

**2018 No. 617 (C. 49)**

**HEALTH CARE AND ASSOCIATED PROFESSIONS**

**The Health and Social Care Act 2012 (Commencement No. 11  
and Saving Provision) Order 2018**

*Made* - - - -

*22nd May 2018*

The Secretary of State for Health and Social Care makes the following Order in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 304(10) and 306 of the Health and Social Care Act 2012(a).

In accordance with section 307(1)(g) of that Act, the Secretary of State has consulted the Scottish Ministers.

**Citation**

1. This Order may be cited as the Health and Social Care Act 2012 (Commencement No. 11 and Saving Provision) Order 2018.

**Commencement of provisions**

2. Insofar as they are not already in force, 4th June 2018 is the day appointed for the coming into force(b) of the following provisions of the Health and Social Care Act 2012—

- (a) section 223 (functions of the Authority);
- (b) section 226 (accountability and governance).

**Saving Provision**

3. Notwithstanding the coming into force of section 226 of the Health and Social Care Act 2012 by article 2(b)—

- (a) the Council for Healthcare Regulatory Excellence (Appointment, Procedure etc) Regulations 2008(c) continue to have effect as if made by the Privy Council under paragraph 6 of Schedule 7 to the National Health Service Reform and Health Care Professions Act 2002(d) (“the 2002 Act”), as amended by that section;
- (b) determinations made under paragraph 10 of Schedule 7 to the 2002 Act continue to have effect as if made by the Professional Standards Authority for Health and Social Care;

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(a) 2012 c. 7.

(b) See section 306(1) of the Health and Social Care Act 2012 (c. 7) (“the Act”) for the provisions which came into force on the day the Act was passed, and S.I. 2012/1319 (C. 47), 2012/1831 (C. 71), 2012/2657 (C. 107), 2013/160 (C. 9), 2013/671 (C. 28), 2013/2896 (C. 117), 2014/39 (C. 2), 2014/1454 (C. 57), 2015/409 (C. 23) and 2016/81 (C. 7) for provisions of the Act which came into force by Order on earlier dates.

(c) S.I. 2008/2927.

(d) 2002 c. 17.

- (c) determinations made under paragraph 15 of Schedule 7 to the 2002 Act continue to have effect as if made by the Privy Council.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care.

*Stephen Barclay*  
Minister of State for Health,  
Department of Health and Social Care

22nd May 2018

## **EXPLANATORY NOTE**

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

This Order brings into force sections 223 and 226 of the Health and Social Care Act 2012 (c. 7) (“the Act”) insofar as they are not already in force. It is the eleventh such Order to be made under the Act.

Article 2 brings into force section 223(7), (8), (11), (12) and (13) and section 226(3), (4), (6), (7), (8) and (9) of the Act. These provisions amend the National Health Service Reform and Health Care Professions Act 2002 (c. 17) (“the 2002 Act”) in connection with the Professional Standards Authority for Health and Social Care (“the Authority”).

Section 223(7) of the Act amends section 27(5) and (13) of the 2002 Act. Section 27(5) is amended to substitute the Privy Council as the “relevant authority” to which any directions that the Authority gives to a regulatory body under section 27(2) of the 2002 Act must be sent (except in the case of the Pharmaceutical Society of Northern Ireland). Section 27(13) provides that the Privy Council must make provision in regulations as to the procedure to be followed in relation to the giving of such directions. Section 223(13) of the Act inserts subsection (3E) to section 38 of the 2002 Act to provide for the Parliamentary procedure for any such regulations. Section 223(8) of the Act amends section 27(7) of the 2002 Act to provide that, where the Privy Council receives such directions given by the Authority under section 27(2) of the 2002 Act, it must lay a draft of an order setting out the directions, and the date on which these are to come into force, before both Houses of Parliament. Section 223(11) and (12) of the Act make consequential amendments to section 38(2) and (3) of the 2002 Act.

Section 226(3) of the Act amends paragraph 6 of Schedule 7 to the 2002 Act to provide that the Privy Council, rather than the Secretary of State, may make regulations in connection with appointments to the Authority. Section 226(9) of the Act inserts subsection (3F) to section 38 of the 2002 Act to provide for the Parliamentary procedure for such regulations.

