

**L.N. 104 of 2020**

**Medical Laboratory Technologists (Fee Concessions)  
Regulation 2020**

(Made by the Chief Executive in Council under section 29(1) of the Supplementary Medical Professions Ordinance (Cap. 359))

**1. Commencement**

This Regulation comes into operation on 1 July 2020.

**2. Interpretation**

In this Regulation—

*concession period* (寬免期) means the period from 1 July 2020 to 30 June 2023 (both dates inclusive);

*Fees Schedule* (費用附表) means Schedule 3 to the Medical Laboratory Technologists Regulations;

*Medical Laboratory Technologists Regulations* (《醫務化驗師規例》) means the Medical Laboratory Technologists (Registration and Disciplinary Procedure) Regulations (Cap. 359 sub. leg. A);

*register* (註冊名冊) has the meaning given by regulation 2 of the Medical Laboratory Technologists Regulations.

**3. Registration fees**

- (1) Item 3 of the Fees Schedule is subject to this section.
- (2) The fee payable for a registration in the register that takes effect during the concession period is \$0.

**4. Fees for specified practising certificates**

- (1) Item 10 of the Fees Schedule is subject to this section.

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- (2) Subject to subsection (3), the fee payable for the issue of a specified practising certificate that takes effect during the concession period is \$0.
- (3) If more than 3 specified practising certificates issued to a person in respect of the same part of the register take effect during the concession period, subsection (2) applies, as far as those certificates are concerned, in relation only to the 3 certificates that first take effect.
- (4) In this section—
- part* (部分), in relation to the register, means a part of the register as referred to in regulation 3(2) of the Medical Laboratory Technologists Regulations;
- specified practising certificate* (指明執業證明書) means a practising certificate for practising as a person of the description referred to in item 1 of the Schedule to the Ordinance.

**5. Expiry**

This Regulation expires at midnight on 30 June 2023.

Wendy LEUNG  
Clerk to the Executive Council

COUNCIL CHAMBER

26 May 2020

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### **Explanatory Note**

This Regulation provides for a concession on the fees payable under the Supplementary Medical Professions Ordinance (Cap. 359) for the following matters if certain criteria are met—

- (a) registration in the register of medical laboratory technologists; and
- (b) issue of practising certificates for medical laboratory technologists.