

**2009 No. 570**

**PRISONS, ENGLAND AND WALES**

**Her Majesty's Chief Inspector of Prisons (Specified Public Authority) Order 2009**

<i>Made</i> - - - -	<i>5th March 2009</i>
<i>Laid before Parliament</i>	<i>10th March 2009</i>
<i>Coming into force</i> - -	<i>1st April 2009</i>

The Secretary of State makes the following Order in exercise of the powers conferred by paragraph 4(j) of Schedule A1 to the Prison Act 1952(a):

**Citation and commencement**

1. This Order may be cited as Her Majesty's Chief Inspector of Prisons (Specified Public Authority) Order 2009 and shall come into force on 1st April 2009.

**Specified public authority**

2. The Care Quality Commission is a specified public authority for the purposes of paragraph 4(j) of Schedule A1 (further provision about Her Majesty's Chief Inspector of Prisons) to the Prison Act 1952.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

5th March 2009

*David Hanson*  
Minister of State  
Ministry of Justice

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(a) 1952 c.52. Schedule A1 was inserted by section 28 of the Police and Justice Act 2006 (c.48).

## **EXPLANATORY NOTE**

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

This Order specifies the Care Quality Commission as a public authority for the purposes of paragraph 4(j) of Schedule A1 to the Prison Act 1952; the effect is that the Chief Inspector is required to co-operate with the Care Quality Commission where it is appropriate to do so for the efficient and effective discharge of the Chief Inspector's functions.

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