# SCHEDULES

## SCHEDULE 15

### PART 7: CONSEQUENTIAL AMENDMENTS AND SAVINGS

### PART 4

### THE OFFICE OF THE HEALTH PROFESSIONS ADJUDICATOR

# Miscellaneous amendments

70 In the Schedule to the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960, omit paragraphs 1(bcb) and 2(cb).

### **Commencement Information**

II Sch. 15 para. 70 in force at 1.7.2012 by S.I. 2012/1319, art. 2(3)

- 71 (1) Omit the entry for the Office of the Health Professions Adjudicator in each of the following—
  - (a) Part 2 of Schedule 1 to the House of Commons Disqualification Act 1975,
  - (b) Part 2 of Schedule 1 to the Northern Ireland Assembly Disqualification Act 1975,
  - (c) Part 6 of Schedule 1 to the Freedom of Information Act 2000, and
  - (d) the table in Article 2 of the Administrative Justice and Tribunals Council (Listed Tribunals) Order 2007 (S.I. 2007/2951).
  - (2) In consequence of those repeals, omit paragraphs 4(b), 5(b) and 13(b) of Schedule 10 to the Health and Social Care Act 2008 and the preceding "and" in each case.
  - (3) Omit paragraph 26(b) of Schedule 10 to the Health and Social Care Act 2008 (which inserts a reference to the OHPA in the National Assembly for Wales (Disqualification) Order 2006, which has itself been revoked).
  - (4) Omit paragraph 27 of that Schedule (which inserts a reference to the OHPA in the Pharmacists and Pharmacy Technicians Order 2007, which has itself been revoked).

### **Commencement Information**

I2 Sch. 15 para. 71 in force at 1.7.2012 by S.I. 2012/1319, art. 2(3)

Amendments to the Health Act 1999 (c. 8)

72 (1) The Health Act 1999 is amended as follows.

- (2) Omit section 60(1)(f) (power to modify constitution or functions of OHPA).
- (3) In consequence of that repeal, omit paragraph 1(2) of Schedule 8 to the Health and Social Care Act 2008.
- (4) In paragraph 8(2A) of Schedule 3 (provision under section 60 as to functions relating to unfitness to practise must provide for functions to be exercised by relevant regulatory body or OHPA), omit "or the Office of the Health Professions Adjudicator".
- (5) In section 60A(2) (standard of proof in fitness to practise proceedings before OHPA or regulatory bodies), omit paragraph (a) and the "or" following it.

## **Commencement Information**

I3 Sch. 15 para. 72 in force at 1.7.2012 by S.I. 2012/1319, art. 2(3)

Amendments to the National Health Service Reform and Health Care Professions Act 2002 (c. 17)

- (1) In section 29 of the National Health Service Reform and Health Care Professions Act 2002 (reference of disciplinary cases by the Council for Healthcare Regulatory Excellence to the court), in subsection (1)—
  - (a) in paragraph (c), omit "otherwise than by reason of his physical or mental health", and
  - (b) in paragraph (f), omit the words from ", other than a direction" to the end.
  - (2) In consequence of those repeals, omit section 118(2)(b) and (d), (5) and (6) of the Health and Social Care Act 2008.

Commencement Information I4 Sch. 15 para. 73 in force at 1.7.2012 by S.I. 2012/1319, art. 2(3)

# Amendments to the Health Act 2006 (c. 28)

- (1) Omit section 60(3)(b) of the Health Act 2006 (Appointments Commission to exercise functions of Privy Council relating to appointment of members of OHPA) and the "or" immediately preceding it.
  - (2) Omit section 63(6A) and (6B) of that Act (Appointments Commission to assist OHPA with exercise of appointment functions).
  - (3) In consequence of those repeals, omit paragraph 22 of Schedule 10 to the Health and Social Care Act 2008.

### **Commencement Information**

I5 Sch. 15 para. 74 in force at 1.7.2012 by S.I. 2012/1319, art. 2(3)

Amendments to the Health and Social Care Act 2008 (c. 14)

- 75 (1) The Health and Social Care Act 2008 is amended as follows.
  - (2) In section 128 (interpretation), omit the definition of "the OHPA".
  - (3) In section 162 (orders and regulations), omit subsections (1)(b) and (c) and (4).
  - (4) In Schedule 10 (amendments relating to Part 2 of that Act), omit paragraphs 7, 9, 14, 15 and 18.

