

SCHEDULE 1

Amendments of health service legislation

PART 1

Amendments to the National Health Service Act 1977

- 20.** In section 44 (recognition of local representative committees)—
- (a) in subsection (B2) for paragraph (b) substitute—
 - “(b) of—
 - (i) the persons providing pharmaceutical services from premises in the Primary Care Trust’s area,
 - (ii) the persons mentioned in sub-paragraph (i) above and the persons providing local pharmaceutical services in the Primary Care Trust’s area,
 - (iii) the persons mentioned in sub-paragraph (i) above and the persons providing local pharmaceutical services under LPS arrangements in the Primary Care Trust’s area, or
 - (iv) the persons mentioned in sub-paragraph (i) above and the persons providing local pharmaceutical services under LPS schemes in the Primary Care Trust’s area,”
 - (b) in subsection (3) omit paragraph (e) and after “subsection (4) below” insert “is a person providing local pharmaceutical services in the area of a Primary Care Trust if he provides such services in accordance with LPS arrangements made by the Primary Care Trust (whether with himself or another).”,
 - (c) after subsection (3) insert—
 - “(3A) Additionally, for the purposes of this section and section 45 below, a person who meets the condition in subsection (4) below is a person providing local pharmaceutical services in a Primary Care Trust’s area if he provides those services under an LPS scheme.”, and
 - (d) in subsection (4), after “subsection (3)” insert “and subsection (3A)”.