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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**PART III**

**BOARDS: FINANCE AND THE DUTY OF BEST VALUE**

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**13.**—(1) A board shall make arrangements for continuous improvement in the way in which its functions are exercised, having regard to a combination of economy, efficiency and effectiveness.

(2) For the purpose of deciding how to carry out its duty under paragraph (1), a board shall consult persons appearing to the board to be representative of persons who use, are likely to use, or otherwise have an interest in, services provided by the board in pursuance of its functions.