#### **Commencement Information**

I6 Sch. 15 para. 75 in force at 1.7.2012 by S.I. 2012/1319, art. 2(3)

### Savings

- (1) If abolition is to occur at a time other than immediately after the end of a financial year within the meaning of paragraphs 19 and 20 of Schedule 6 to the Health and Social Care Act 2008 (annual reports), the period that begins with the 1 April before abolition and ends with abolition is to be treated as a financial year for the purposes of those paragraphs.
  - (2) Despite section 231(2), paragraphs 19 and 20 of that Schedule are to continue to have effect for the purpose of imposing the duties under paragraphs 19(2), (3)(b) and (4) to (6) and 20(1), (2)(b) and (3) and for the purpose of conferring the power under paragraph 20(4); and for those purposes—
    - (a) the duties under paragraphs 19(2) and 20(1), in so far as they have not been discharged by the OHPA, must be discharged by the Secretary of State,
    - (b) the duties under paragraphs 19(3)(b) and (4) and 20(2)(b) must be discharged by the Secretary of State, and
    - (c) the power conferred by paragraph 20(4) may be exercised by giving directions of the description in question to the Secretary of State.
  - (3) Subject to that, anything which the OHPA is required to do under an enactment before abolition may, in so far as it has not been done by the OHPA, be done by the Secretary of State after abolition.

#### **Commencement Information**

I7 Sch. 15 para. 76 in force at 1.7.2012 by S.I. 2012/1319, art. 2(3)

A reference in any document to the OHPA is, so far as necessary or appropriate in consequence of section 231(1), to be read after abolition as a reference to the Secretary of State.

# **Commencement Information**

**I8** Sch. 15 para. 77 in force at 1.7.2012 by S.I. 2012/1319, art. 2(3)

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In paragraphs 76 and 77—

"abolition" means the commencement of section 231(1);

"enactment" includes an enactment contained in subordinate legislation (within the meaning of the Interpretation Act 1978); "the OHPA" means the Office of the Health Professions Adjudicator.

### **Commencement Information**

I9 Sch. 15 para. 78 in force at 1.7.2012 by S.I. 2012/1319, art. 2(3)

### **Changes to legislation:**

Health and Social Care Act 2012, PART 4 is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 19 April 2024. There are changes that may be brought into force at a future date. Changes that have been made appear in the content and are referenced with annotations. View outstanding changes

## Changes and effects yet to be applied to :

specified provision(s) amendment to earlier commencing SI 2012/1831 art. 10 by S.I. 2012/2657 art. 15

**Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Act associated Parts and Chapters:** Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Act (including any effects on those provisions):

- Pt. 9 Ch. 1B inserted by 2022 c. 31 s. 96
- s. 102(4)(ba) inserted by S.I. 2019/93, Sch. 1 para. 13(3) (as substituted) by S.I. 2019/1245 reg. 28 (This amendment not applied to legislation.gov.uk. The affecting statutory instrument has no legal effect. It was made under a procedure which meant that it ceased to have effect 28 days after signing unless it was debated and approved in Parliament within that time. It was not debated and approved within 28 days, so it has expired with no effect.)
- s. 105(3A)(3B) inserted by 2013 c. 24 Sch. 14 para. 21
- s. 106(3A)(3B) inserted by 2013 c. 24 Sch. 14 para. 22
- s. 250(2)-(2B) substituted for s. 250(2) by 2022 c. 31 s. 95(2)(a)
- s. 250(6)-(6D) substituted for s. 250(6) by 2022 c. 31 s. 95(2)(d)
- s. 251251ZA substituted for s. 251 by 2022 c. 31 s. 95(3)
- s. 251C(6A) inserted by 2022 c. 31 s. 95(4)(a)
- s. 259(1)(aa)(b) substituted for s. 259(1)(b) by 2022 c. 31 s. 98(b)
- s. 259(1)(aa) words substituted by S.I. 2023/98 Sch. para. 17(11)(a)(iii) (This amendment comes in force at the same time as 2022 c. 31, s. 98 comes into force)
- s. 259(10A)(10B) inserted by 2022 c. 31 s. 98(h)
- s. 304(5)(ja) inserted by 2022 c. 31 s. 95(5)