



# Public Audit (Wales) Act 2004

## 2004 CHAPTER 23

### PART 4

#### MISCELLANEOUS AND GENERAL

##### *Transitional provision*

#### **70 Welsh NHS bodies**

- (1) Subsection (2) applies where, immediately before the commencement of section 61, an appointment of a person as an auditor in relation to accounts of a Welsh NHS body has effect under Part 2 of the Audit Commission Act 1998.
- (2) Until the end of the period for which that appointment was made, sections 61 and 63 apply, in relation to that Welsh NHS body, as if that person were authorised under section 92(8) of the Government of Wales Act 1998 (c. 38) to exercise the functions of the Auditor General for Wales under sections 61 and 63.
- (3) Subsection (4) applies where, immediately before the commencement of section 61 and paragraph 38(2) of Schedule 2, the Audit Commission is promoting or undertaking a study under section 33 or 35 of the Audit Commission Act 1998 in connection with a Welsh NHS body.
- (4) After (and notwithstanding) that commencement, section 33 or, as the case may be, 35 of that Act continues to have effect in relation to the promoting or undertaking of the study.
- (5) In this section “Welsh NHS body” has the meaning given in section 60.