SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1999 No. 96

NATIONAL HEALTH SERVICE

The Dumfries and Galloway Primary Care National Health Service Trust(Establishment) Amendment Order 1999

Made - - - - 29th September 1999

Coming into force - - 1st October 1999

The Scottish Ministers, in exercise of the powers conferred on them bysection 12A(1) and (4) of and paragraphs 1 and 3(1)(b) and (c) of Schedule7A to, the National Health Service (Scotland) Act 1978(**1**) andof all other powers enabling them in that behalf, hereby make the followingOrder:

Citation, commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Dumfries and Galloway Primary CareNational Health Service Trust (Establishment) Amendment Order 1999 andshall come into force on 1st October 1999.

(2) In this Order–

"the principal Order" means the Dumfries and Galloway Primary CareNational Health Service Trust (Establishment) Order 1998(**2**).

Amendment of the principal Order

2.—(1) For article 3 of the principal Order there is substituted–

"**Nature and functions of the trust**

3.—(1) The trust is established for the purpose specified in section 12A(1) ofthe Act.

(2) The trust's functions shall be–

(a) to provide goods and services for the purpose of the Health Service at,from or through hospital accommodation and facilities at Annan Hospital,Annan, Dalrymple Hospital, Stranraer and Annan Crichton Royal Hospital andNithbank Hospital, both Dumfries, and at establishments associated withthose hospitals, and also

(**1**) 1978 c. 29; section 12A(1) and (4) was inserted by theNational Health Service and Community Care Act 1990 (c. 19) ("the 1990Act"), section 31 and amended by the Health Act 1999 (c. 8) ("the 1999Act"), section 46; Schedule 7A was inserted by the 1990 Act, Schedule 6and amended by the 1999 Act, Schedule 4, paragraph 62. The functions of theSecretary of State were transferred to the Scottish Ministers by virtue ofsection 53 of the Scotland Act 1998 (c. 46).

(**2**) S.I. 1998/2714.