

## SCHEDULES

### SCHEDULE 4

#### AMENDMENTS OF THE NATIONAL HEALTH SERVICE ACT 2006

#### PART 4

##### MEDICAL SERVICES

- 30 (1) Section 83 (duty relating to primary medical services) is amended as follows.
- (2) For subsections (1) and (2) substitute—
- “(1) The Board must, to the extent that it considers necessary to meet all reasonable requirements, exercise its powers so as to secure the provision of primary medical services throughout England.
- (2) The Board may (in addition to any other power conferred on it) make such arrangements for the provision of primary medical services as it considers appropriate; and it may, in particular, make contractual arrangements with any person.
- (2A) Arrangements made for the purposes of subsection (1) or (2) may include arrangements for the performance of a service outside England.”
- (3) In subsection (3) of that section, for “Each Primary Care Trust” substitute “The Board”.
- (4) Omit subsection (4).
- (5) For the cross-heading preceding that section substitute “Duty of the Board in relation to primary medical services”.