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NATIONAL HEALTH SERVICE, ENGLAND

The National Health Service (Functions of Strategic Health Authorities and Primary Care Trusts and Administration Arrangements) (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2003

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The Secretary of State for Health, in exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 16, 16B,16D,17 and 126 of the National Health Service Act 1977(1), and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby makes the following Regulations:

^{(1) 1977} c. 49; section 16 was substituted by the Health Act 1999 (c. 8) ("the 1999 Act"), Schedule 4, paragraph 9 and amended by the National Health Service Reform and Health Care Professions Act 2002 (c. 17) ("the 2002 Act"), Schedule 1, paragraph 3; section 16B was inserted by the 1999 Act, section 2(1) and amended by the 2002 Act, Schedule 1, paragraph 4; section 16D was substituted by the 1999 Act, section 12(1) and amended by the 2002 Act, section 3(2) and Schedule 1, paragraph 6; section 17 was substituted by the 1999 Act, section 12(1) and amended by the 2002 Act, Schedule 1, paragraph 7; section 126(3) and (4) was amended by the National Health Service and Community Care Act 1990 (c. 19) ("the 1990 Act"), section 65(2), the National Health Service (Primary Care) Act 1997 (c. 46), Schedule 2, paragraph 27, the 1999 Act, Schedule 4, paragraph 37 and the Health and Social Care Act 2001 (c. 15) ("the 2001 Act"), Schedule 5, paragraph 5(13)(b); see section 128(1), as amended by section 26(2)(i) and (g) of the 1990 Act, for the definitions of "prescribed" and "regulations". The functions of the Secretary of State under these provisions are, so far as exercisable in relation to Wales, transferred to the National Assembly for Wales by article 2(a) of, and the entry for the 1977 Act in Schedule 1 to, the National Assembly for Wales (Transfer of Functions) Order 1999, S.I. 1999/672, as amended by section 66(5) of the 1999 Act. See also the 2001 Act, section 68 and the 2002 Act, section 40.