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NATIONAL HEALTH ACT 1953

Determination made under subsections 73AAG (6) and (7)
(HIB 13/2006)

I, LINDA ADDISON, Assistant Secretary, Private Health Insurance Branch, delegate of the Minister for Health and Ageing, pursuant to subsections 73AAG (6) and (7) of the National Health Act 1953 (the Act):

REVOKE the determination dated 22 February 2006 (HIB 05/2006).

DETERMINE under subsection 73AAG(6) of the Act, that each prosthesis listed against a Billing Code in the attached Schedule, without an amount under the heading ‘maximum benefit amount’, is a no gap prosthesis for the purposes of the Act, and the benefit amount for that no gap prosthesis is the amount appearing in the ‘benefit amount/minimum benefit amount’ column corresponding to that Billing Code.

DETERMINE under subsection 73AAG(7) of the Act, that each prosthesis listed against a Billing Code in the attached Schedule, with an amount under the heading ‘maximum benefit amount’, is a gap permitted prosthesis for the purposes of the Act, and the minimum benefit amount for that gap permitted prosthesis is the amount appearing in the ‘benefit amount/minimum benefit amount’ column corresponding to that Billing Code, and the maximum benefit amount is the amount appearing in the ‘maximum benefit amount’ column corresponding to that Billing Code.

This determination commences on 24 March 2006.

Dated this 21 day of March 2006.

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