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I am directed by the Minister for Health & Children to refer to the fees and allowances payable to General Practitioners participating in the General Medical Services Scheme.

In accordance with the terms of Partnership 2000 for Inclusion, Employment and Competitiveness, the fees and allowances paid under the scheme as at 1 April 1998 may be increased by 2..25% with effect from 1 July 1998.

This increase will also apply to the fees payable to General Practitioners who continue to be paid on the fee-per-item of service basis.

Yours sincerely

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