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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**NATIONAL HEALTH SERVICE, ENGLAND**

The National Health Service (Direct  
Payments) Regulations 2010

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THE NATIONAL HEALTH SERVICE  
(DIRECT PAYMENTS) REGULATIONS 2010

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Explanatory Note