

1974 No. 1265

**HEALTH VISITING AND SOCIAL WORK**
**The Central Council for Education and Training  
in Social Work Order 1974**

<i>Made</i>	- - -	25th July 1974
<i>Laid before Parliament</i>		31st July 1974
<i>Coming into Operation</i>		1st October 1974

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 25th day of July 1974  
Present,

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

Her Majesty, in exercise of the powers conferred upon Her by section 3(3) of the Health Visiting and Social Work (Training) Act 1962<sup>(a)</sup>, as amended by section 11 of the Local Authority Social Services Act 1970<sup>(b)</sup>, and of all other powers enabling Her in that behalf, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

*Citation and Commencement*

1. This Order may be cited as the Central Council for Education and Training in Social Work Order 1974, and shall come into operation on 1st October 1974.

*Interpretation*

2.—(1) In this Order, unless the context otherwise requires:—

“The Act of 1962” means the Health Visiting and Social Work (Training) Act 1962;

“the Act of 1968” means the Social Work (Scotland) Act 1968<sup>(c)</sup>;

“the Council” means the Central Council for Education and Training in Social Work.

(2) The Interpretation Act 1889<sup>(d)</sup> shall apply to the interpretation of this Order as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

*Conferment on the Council of functions in relation to other social work*

3. The functions of the Council as set out in section 3(1) and (2) of the Act of 1962 (functions of the Central Council for Education and Training in Social Work) shall be extended to include such social work as is required in the services provided under the enactments set out in Schedule 1 to this Order or any corresponding enactments in force in Northern Ireland, or similar services provided by a voluntary organisation.

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(a) 1962 c. 33.  
(c) 1968 c. 49.

(b) 1970 c. 42.  
(d) 1889 c. 63.

*Modification of the constitution of the Council*

4. The First Schedule to the Act of 1962 (Constitution, etc., of Councils) shall be modified in accordance with the provisions set out in Schedule 2 to this Order.

*Revocation*

5. The Central Council for Education and Training in Social Work Order 1971(a) is hereby revoked.

N. E. Leigh

## Article 3

## SCHEDULE 1

1. *Services provided under enactments applying to England and Wales*

Enactment	Nature of functions
(a) Enactments specified in the Local Authority Social Services Act 1970 (c. 42). Schedule 1.	Services assigned to the social services committee in so far as such services are not included in section 3(5) of the Act of 1962.
(b) Sections 1, 2 and 9 of the Children and Young Persons Act 1969 (c. 54) in so far as they are not included in (a) above.	Function of a local authority in their capacity as a local education authority.
(c) Criminal Justice Act 1948 (11 and 12 Geo. 6. c. 58). Sections 45 and 46; 5th Schedule.	Probation and after care services.
(d) Education Acts 1944-1970 (7 and 8 Geo. 6. c. 31; 9 and 10 Geo. 6. c. 50; 11 and 12 Geo. 6. c. 40; 1 and 2 Eliz. 2. c. 33; 7 and 8 Eliz. 2. c. 60; 10 and 11 Eliz. 2. c. 12; 1964 c. 82; 1965 c. 3; 1967 c. 3; 1968 c. 17; 1968 c. 37; 1970 c. 14; 1970 c. 52).	Functions of a local authority in their capacity as a local education authority.
(e) National Health Service Reorganisation Act 1973 (c. 32) as read with the National Health Service (Preservation of Boards of Governors) Order 1974(b).	Services provided under section 2(2) of the said Act and administered by Regional and Area Health Authorities and Boards of Governors of Teaching Hospitals.

2. *Services provided under enactments applying to Scotland*

Services provided under the Act of 1968 (in so far as such services are not included in section 3(5) of the Act of 1962) or under the National Health Service (Scotland) Acts 1947 to 1973 (1947 c. 27; 1972 c. 58; 1973 c. 32).

(a) S.I. 1971/1241 (1971 II, p. 3606).

(b) S.I. 1974/281 (1974 I, p. 963).

