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## EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This note is not part of the Regulations)*

These Regulations make provision concerning membership of the Commission for Social Care Inspection (the CSCI) established by section 42(1) of the Health and Social Care (Community Health and Standards) Act 2003. In particular, they make provision for the numbers and tenure of office of members (regulations 2 and 3), disqualification for appointment or from holding office (regulations 4 and 5), for suspension from office (regulation 6) and for termination of the tenure of office of a member (regulation 7).

Provision is also made for the manner in which the chairman or any other member may be removed from office (regulation 7).

A full regulatory impact assessment has not been produced for this instrument as it has no impact on the costs of business.