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SCHEDULES

SCHEDULE 4

Section 134.

PROVISIONS RELATING TO NORTHERN IRELAND

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| <div><div>Modifications etc. (not altering text)</div><div><div>C1</div><div>Sch. 4 applied (31.3.1997) by S.I. 1997/322, reg. 34, Sch.5</div></div><div><div>C2</div><div>Paras. 6, 8, 11 extended by Medicines Act 1971 (c. 69), s. 1(3)(c)</div></div></div> | |
| 1 | <div><div>(1) [^{F1}the Minister for Health, Social Services and Public Safety] may by order make provision for the application of this Act in relation to druggists subject to such exceptions and modifications as may be specified in the order.</div><div>(2) In this paragraph “druggist” means a person registered in the register of druggists for Northern Ireland made out and maintained under [^{F2}Articles 6 and 9 of the ^{M1}Pharmacy (Northern Ireland) Order 1976].</div></div> |
| <div><div>Textual Amendments</div><div><div>F1</div><div>Words in Sch. 4 substituted (14.8.2012) by The Human Medicines Regulations 2012 (S.I. 2012/1916), reg. 1(2), Sch. 34 para. 35(a) (with Sch. 32)</div></div><div><div>F2</div><div>Words substituted by S.I. 1976/1213 (N.I. 22), Sch. 5 para. 8</div></div></div> | |
| <div><div>Marginal Citations</div><div><div>M1</div><div>S.I. 1976/1213 (N.I. 22)</div></div></div> | |
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- F3** Sch. 4 paras. 2-5 omitted (1.10.2006) by virtue of [The Veterinary Medicines Regulations 2006 \(S.I. 2006/2407\)](#), reg. 1, **Sch. 8 para. 69(a)** (with regs. 2(4), 3)

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- 6 [^{F4}The appropriate Northern Ireland Minister] may in relation to Northern Ireland exercise any power of making an order or regulations which is conferred on the [^{F5}Ministers] by any provision of this Act ^{F6}... ^{F7F6}... ^{F8F6}... where in his ^{F9}... opinion there are special circumstances which render it expedient to do so.

Textual Amendments

- F4** Words in Sch. 4 para. 6 substituted (1.10.2006) by [The Veterinary Medicines Regulations 2006 \(S.I. 2006/2407\)](#), reg. 1, **Sch. 8 para. 69(b)(i)** (with regs. 2(4), 3)
- F5** Word in Sch. 4 para. 6 substituted (1.10.2006) by [The Veterinary Medicines Regulations 2006 \(S.I. 2006/2407\)](#), reg. 1, **Sch. 8 para. 69(b)(ii)** (with regs. 2(4), 3)
- F6** Words in Sch. 4 para. 6 omitted (14.8.2012) by virtue of [The Human Medicines Regulations 2012 \(S.I. 2012/1916\)](#), reg. 1(2), **Sch. 34 para. 35(b)** (with Sch. 32)
- F7** Words in Sch. 4 para. 6 omitted (1.10.2006) by virtue of [The Veterinary Medicines Regulations 2006 \(S.I. 2006/2407\)](#), reg. 1, **Sch. 8 para. 69(b)(iii)** (with regs. 2(4), 3)
- F8** Words repealed by [Animal Health and Welfare Act 1984 \(c. 40, SIF 2:8\)](#), s. 16, Sch. 1 para. 3(11), **Sch. 2**
- F9** Words in Sch. 4 para. 6 omitted (1.10.2006) by virtue of [The Veterinary Medicines Regulations 2006 \(S.I. 2006/2407\)](#), reg. 1, **Sch. 8 para. 69(b)(iv)** (with regs. 2(4), 3)

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Textual Amendments

- F10** Sch. 4 para. 7 omitted (1.10.2006) by virtue of [The Veterinary Medicines Regulations 2006 \(S.I. 2006/2407\)](#), reg. 1, **Sch. 8 para. 69(c)** (with regs. 2(4), 3)

- 8 Every order or regulation under this Act made by [^{F1}the Minister for Health, Social Services and Public Safety]^{F11}... by virtue of the power conferred by paragraph 1^{F12}... or paragraph 6 of this Schedule^{F13}... shall be subject to negative resolution within the meaning of section 41(6) of the ^{M2}Interpretation Act (Northern Ireland) 1954 as if it were a statutory instrument within the meaning of that Act.

