



# Osteopaths Act 1993

## 1993 CHAPTER 21

### *Miscellaneous*

#### **37 Professional indemnity insurance**

- (1) The General Council may by rules make provision requiring—
  - (a) registered osteopaths who are practising as osteopaths, or
  - (b) prescribed categories of registered osteopaths who are practising as osteopaths,to secure that they are properly insured against liability to, or in relation to, their patients.
- (2) The rules may, in particular—
  - (a) prescribe risks, or descriptions of risk, with respect to which insurance is required;
  - (b) prescribe the amount of insurance that is required either generally or with respect to prescribed risks;
  - (c) make such provision as the General Council considers appropriate for the purpose of securing, so far as is reasonably practicable, that the requirements of the rules are complied with;
  - (d) make provision with respect to failure to comply with their requirements (including provision for treating any failure as constituting unacceptable professional conduct).