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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2013 No. 2354**

**The National Health Service (Direct Payments) (Amendment) Regulations 2013**

**Amendment of regulation 11 of the Direct Payments Regulations**

**4.** In regulation 11 (conditions to be complied with by the patient, representative or nominee), after paragraph (3), insert the following paragraph—

“(3A) A patient, representative or nominee may use direct payments to secure a service in respect of the patient from a person mentioned in regulation 8(5A), only if the care plan specifies, pursuant to that regulation, that the service may be secured from that person.”.