Textual Amendments

- F1** Words in Sch. 4 substituted (14.8.2012) by [The Human Medicines Regulations 2012 \(S.I. 2012/1916\)](#), reg. 1(2), **Sch. 34 para. 35(a)** (with Sch. 32)
- F11** Words in Sch. 4 para. 8 omitted (1.10.2006) by virtue of [The Veterinary Medicines Regulations 2006 \(S.I. 2006/2407\)](#), reg. 1, **Sch. 8 para. 69(d)(i)** (with regs. 2(4), 3)

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- F13** Words in Sch. 4 para. 8 omitted (14.8.2012) by virtue of [The Human Medicines Regulations 2012 \(S.I. 2012/1916\)](#), [reg. 1\(2\)](#), [Sch. 34 para. 35\(c\)](#) (with [Sch. 32](#))

Marginal Citations

- M2** [1954 c. 33 \(N.I.\)](#)

- 9 In this Schedule “[^{F14}the appropriate Northern Ireland Minister]”—
- (a) ^{F15}... means [^{F1}the Minister for Health, Social Services and Public Safety];
- ^{F16}(b)
- ^{F16}(c)
- ^{F17} ...

Textual Amendments

- F1** Words in [Sch. 4](#) substituted (14.8.2012) by [The Human Medicines Regulations 2012 \(S.I. 2012/1916\)](#), [reg. 1\(2\)](#), [Sch. 34 para. 35\(a\)](#) (with [Sch. 32](#))
- F14** Words in Sch. 4 para. 9 substituted (1.10.2006) by [The Veterinary Medicines Regulations 2006 \(S.I. 2006/2407\)](#), [reg. 1](#), [Sch. 8 para. 69\(e\)\(i\)](#) (with [regs. 2\(4\), 3](#))
- F15** Words in Sch. 4 para. 9(a) omitted (1.10.2006) by virtue of [The Veterinary Medicines Regulations 2006 \(S.I. 2006/2407\)](#), [reg. 1](#), [Sch. 8 para. 69\(e\)\(ii\)](#) (with [regs. 2\(4\), 3](#))
- F16** Sch. 4 para. 9(b)(c) omitted (1.10.2006) by virtue of [The Veterinary Medicines Regulations 2006 \(S.I. 2006/2407\)](#), [reg. 1](#), [Sch. 8 para. 69\(e\)\(iii\)](#) (with [regs. 2\(4\), 3](#))
- F17** Words in Sch. 4 para. 9 omitted (1.10.2006) by virtue of [The Veterinary Medicines Regulations 2006 \(S.I. 2006/2407\)](#), [reg. 1](#), [Sch. 8 para. 69\(e\)\(iv\)](#) (with [regs. 2\(4\), 3](#))

- 10 In this Act any reference to [^{F18}the Department of Health, Social Services and Public Safety]^{F19}..., and any reference which is to be construed as including a reference to [^{F20}that Minister], shall include a reference to the Ministry of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland ^{F21}....

Textual Amendments

- F18** Words in [Sch. 4 para. 10](#) substituted (14.8.2012) by [The Human Medicines Regulations 2012 \(S.I. 2012/1916\)](#), [reg. 1\(2\)](#), [Sch. 34 para. 35\(d\)](#) (with [Sch. 32](#))
- F19** Words in Sch. 4 para. 10 omitted (1.10.2006) by virtue of [The Veterinary Medicines Regulations 2006 \(S.I. 2006/2407\)](#), [reg. 1](#), [Sch. 8 para. 69\(f\)\(i\)](#) (with [regs. 2\(4\), 3](#))
- F20** Words in Sch. 4 para. 10 substituted (1.10.2006) by [The Veterinary Medicines Regulations 2006 \(S.I. 2006/2407\)](#), [reg. 1](#), [Sch. 8 para. 69\(f\)\(ii\)](#) (with [regs. 2\(4\), 3](#))
- F21** Words in Sch. 4 para. 10 omitted (1.10.2006) by virtue of [The Veterinary Medicines Regulations 2006 \(S.I. 2006/2407\)](#), [reg. 1](#), [Sch. 8 para. 69\(f\)\(iii\)](#) (with [regs. 2\(4\), 3](#))

- 11 [^{F22}The Statutory Rules (Northern Ireland) Order 1979, except article 5(2)(a) of that Order] (which requires the responsible officer of each rule-making authority making any statutory rules to send copies of them, and certain information, to the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland for registration [^{F22}under that Order]), shall not apply to any orders or regulations made under this Act by statutory instrument.

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F22 Words substituted by [S.I. 1979/1573](#), [Sch. 4 para. 10](#)

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Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Act associated Parts and Chapters:

Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Act (including any effects on those provisions):

- s. 69(1A)(1B) added (prosp.) by [1997 c. 19 s. 1Sch. para. 5\(b\)](#)
- s. 84B inserted by [S.I. 2016/372 art. 12](#)