Section 226(4) of the Act amends paragraph 10 of Schedule 7 to the 2002 Act giving the Authority, rather than the Secretary of State, powers in connection with remuneration, allowances and pension for members and former members of the Authority.

Section 226(6) of the Act amends paragraph 15 of Schedule 7 to the 2002 Act to provide that it is the Privy Council which will determine the form in which the Authority must keep and prepare its accounts and the period within which the Authority must send its accounts to the Comptroller and Auditor General.

Section 226(7) of the Act inserts paragraph 16(1B) into Schedule 7 to the 2002 Act. This places a duty on the Authority to publish a strategic plan for the coming financial year by a date determined by the Privy Council and paragraph 16(2) of Schedule 7 is amended by section 226(8) of the Act to provide that the Authority must lay a copy of that strategic plan before Parliament, the Scottish Parliament, the National Assembly for Wales and the Northern Ireland Assembly.

Article 3 makes saving provision to ensure the continued application of Regulations made under the 2002 Act and the continued application of determinations made prior to the amendment of the 2002 Act by the Act.

A full impact assessment has not been produced for this instrument as this Order itself has no impact on the private sector or civil society organisations. A full impact assessment has been

produced in relation to the provisions of the Act, including provisions that are commenced by this Order, and a copy is available at <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/health-and-social-care-bill-2011-combined-impact-assessments>. A hard copy of this impact assessment can be obtained from Professional Regulation Branch, Acute Care and Workforce Directorate, Department of Health and Social Care, Quarry House, Quarry Hill, Leeds, LS2 7UE.

#### **NOTE AS TO EARLIER COMMENCEMENT ORDERS**

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

<i>Provision</i>	<i>Date of Commencement</i>	<i>S.I. No.</i>
Section 1 (partially)	1st October 2012	S.I. 2012/1831
Section 1 (remainder)	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/160
Sections 2 to 7	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/160
Section 8	1st June 2012	S.I. 2012/1319
Section 9 (partially)	1st October 2012	S.I. 2012/1831
	1st February 2013	S.I. 2012/2657
Section 9 (remainder)	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/160
Section 10 (partially)	1st October 2012	S.I. 2012/1831
	1st February 2013	S.I. 2012/2657
Section 10 (remainder)	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/160
Sections 11 and 12	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/160
Section 13 (partially)	1st February 2013	S.I. 2012/2657
Section 13 (remainder)	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/160
Section 14 (partially)	1st February 2013	S.I. 2012/2657
Section 14 (remainder)	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/160
Section 15	1st February 2013	S.I. 2012/2657
Section 16	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/160
Section 17 (partially)	1st October 2012	S.I. 2012/1831
	1st February 2013	S.I. 2012/2657
Section 17 (remainder)	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/160
Sections 18 and 19	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/160
Section 20	1st February 2013	S.I. 2012/2657
Section 21	1st October 2012	S.I. 2012/1831
Section 22 (partially)	1st October 2012	S.I. 2012/1831
Section 22 (remainder)	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/160
Section 23 (partially)	1st October 2012	S.I. 2012/1831
	1st February 2013	S.I. 2012/2657
Section 23 (remainder)	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/160
Section 24 (partially)	1st October 2012	S.I. 2012/1831
Section 24 (remainder)	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/160
Section 25 (partially)	1st October 2012	S.I. 2012/1831
Section 25 (remainder)	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/160
Section 26 (partially)	1st October 2012	S.I. 2012/1831
	1st February 2013	S.I. 2012/2657
Section 26 (remainder)	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/160
Section 27 (partially)	1st October 2012	S.I. 2012/1831
Section 27 (remainder)	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/160
Section 28	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/160
Sections 29 to 34	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/160
Section 35 (partially), in relation to England only	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/160
Section 36 in relation to England only	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/160

