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## SCHEDULES

PROSPECTIVE

### SCHEDULE 6

Extension by panel of public protection order without restrictions

#### *Medical report*

- 5.—(1) The medical report must be in the prescribed form and must—
- (a) be made by a medical practitioner who is unconnected with the person concerned and is permitted by regulations under section 300 to make the report;
  - (b) include a statement by the person making the medical report that, in that person's opinion, the criteria for continuation are met; and
  - (c) include any prescribed information.
- (2) The maker of the medical report must have examined the person concerned not more than two days before the date when the report is made.

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Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Act (including any effects on those provisions):

- s. 285(2)(a)-(c) substituted for s. 285(2)(a)(b) by [2022 c. 18 \(N.I.\) Sch. 3 para. 77\(b\)](#)