### STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

# 1996 No. 177

# The National Health Service (General Dental Services) (Scotland) Regulations 1996

## PART II

general arrangements for provision of general dental services

### Withdrawal from dental list

- 13.—(1) Subject to paragraph (2) a dentist shall be entitled at any time to give notice in writing to the Health Board that he desires to withdraw his name from the dental list and his name shall be removed therefrom at the expiration of 3 months from the date of such notice or of such shorter period as the Health Board may agree.
- (2) Where, in relation to any dentist, representations are made to the Tribunal under section 29 of the Act (disqualification of persons providing services) that the continued inclusion of a dentist in the dental list would be prejudicial to the efficiency of the general dental services, the dentist shall not, except with the consent of the Secretary of State and subject to such conditions, if any, as the Secretary of State may impose, be removed from the dental list until the proceedings on such representations have been determined.
- (3) Paragraph (2) shall not apply in the case of a dentist who has reached an age at which on the following 1st April his name shall be removed from the dental list in accordance with regulation 12.