

**No. 79**

THE PHARMACY AND POISONS ORDINANCE 1964  
(Ordinance No. 23 of 1964 as amended by Ordinances  
Nos. 10 of 1970, 4 of 1971, 17 of 1989 and 31 of 2002).

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**REGULATIONS MADE UNDER SECTION 38.**

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In exercise of the powers vested in him by section 38 (1)(i) of the Pharmacy and Poisons Ordinance 1964, as amended by section 7 of the Pharmacy and Poisons Ordinance 2002, the Administrator hereby makes the following Regulations:-

**Citation.**

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Pharmacies (Opening and Closing) Regulations 2003.

**Public holidays and half-days.**

2. – (1) Sundays and the days listed in the Schedule shall be public holidays for pharmacies.

(2) Wednesdays and Saturdays shall be half-days for pharmacies.

**Opening and closing of pharmacies by rotation.**

3. – (1) The Administrator may, by notice published in the Gazette, require the opening and closing of pharmacies by rotation and require specified pharmacies to remain open overnight or during such hours as are stated in the notice.

(2) Any such notice may contain such directions or conditions as the Administrator may impose.

**Offences and penalties.**

4. Any person who contravenes any provision of these Regulations or of any notice published pursuant to regulation 3, shall be guilty of an offence and shall be liable, on conviction, to imprisonment not exceeding six months or to a fine not exceeding four hundred and fifty pounds or to both such penalties.

**Revocation.**

5. Regulation 31 of the Pharmacy and Poisons Regulations 1970<sup>a</sup> is hereby revoked.

**SCHEDULE**  
**(Regulation 2(1))**

New Year's Day

6<sup>th</sup> January (Epiphany)

Green Monday

25<sup>th</sup> March

1<sup>st</sup> April

1<sup>st</sup> May

Feast of the Holy Ghost (according to the Greek Orthodox new calendar)

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<sup>a</sup> P.I. 13/1968 as re-titled by P.I. 40/1970.

15<sup>th</sup> August

1<sup>st</sup> October (Cyprus Independence Day)

28<sup>th</sup> October

25<sup>th</sup> December (Christmas)

26<sup>th</sup> December

Easter Monday (according to the Greek Orthodox new calendar).

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Dated this 25th day of June 2003.

By the Administrator's Command,

W. M. Jessett

Chief Officer,

Sovereign Base Areas.

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