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MENTAL HEALTH

**The Mental Health (Amendment) Act 1982
(Commencement No. 1) Order 1983**

Made - - - - - *23rd June 1983*

The Secretary of State for Social Services, in exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 69(3) of the Mental Health (Amendment) Act 1982(a), and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby makes the following order:—

Citation

1. This Order may be cited as the Mental Health (Amendment) Act 1982 (Commencement No. 1) Order 1983.

Appointed day

2. The day appointed for the coming into force of section 56(1) and (11) of the Mental Health (Amendment) Act 1982 shall be 1st September 1983.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Social Services.

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

23rd June 1983.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This Order brings into force on 1st September 1983 those provisions in the Mental Health (Amendment) Act 1982 which relate to the establishment of the Mental Health Act Commission as a special health authority, and the payment of pay and allowances to the Chairman and members of that authority, under the National Health Service Act 1977 (c. 49).

(a) 1982 c. 51.

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