## SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

## 2018 No. 212

## The National Health Service (General Ophthalmic Services) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2018

## Amendment of the National Health Service (General Ophthalmic Services) (Scotland) Regulations 2006

- 7.—(1) In regulation 22 (application for an eye examination)—
  - (a) in paragraph (1), for "may" substitute "must";
  - (b) in paragraph (2)(1), omit "provided for that purpose to contractors by the Board";
  - (c) for paragraph (2) substitute—
    - "(2) The application must be made on an eye examination form and must be accompanied by a patient practice record form completed and signed by the applicant.";
  - (d) in paragraph (2A)(2), for "is submitted" substitute "will be submitted to the Agency under paragraph 13(1) of schedule 1";
  - (e) omit paragraph (2A);
  - (f) for paragraph (2B)(3) substitute—
    - "(2B) Where paragraph (2A) applies, the applicant must, before an eye examination, complete, sign and submit to the ophthalmic medical practitioner or optician a patient practice record form.";
  - (g) omit paragraph (2B);
  - (h) for paragraph (3)(b) substitute—
    - "(b) unless the eye examination is an emergency eye examination, be satisfied that it is necessary."; and
  - (i) omit paragraphs (3A) to (3C)(4).
- (2) Paragraph (1)(b), (d) and (f) ceases to have effect on the coming into force of paragraph (1) (c), (e) and (g).

<sup>(1)</sup> Regulation 22(2) was amended by S.S.I. 2015/219.

<sup>(2)</sup> Regulation 22(2A) was inserted by S.S.I. 2015/219.

<sup>(3)</sup> Regulation 22(2B) was inserted by S.S.I. 2015/219.

<sup>(4)</sup> Regulation 22(3A) to (3C) was inserted by S.S.I. 2010/86.