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GENERAL INSTRUCTION TO ALL HOSPITALS NO. 1802  
(Last General Instruction to all Hospitals No. 1801)

REGISTRATION OF MEDICAL PRACTITIONERS  
AND OTHER HOSPITAL PERSONNEL

The New South Wales Medical Board has drawn the Commission's attention to a number of instances in which Public Hospitals have employed Medical Practitioners without current registration in the State of New South Wales. Also as the final medical examinations are nearing completion, it is requested that all hospitals ensure that Medical Practitioners employed by them, including recent medical graduates, produce positive evidence of full or provisional registration prior to their commencing duties, and that regular checks be made to see that medical practitioners do, in fact, hold current registration.

I would also take this opportunity to remind hospitals of the need to ensure that before engaging any Pharmacist, Physiotherapist, Optometrist, Dentist or Trained Nurse as such, the person in question is currently registered under the Legislation appropriate to his/her calling, and subsequently carry out regular checks to ensure his/her registration is kept current.

A. R. FROST,  
Secretary.

ADDENDUM:

Retrospective Adjustment of Awards

General Instruction to all Hospitals No. 1792 referred to the accounting procedure to be carried out in respect of retrospective salary and wages payments for 1970/71 paid in the current financial year.

Hospitals are now advised that Account No. 499 has been assigned to "Retrospective Salaries Adjustment Account 1970/71". For further details refer to paragraph 1 (b) of the above instruction.

A. R. FROST,  
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