

**1983 No. 1090****NATIONAL HEALTH SERVICE,  
ENGLAND AND WALES****The National Health Service (Constitution of District Health  
Authorities) Amendment (No. 2) Order 1983**

<i>Made</i> - - - - -	22nd July 1983
<i>Laid before Parliament</i>	25th July 1983
<i>Coming into Operation</i>	15th August 1983

The Secretary of State for Social Services, as respects England, and the Secretary of State for Wales, as respects Wales, in exercise of powers conferred upon them by section 8(1) and (1A) of the National Health Service Act 1977(a) and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf hereby make the following Order:—

*Citation and commencement*

**1.** This Order may be cited as the National Health Service (Constitution of District Health Authorities) Amendment (No. 2) Order 1983 and shall come into operation on 15th August 1983.

*Amendment of the National Health Service (Constitution of District Health Authorities) Order 1981*

**2.**—(1) The National Health Service (Constitution of District Health Authorities) Order 1981(b) shall be amended in accordance with the following provisions of this Article.

- (2) In Article 5 (membership of authorities), paragraph (5) shall be omitted.
- (3) In Schedule 2 (District Health Authorities in England)—
- (a) in Part 1 (authorities in Northern Region), in column (2) (name of District Health Authority), for the name “Newcastle Health Authority (Teaching)” there shall be substituted the name “Newcastle Health Authority”;

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(a) 1977 c. 49; section 8(1) was amended by the Health Service Act 1980 (c. 53), Schedule 1, Part I, paragraph 28; section 8(1A) was amended by the Health and Social Services and Social Security Adjudications Act 1983 (c. 41), Schedule 10, Part I.

(b) S.I. 1981/1838, to which there are no amendments relevant to this Order.

- (b) in Part 3 (authorities in Trent Region), in column (2)—
    - (i) for the name “Leicestershire Health Authority (Teaching)” there shall be substituted the words “Leicestershire Health Authority”;
    - (ii) for the name “Sheffield Health Authority (Teaching)” there shall be substituted the name “Sheffield Health Authority”;
  - (c) in Part 13 (authorities in Mersey Region), in column (2), for the name “Liverpool Health Authority (Teaching)” there shall be substituted the name “Liverpool Health Authority”;
  - (d) in Part 14 (authorities in North Western Region), in column (2), for the name “Salford Health Authority (Teaching)” there shall be substituted the name “Salford Health Authority”;
  - (e) in Parts 1, 3, 13 and 14, in the entries appropriate to the authorities named in sub-paragraphs (a) to (d) above, in column (7) (number of other members appointed by the Regional Health Authority), for the figure “9” there shall be substituted the figure “11”;
  - (f) column (10) (additional members of authorities the names of which include the word “Teaching”) shall be omitted.
- (4) In Schedule 3 (District Health Authorities in Wales)—
- (a) in column (2) (name of District Health Authority), for the name “South Glamorgan Health Authority (Teaching)” there shall be substituted the name “South Glamorgan Health Authority”;
  - (b) in the entry appropriate to that authority, in column (7) (number of other members appointed by the Secretary of State), for the figure “9” there shall be substituted the figure “11”;
  - (c) column (10) (additional members of authorities the names of which include the word “Teaching”) shall be omitted.

*Transitional provisions*

3. A change of name under this Order shall not—

- (a) affect any right or obligation of any Authority or person;
- (b) be taken as invalidating any instrument (whether made before or after the day on which this Order comes into operation) which refers to the relevant Authority by the previous name,

but the new name shall be substituted for the previous name in all documents relating to the relevant Authority and in all instruments which refer to the previous name.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Social Services

*K. Clarke,*  
Minister of State,  
Department of Health and Social Security.

22nd July 1983.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Wales

*John Stradling Thomas,*  
Minister of State for Wales.

22nd July 1983.

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EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order amends the National Health Service (Constitution of District Health Authorities) Order 1981. The changes made by the Order are in consequence of the repeal by Health and Social Services and Social Security Adjudications Act 1983 of provisions in the National Health Service Act 1977 concerning designation and membership of teaching authorities. Accordingly, any District Health Authority the name of which includes the designation "Teaching" is re-named so as to omit that designation. In consequence of the repeal, provision for the number of additional members to be appointed to Teaching authorities is amended in such a way as to provide that the overall number of members of the newly-named authorities remains the same.

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