#### STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

## 1983 No. 1114

## NATIONAL HEALTH SERVICE, ENGLAND AND WALES

# The Health Service Commissioner for England (Mental Health Act Commission) Order 1983

Made - - - - -

27th July 1983

Laid before Parliament

4th August 1983

Coming into Operation

1st September 1983

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 27th day of July 1983

#### Present,

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

Her Majesty, in pursuance of section 109(d) of the National Health Service Act 1977(a), is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

## Citation and commencement

1. This Order may be cited as the Health Service Commissioner for England (Mental Health Act Commission) Order 1983 and shall come into operation on 1st September 1983.

## Designation as body subject to investigation

2. The Mental Health Act Commission is hereby designated as an authority to which section 109 of the National Health Service Act 1977 (bodies subject to investigation by Health Service Commissioner) applies.

N. E. Leigh, Clerk of the Privy Council.

<sup>(</sup>a) 1977 c. 49; in section 109, paragraph (bb) was inserted by paragraph 72 of Schedule 1, and paragraph (g) was repealed by paragraph 7 of Schedule 2 and by Schedule 7, to the Health Services Act 1980 (c.53).

## **EXPLANATORY NOTE**

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This Order provides that the Mental Health Act Commission is to be a "relevant body" within the meaning of section 109 of the National Health Service Act 1977 so that the Health Service Commissioner for England may investigate complaints which relate to the Commission or its officers.

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