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MENTAL HEALTH

The Mental Health (Patient Representation) (Prescribed Persons) (Scotland) Regulations 2004

Made - - - -	*8th September 2004*
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Coming into force - -	*1st October 2004*

The Scottish Ministers, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 250(2), (4) and (7) and section 253(2), (5) and (6) of the Mental Health (Care and Treatment) (Scotland) Act 2003(**1**) and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, hereby make the following Regulations:

Citation, commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Mental Health (Patient Representation) (Prescribed Persons) (Scotland) Regulations 2004 and shall come into force on 1st October 2004.

(2) In these Regulations–

"care service" has the meaning given by subsection (1)(a), (b), (e), (g), (h) and (k) of section 2 of the Regulation of Care (Scotland) Act 2001(**2**); and

"social worker" has the meaning given by section 77(1) of that Act.

Prescribed persons

2. The following class is prescribed for the purposes of sections 250(7) and 253(6) of the Mental Health (Care and Treatment) (Scotland) Act 2003–

(a) clinical psychologists entered on the British Psychological Society's register of chartered psychologists;

(b) medical practitioners;

(c) occupational therapists registered with the Health Professions Council;

(d) persons employed in the provision of (or in managing the provision of) a care service;

(e) registered nurses;

(**1**) 2003 asp 13; see section 329 for the definition of "regulations".
(**2**) 2001 asp 8.