STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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The European Qualifications (Health and Social Care Professions) Regulations 2007

PART 2

MEDICAL PRACTITIONERS: MEDICAL ACT 1983

Insertion of section 14A

8. After section 14 insert—

"Full registration of EEA nationals etc without certain acquired rights certificates

14A.—(1) A person who is a national of a relevant European State—

- (a) whose case falls within regulation 3(9)(a) of the General Systems Regulations,
- (b) to whom regulations 20 to 26 of those Regulations apply by reason of the operation of regulation 3(4) of those Regulations,
- (c) who is permitted to pursue the profession of medical practitioner in the United Kingdom by virtue of Part 3 of those Regulations (having, in particular, successfully completed any adaptation period, or passed any aptitude test, that he may be required to undertake pursuant to that Part of those Regulations), and
- (d) whose fitness to practise is not impaired,

is entitled to be registered under this section as a fully registered medical practitioner.

- (2) Any person who-
 - (a) is not a national of a relevant European State; but
 - (b) is, by virtue of any enforceable Community right, entitled to be treated, for the purposes of access to the medical profession, no less favourably than a national of such a State,

shall be treated for the purposes of subsection (1) as if he were such a national.".