

GOVERNMENT OF MAURITIUS

Government Notice No. 71 of 2000

THE OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY, HEALTH AND WELFARE ACT 1988

Regulations made by the Minister under section 80 of the Occupational Safety, Health and Welfare Act 1988.

1. These regulations may be cited as the Occupational Safety, Health and Welfare (First-Aid) (Amendment) Regulations 2000.

2. In these regulations –

“principal regulations” means the Occupational Safety, Health and Welfare (First-aid) Regulations 1989.

3. The First Schedule to the principal regulations is amended by adding immediately after item (p) the following new item.

(q)	Sterile disposable gloves	2 pairs	2 pairs	4 pairs	6 pairs
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4. The Second Schedule to the principal regulations is amended by adding immediately after item (i) the following new item –

(j)	Sterile disposable gloves	2 pairs
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Made by the Minister on 18/05/2000

FIRST SCHEDULE

(Regulation 5 (a))

Every first-aid box or similar container shall contain the numbers of each item specified below depending on the number of employees, as set out below: -

Item	Number of employees			
	1 - 10	11 - 50	51 - 100	101 - 150
(a) Individually wrapped sterile adhesive dressings	20	40	40	40
(b) Small sized sterile unmedicated dressings (approximately 6 cm x 4 cm)	8	10	12	15
(c) Medium sized sterile unmedicated dressings (approximately 10 cm x 8 cm)	6	8	10	12
(d) Large sterile unmedicated dressings (approximately 13 cm x 9 cm)	2	4	6	10
(e) Extra large sterile unmedicated dressings (approximately 28 cm x 17.5 cm)	2	4	6	8
(f) Triangular bandages	2	4	6	8
(g) Sterile eye pads with attachment	2	4	6	8
(h) Safety pins	6	12	12	12
(i) Cotton wool in balls or packs	100 grammes	200 grammes	200 grammes	200 grammes
(j) Adhesive strapping tape	1 roll	1 roll	1 roll	1 roll
(k) Adhesive dressing strips	25 (assorted)	50 (assorted)	50 (assorted)	50 (assorted)
(l). Liquid skin antiseptic, minimum 200 ml bottle	1	1	1	1
(m) Scissors with blunt ends	1	1	1	1
(n) Sterile gauze squares	1 pack	2 packs	2 packs	2 packs
(o) Clean square piece of white linen kept in a polythene bag	1	2	2	2
(p) Sterile eye cleansing solution, minimum 250 ml bottle	1	1	1	1

SECOND SCHEDULE

(Regulation 5 (b))

1. The contents of every travelling first-aid kit shall be as follows: -

Item	Quantity
(a) Individually wrapped adhesive dressings	6
(b) Medium sized sterile unmedicated dressings (approximately 10 cm x 8 cm)	1
(c) Triangular bandage	1
(d) Sterile covering for serious wounds	1
(e) Sterile eye pad with attachments	1
(f) Safety pins	6
(g) Cotton wool in balls or packs	100 grammes
(h) Sterile gauze squares	1 pack
(i) Scissors with blunt ends	1
(j) Sterile disposable gloves	2 pairs