “, whether or not he is a dental prosthetist;”.

(c) Section 25 (1) (b)—

Omit “work;”, insert instead “work; or”.

(d) Section 25 (1) (c)—

- 15 After section 25 (1) (b), insert :—

(c) whether a dental prosthetist has been guilty of misconduct in respect of which the board, if satisfied it occurred, could make an order under section 19A (1),

20 (e) Section 25 (1)—

After “work” where lastly occurring, insert “or which a dental prosthetist uses in connection with the practice of dental prosthetics”.

SCHEDULE

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SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*

AMENDMENTS TO THE PRINCIPAL ACT—*continued.*

(21) Section 26 (2), (3)—

Omit section 26 (2), insert instead :—

5 (2) A person other than a dental prosthetist is guilty of an offence if he does any act that forms part of the practice of dental prosthetics, not being an act that is technical work.

10 (3) A person is guilty of an offence if he permits a person employed by him to do any act the doing of which is an offence under subsection (1) or (2).

(22) Section 27—

Omit the section, insert instead :—

15 27. A dental technician who carries out technical work is guilty of an offence unless that technical work—

Restrictions upon dental technicians.

20 (a) is carried out on the written order, in or to the effect of the form referred to in section 12 (3) (d) of the Dentists Act, 1934, of a dentist; or

(b) comprises work involved in the practice of dental prosthetics and he—

25 (i) is a dental prosthetist; or
(ii) carries out the work on the written order, in or to the effect of the form prescribed for the purposes of this subparagraph, of a dental prosthetist.

SCHEDULE

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SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*

AMENDMENTS TO THE PRINCIPAL ACT—*continued.*

(23) (a) Section 28 (1A)—

After section 28 (1), insert :—

- 5 (1A) Notwithstanding subsection (1), a dental prosthetist may, in his practice as a dental prosthetist, describe himself as a dental prosthetist and use that title.

(b) Section 28 (3A)—

- 10 After section 28 (3), insert :—

(3A) A person other than a dental prosthetist who uses the title or description of dental prosthetist is guilty of an offence.

(24) (a) Section 29 (1)—

- 15 After “technician” where firstly occurring, insert
“, whether or not he is a dental prosthetist,”.

(b) Section 29 (1)—

After “technician” where secondly occurring, insert “or for a practising certificate”.

20 (25) (a) Section 30 (b)—

After “technician”, insert “or a dental prosthetist”.

(b) Section 30 (c)—

After “19”, insert “or 19A”.

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SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*

AMENDMENTS TO THE PRINCIPAL ACT—*continued.*

(26) (a) Section 35 (2) (a)—

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After “technician”, insert “or for practising certificates”.

(b) Section 35 (2) (b)—

Omit “restoration of the name of a person to the register”, insert instead “the grant of a practising certificate”.

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(c) Section 35 (2) (c)—

Omit the paragraph, insert instead :—

(c) fees to be paid under this Act;

(d) Section 35 (2) (d)—

After “register”, insert “or index”.

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(e) Section 35 (2) (f)—

Omit “work; and”, insert instead “work;”.

(f) Section 35 (2) (g)—

Omit “work.”, insert instead “work;”.

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(g) Section 35 (2) (h), (i)—

After section 35 (2) (g), insert :—

(h) regulating advertising by dental technicians, whether or not they are dental prosthetists; and

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SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*

AMENDMENTS TO THE PRINCIPAL ACT—*continued.*

- 5 (i) fixing maximum fees to be charged by
dental technicians or dental prosthetists
in respect of any work performed by
them.

(h) Section 35 (3)—

Omit “referred to in subsection (2) (d), (f) and
(g)”.

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SECTION 14

Appointment of the Director of the Department

(1) The Director of the Department shall be appointed by the Government in respect of any work performed by him.

(2) Section 15 (1) and

and (3) (b) and (c) and (d) and (e) and (f) and (g).