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HEALTH AND PERSONAL SOCIAL SERVICES

Establishment and Determination of Areas of Health and Social Services Boards

ORDER, DATED 1ST SEPTEMBER 1972, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES UNDER ARTICLE 16 OF THE HEALTH AND PERSONAL SOCIAL SERVICES (NORTHERN IRELAND) ORDER 1972.

The Ministry of Health and Social Services, on behalf of the Secretary of State and in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Article 16 of the Health and Personal Social Services (Northern Ireland) Order 1972(a) and of every other power enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following Order:

1. This Order may be cited as the Health and Personal Social Services (Establishment and Determination of Areas of Health and Social Services Boards) Order (Northern Ireland) 1972.

2.—(1) There are hereby established four Health and Social Services Boards (in this Order referred to as "Boards").

(2) The names of the Boards shall be those specified in column 1 of the Schedule and, subject to Article 3, the area of a Board shall be the areas of those local government districts specified opposite the name of that Board in column 2 of the Schedule.

3.—(1) Subject to paragraph (2) the area of a Board shall include any waters forming part of a port established for the purposes of the enactments relating to the customs of the United Kingdom and abutting on that area.

(2) For the purposes of paragraph (1), the part of the port of Belfast which lies on the landward side of a straight line drawn from Black Head in the local government district of Carrickfergus to Orlock Point in the local government district of North Down, including the waters of that port within such limits, shall be deemed to form part of the area of the Eastern Health and Social Services Board, and that Board may, for the purposes of its functions in that part of the port of Belfast, be known as the Belfast Port Health Authority.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Health and Social Services this 1st day of September 1972.

(L.S.)

D. W. Lowry,
Assistant Secretary.

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