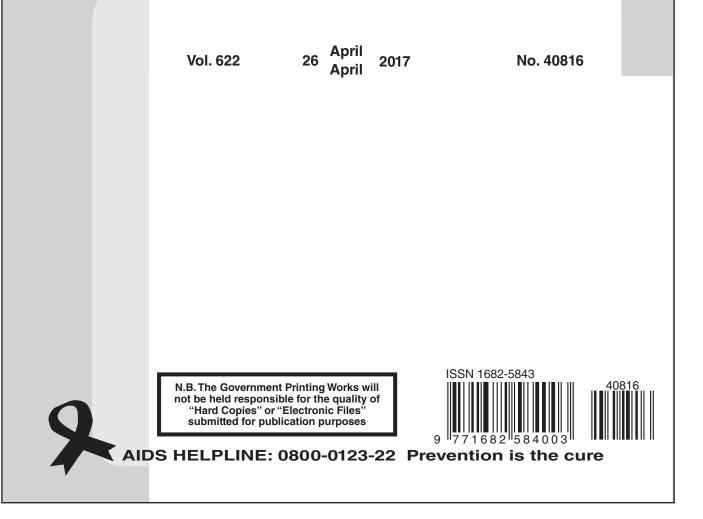


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NATIONAL HEALTH ACT, 2003

REGULATIONS REGARDING THE GENERAL CONTROL OF HUMAN BODIES, TISSUE, BLOOD PRODUCTS AND GAMETES: AMENDMENT

The Minister of Health has, under section 68(1) of the National Health Act, 2003 (Act No. 61 of 2003), made the regulations in the Schedule.

SCHEDULE

Definitions

1. In these regulations "the Regulations" means the Regulations Regarding the General Control of Human Bodies, Tissue, Blood Products and Gametes published under *Government Gazette* No. 35099, Government Notice No. R 180 of 2 March 2012.

Substitution of regulation 2 of the Regulations

2. The following regulation is hereby substituted for regulation 2 of the Regulations:

"Consent for the removal of tissue, gametes and blood from living persons

2. (1) A person may not remove tissue or gametes from the body of another living person for a purpose referred to in section 54 and regulation 3, unless written consent thereto has been granted as follows:

(a) When such person is older than 18 years, by that person; and

(b) where such person is younger than 18 years, by the parents or guardians of that person;

(2) A person may not remove blood from the body of another living person for a purpose referred to in section 54 and regulation 3 unless written consent thereto has been granted by a person older than 16 years.

Short Title

 These regulations shall be called Regulations Regarding the General Control of Human Bodies, Tissue, Blood Products and Gametes: Amendment.

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