



National Health Service (Scotland) Act 1978

1978 CHAPTER 29

PART I

ORGANISATION

Co-operation and assistance

[^{F1}16B Financial assistance by the Secretary of State to voluntary organisations.

- (1) The Secretary of State may, upon such terms and subject to such conditions as he may, with the approval of the Treasury, determine, give to a voluntary organisation to which this section applies assistance by way of grant or loan, or partly in the one way and partly in the other.
- (2) This section applies to a voluntary organisation whose activities consist in or include the provision of a service similar to a relevant service, the promotion or publicising of a relevant service or a similar one or the giving of advice with respect to the manner in which a relevant service or a similar one can best be provided.
- (3) In this section, “relevant service” means a service which must or may, by virtue of the National Health Service (Scotland) Act 1978, be provided or the provision of which must or may, by virtue of that Act, be secured by the Secretary of State, or a service for the provision of which a Health Board is, by virtue of that Act, under a duty to make arrangements.]

Textual Amendments

- F1** S. 16B inserted by [Health and Social Services and Social Security Adjudications Act 1983 \(c. 41, SIF 113:3\)](#), s. 3

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Modifications etc. (not altering text)

- C1** S. 16B: by [S.I. 1990/2369](#), **art. 4(2)(b)** certain functions of the Secretary of State under s. 16B are made exercisable (1.4.1991) by the Health Education Board for Scotland
- C2** S. 16B: functions transferred (31.3.2002) by [S.S.I. 2002/103](#), **art. 4(2)(b)** (with [art. 4\(4\)](#))
S. 16B: functions transferred (27.6.2002) by [S.S.I. 2002/305](#), **art. 4(2)(b)** (with [art. 4\(4\)](#))

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