SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2002 No. 533

The Community Care (Joint Working etc.) (Scotland) Regulations 2002

Citation, commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Community Care (Joint Working etc.) (Scotland) Regulations 2002 and shall come into force on 1st January 2003.

(2) In these Regulations-

"the Act" means the Community Care and Health (Scotland) Act 2002;

"local plan" means any plan made by, affecting or involving the participation of a local authority or NHS body (whether in common with any other person or not) which relates to any of the functions prescribed by these Regulations;

"arrangement" means any arrangement under section 15(1) of the Act;

"party" means any local authority or NHS body which participates or proposes to participate in an arrangement.