

## NOTE AS TO EARLIER COMMENCEMENT ORDERS

2. The following provisions of the Act have been brought into force by the Regulation of Care (Scotland) Act 2001 (Commencement No. 2 and Transitional Provisions) Order 2001 ([S.S.I. 2002/162](#)):—

<i>Provision</i>	<i>Date of commencement</i>
Sections 2 subsections (1)(a) to (h), (l) and (m), (2) to (4), 5(a) and (b), (6), (9), (17) to (26) and (28)	1st April 2002
Section 2(5)(c) (partially)	
Section 2(7) (partially)	
Section 2(10) (partially)	
Sections 3, 5(3), 7, 9 to 23, 24(2) and (3), 25 to 27, 31, 32, 33(1)(c) and (2) to (4), 34 to 42, 44 to 51 and 72	
Section 79 (partially)	
Section 80(i) (partially)	
Paragraphs 1 to 3, 4(1) and (3), 5, 6, 7(11)(b), 8 to 19, 21, 23(1) to (6) and 25 of Schedule 3	
Schedule 4 (partially)	