## SCHEDULE 1

## Constitution of an Advisory Appointments Committee

## Consultant Committee

- 1. The Board shall constitute a Committee in accordance with the following provisions of this Schedule.
- 2. The Board shall appoint to the Committee six persons, hereafter referred to as "core members", of whom:
  - (a) one shall be a lay member of the Board;
  - (b) one shall be a professional member who shall be—
    - (i) a person employed by the Board as a consultant in the relevant specialty; or
    - (ii) where no such person is available for the purpose a person employed by the Board as a consultant in some other specialty;
  - (c) when the appointment is to a consultant post in a hospital the medical director or, in the case of a dental appointment, the dental director of that hospital or a person who acts in a similar capacity in that hospital;
  - (d) one shall be the chief officer of the Board;
  - (e) one shall be a consultant specialising in the branch of medicine or dentistry concerned practising outside Northern Ireland;
  - (f) one shall be nominated by the Faculty of Medicine of the Queen's University of Belfast.
- 3. In addition to the core members the Board may appoint such additional members to the Committee as it thinks fit.
- 4. A Committee shall have a majority of professional members and a majority of members who are persons employed by the Board or who are members of the Board.
- 5. Two or more Boards may in the appointment of a Committee act together as if they were a single Board.