## SCHEDULE 2

*Modification of the Constitution of the Council*

1. In paragraph 1 of the First Schedule to the Act of 1962 for the words "thirty-two" there shall be substituted the word "sixty".

2. For paragraph 4 of the First Schedule to the Act of 1962 there shall be substituted the following paragraph:—

"4. The other members of the Central Council for Education and Training in Social Work shall be appointed as follows:—

- (a) Eleven to be appointed by Ministers, after consultation with voluntary organisations and others concerned with social work training.
- (b) Four by the Association of Metropolitan Authorities.
- (c) Five by the Association of County Councils.
- (d) Two by the Scottish local authority associations.
- (e) One by the Central Council of Probation and After-Care Committees.
- (f) One by the Regional Health Authorities.
- (g) Two by the Committee of Vice-Chancellors and Principals of the Universities of the United Kingdom.
- (h) One by the Council for National Academic Awards.
- (i) One by the Committee of Directors of Polytechnics.
- (j) One by the Association of Principals of Technical Institutions jointly with the Association of Colleges for Further and Higher Education.
- (k) One by the Association of Teachers in Technical Institutions.
- (l) One by the Joint University Council for Social and Public Administration.
- (m) Three by the Association of Teachers in Social Work Education.
- (n) One by the Local Government Training Board.
- (o) One by the National Institute for Social Work.
- (p) Eight by the British Association of Social Workers.
- (q) Two by the Association of Directors of Social Services.
- (r) One by the Association of Directors of Social Work (in Scotland).
- (s) One by the Conference of Chief Probation Officers.
- (t) Two by the National Association of Probation Officers.
- (u) Two by the Residential Care Association.
- (v) One by the National Association of Chief Education Welfare Officers acting jointly with the Education Welfare Officers National Association.
- (w) One by the British Medical Association.
- (x) One by the Society of Community Medicine.
- (y) One by the Joint Committee of the Royal Colleges, the Royal Scottish Corporations and the Central Consultants and Specialists Committee (known as the Joint Consultants Committee).
- (z) (i) One by the General Nursing Council.
- (z) (ii) One by the Personal Social Services Council.
- (z) (iii) One by the Advisory Council for Probation and After-Care.
- (z) (iv) One by the Advisory Council on Social Work (in Scotland).

3. In place of paragraph 11 of the First Schedule to the Act of 1962 there shall be substituted the following paragraph:—

“11. The Ministers shall ensure that at least three members of the Central Council for Education and Training in Social Work are persons who at the time of their appointment are ordinarily resident in Wales; that six such members at the time of their appointment are ordinarily resident in Scotland and two members at the time of their appointment are ordinarily resident in Northern Ireland; the Health Ministers and the Secretary of State for Education and Science shall ensure that at least one member of the Council for the Education and Training of Health Visitors is a person who at the time of his appointment is ordinarily resident in Wales; and shall, if necessary, make their appointments accordingly.”.

4. Paragraphs 7, 8 and 9 of the First Schedule to the Act of 1962 shall be repealed.

5. In paragraph 10 of the First Schedule to the Act of 1962 for the words “each Council” there shall be substituted the words, “the Council for the Education and Training of Health Visitors”.

6. After paragraph 20 of the First Schedule to the Act of 1962 there shall be inserted the following paragraph:—

*“Interpretation*

21. In this Schedule “The Ministers” means the Secretaries of State respectively for Social Services, the Home Department, Education and Science, Scotland and Wales, and the Head of the Department of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland.”.

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#### EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This Note is not part of the Order.)*

This Order revokes and replaces the Central Council for Education and Training in Social Work Order 1971, which extended the functions of the Central Council for Education and Training in Social Work to include social work required in the services provided under the enactments set out in Schedule 1 or any corresponding enactments in force in Northern Ireland or similar services provided by a voluntary organisation.

The Order also, by Schedule 2, makes modifications to the constitution of the Central Council for Education and Training in Social Work.

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