

*These notes refer to the Health and Social Care Act 2012
(c.7) which received Royal Assent on 27 March 2012*

HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE ACT 2012

EXPLANATORY NOTES

COMMENTARY ON SECTIONS

Part 11 – Miscellaneous

Duties to co-operate

Section 288 – Monitor: duty to co-operate with Care Quality Commission

1502. This section places a duty on Monitor to co-operate with the CQC in the exercise of their respective functions (*subsection (1)*), including operating a joint licensing and registration regime which must provide for a single application form and document for new applicants, and must ensure consistency of licence conditions with any conditions on a person's registration with the CQC (*subsection (2)*). It also places a duty on Monitor to, on request, provide the CQC with any relevant information in relation to Monitor's concurrent competition functions with the Office of Fair Trading relating to market investigations (*subsection (3)*).