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# NATIONAL HEALTH SERVICE, ENGLAND

## The Delegation of Additional Functions to the NHS Business Services Authority (Awdurdod Gwasanaethau Busnes y GIG) Regulations 2015

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The Secretary of State for Health makes the following Regulations in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 7(1) and 273(4)(b)(zi) of the National Health Service Act 2006(**1**).

The Secretary of State for Health has consulted the National Health Service Commissioning Board(**2**) in accordance with section 7(1B) of that Act(**3**).

### Citation and commencement

**1.** These Regulations may be cited as the Delegation of Additional Functions to the NHS Business Services Authority (Awdurdod Gwasanaethau Busnes y GIG) Regulations 2015 and come into force on 1st April 2015.

### Functions of the National Health Service Commissioning Board to be exercisable by the NHS Business Services Authority

**2.** The NHS Business Services Authority(**4**) is directed to exercise the functions of the National Health Service Commissioning Board that the Board—

(**1**) 2006 c. 41. Subsection (1) of section 7 of the National Health Service Act 2006 ("the 2006 Act") was substituted by the Health and Social Care Act 2012 (c. 7) ("the 2012 Act"), section 21(2). Subsection (4)(b)(zi) of section 273 of the 2006 Act was inserted by the 2012 Act, section 21(6). By virtue of section 271(1) of the 2006 Act, the functions of the Secretary of State being exercised in the making of these Regulations are exercisable only in relation to England. *See also* section 273(1) of the 2006 Act, which contains a definition of "regulations" that is relevant to the powers being exercised.

(**2**) The National Health Service Commissioning Board was established under the section 1H of the 2006 Act, which was inserted by the 2012 Act, section 9(1).

(**3**) Subsection (1B) of section 7 of the 2006 Act was inserted by the 2012 Act, section 21(2).

(**4**) The NHS Business Services Authority was established by the NHS Business Services Authority (Awdurdod Gwasanaethau Busnes y GIG) (Establishment and Constitution) Order 2005 (S.I. 2005/2414, as amended by S.I. 2006/632, 2007/1201 and 2013/235).