Section 37 in relation to England only	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/160
Section 38	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/160
Section 39	1st July 2012	S.I. 2013/1319
Section 40 (partially)	1st February 2013	S.I. 2012/2657
Section 40 (remainder)	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/160
Section 41	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/160
Section 42	1st July 2012	S.I. 2012/1319
Section 43	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/160
Section 44	1st July 2012	S.I. 2012/1319
Section 45 to 54	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/160
Section 55 (partially)	1st July 2012	S.I. 2012/1319
	1st October 2012	S.I. 2012/1831
	1st February 2013	S.I. 2012/2657
	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/160
Sections 56 to 58	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/160
Section 59	1st July 2012	S.I. 2012/1319
Section 60	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/160
Section 61 (partially)	1st July 2012	S.I. 2012/1319
Section 61 (remainder)	1st November 2012	S.I. 2012/2657
Section 62 (partially)	1st November 2012	S.I. 2012/2657
Section 62 (remainder)	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/160
Section 63	1st November 2012	S.I. 2012/2657
Section 64 (partially)	1st June 2012	S.I. 2012/1319
	1st July 2012	S.I. 2012/1319
Section 64 (remainder)	1st November 2012	S.I. 2012/2657
Section 66 (partially)	1st November 2012	S.I. 2012/2657
Section 66 (remainder)	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/671
Section 67 (partially)	1st November 2012	S.I. 2012/2657
Section 67 (remainder)	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/671
Section 68 (partially)	1st November 2012	S.I. 2012/2657
Section 68 (remainder)	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/671
Section 69	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/671
Section 70	1st November 2012	S.I. 2012/2657
Section 71	1st November 2012	S.I. 2012/2657
Sections 72 and 73	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/160
Section 74 (partially)	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/160
Section 74 (remainder)	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/671
Sections 75 to 77	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/160
Section 78	1st February 2013	S.I. 2012/2657
Section 79	1st July 2012	S.I. 2012/1319
Section 80	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/160
Section 81 (partially)	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/671
Section 81 (remainder)	1st April 2014	S.I. 2014/39
Section 82	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/671
Sections 83 and 84	1st April 2014	S.I. 2014/39
Sections 85 to 87 (partially)	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/671
Section 85 (remainder)	1st January 2014	S.I. 2013/2896
Section 86 (remainder)	1st January 2014	S.I. 2013/2896
Section 87 (remainder)	1st April 2014	S.I. 2014/39
Sections 88 and 89	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/671
Sections 90 to 92 (partially)	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/671
Sections 90 to 92 (remainder)	1st April 2014	S.I. 2014/39
Section 93	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/671

Section 94 (partially)	1st November 2012	S.I. 2012/2657
Section 94 (remainder)	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/671
Section 95 (partially)	1st November 2012	S.I. 2012/2657
	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/671
Section 95 (remainder)	1st July 2013	S.I. 2013/671
Section 96 (partially)	1st November 2012	S.I. 2012/2657
	1st July 2013	S.I. 2013/671
Section 96 (remainder)	1st April 2014	S.I. 2014/39
Section 97 (partially)	1st November 2012	S.I. 2012/2657
Section 97 (remainder)	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/671
Section 98 (partially)	1st November 2012	S.I. 2012/2657
Section 98 (remainder)	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/671
Section 99	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/671
Section 100	1st July 2013	S.I. 2013/671
Section 101 (partially)	1st November 2012	S.I. 2012/2657
Section 101 (remainder)	1st July 2013	S.I. 2013/671
Section 102	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/671
Section 103 (partially)	1st November 2012	S.I. 2012/2657
	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/671
Section 103 (remainder)	1st July 2013	S.I. 2013/671
Section 104 (partially)	1st November 2012	S.I. 2012/2657
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	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/671
	1st December 2013	S.I. 2013/2896
	1st April 2014	S.I. 2014/39
Section 105 (partially)	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/671
	1st July 2013	S.I. 2013/671
Section 105 (remainder)	1st April 2014	S.I. 2014/39
Section 106 (partially)	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/671
Section 106 (remainder)	1st April 2014	S.I. 2014/39
Section 107 (partially)	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/671
Section 107 (remainder)	1st July 2013	S.I. 2013/671
Section 108 (partially)	1st November 2012	S.I. 2012/2657
Section 108 (remainder)	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013//671
Sections 109 to 114	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/671
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Section 116 (partially)	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/160
Section 116 (remainder)	1st December 2013	S.I. 2013/2896
Section 117 (partially)	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/160
	1st December 2013	S.I. 2013/2896
	1st April 2014	S.I. 2014/39
Section 118 (partially)	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/160
Section 118 (remainder)	1st April 2014	S.I. 2014/39
Section 119 (partially)	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/160
Section 119 (remainder)	1st April 2014	S.I. 2014/39
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Sections 120 to 123 (remainder)	1st April 2014	S.I. 2014/39
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Section 127	1st December 2013	S.I. 2013/2896
Section 144 (partially)	1st November 2012	S.I. 2012/2657
Section 147 (partially)	1st October 2012	S.I. 2012/1831
Section 147 (remainder)	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/160
Section 148 (partially)	1st November 2012	S.I.2012/2657

