
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**The Medical Act 1983 (Amendment) and
Miscellaneous Amendments Order 2006**

PART 3

**Programmes for provisionally registered doctors,
education functions and connected matters**

Amendment of section 5 of the Act

21. In section 5(1) (general functions of the Education Committee in relation to medical education in the United Kingdom)—

- (a) for paragraph (c) in subsection (2) substitute the following paragraph—
 - “(c) discharge their functions under section 10A below in respect of programmes for provisionally registered doctors.”;
- (b) in subsection (2A), for “subsection (2) above,” substitute “subsection (2)(a) or (b) above or discharging their functions mentioned in subsection (2)(c) above.”;
- (c) for subsection (3) substitute the following subsections—
 - “(3) Determinations of the Education Committee under subsection (2)(a) or (b) above shall be published in such manner as they see fit.
 - (3A) Such determinations—
 - (a) are binding on universities or other bodies concerned with medical education as regards the matters to which they relate; and
 - (b) accordingly, those universities or other bodies must act in accordance with them as regards the matters to which they relate.”; and
- (d) in subsection (4)—
 - (i) in the definition of “the prescribed knowledge and skill” for “embodied in recommendations” substitute “set out in determinations published”;
 - (ii) in the definition of “the prescribed standard of proficiency”, for “embodied in recommendations” substitute “set out in determinations published”, and
 - (iii) omit the definition of “a prescribed pattern of experience”.