Section 148 (remainder)	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/671
Section 149	1st November 2012	S.I. 2012/2657
Section 150 (partially)	1st July 2012	S.I. 2012/1319
	1st November 2012	S.I. 2012/2657
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Section 151 (partially)	1st October 2012	S.I. 2012/1831
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Section 156 (partially)	1st November 2012	S.I. 2012/2657
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Section 173 (remainder)	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/671
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Section 181 (remainder)	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/160
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Sections 202 to 206	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/160
Section 207 (partially)	1st July 2012	S.I. 2012/1319
Section 207 (remainder)	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/160
Sections 209 to 211	1st August 2012	S.I. 2012/1319
Section 212 (partially)	1st October 2012	S.I. 2012/1831
Section 212 (remainder)	1st August 2012	S.I. 2012/1319
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Section 222	1st December 2012	S.I. 2012/2657
Section 223 (partially)	1st August 2012	S.I. 2012/1319
	1st October 2012	S.I. 2012/1831
	1st February 2016	S.I. 2016/81
Section 224	16th March 2015	S.I. 2015/409
Section 225	16th March 2015	S.I. 2015/409
Section 226 (partially)	1st December 2012	S.I. 2012/2657
	9th June 2014	S.I. 2014/1454
Section 227	1st July 2012	S.I. 2012/1319
Sections 228 and 229	1st December 2012	S.I. 2012/2657
Section 230 (partially)	1st August 2012	S.I. 2012/1319
Section 230 (remainder)	1st December 2012	S.I. 2012/2657

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Section 278	1st July 2012	S.I. 2012/1319
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Section 281	1st October 2012	S.I. 2012/1831
Section 282	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/160
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Sections 284 to 287	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/160
Section 288 (partially)	1st July 2012	S.I. 2012/1319
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Section 288 (remainder)	1st April 2014	S.I. 2014/39
Section 289 (partially)	1st July 2012	S.I. 2012/1319
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Section 290 (partially)	1st October 2012	S.I. 2012/1831
Section 290 (remainder)	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/160
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Section 295 and 296 (partially)	1st October 2012	S.I. 2012/1831
Sections 295 and 296 (remainder)	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/160
Section 297 (partially)	1st February 2013	S.I. 2012/2657
	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/160
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Section 299	1st June 2012	S.I. 2012/1319
Sections 300 to 302 (partially)	1st July 2012	S.I. 2012/1319
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Sections 300 to 302 (remainder)	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/160
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Schedule 2 (remainder)	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/160
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Schedule 6 (partially)	1st July 2012	S.I. 2012/1319
Schedule 6 (remainder)	1st October 2012	S.I. 2012/1831
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Schedule 8	1st November 2012	S.I. 2012/2657
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Schedule 10	1st November 2012	S.I. 2012/2657
Schedule 11 (partially)	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/671
Schedule 11 (remainder)	1st July 2013	S.I. 2013/671
Schedule 12 (partially)	1st September 2013	S.I. 2013/671
Schedule 12 (remainder)	1st April 2014	S.I. 2014/39
Schedule 13 (partially)	1st July 2012	S.I. 2012/1319
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Schedule 21 (partially)	1st February 2013	S.I. 2012/2657
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	1st October 2012	S.I. 2012/1831
Schedules 22 and 23 (remainder)	1st April 2013	S.I. 2013/160

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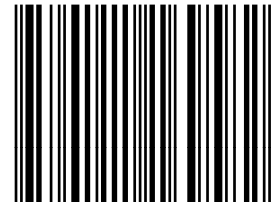
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