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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**1996 No. 998**

**NATIONAL HEALTH SERVICE,  
ENGLAND AND WALES**

**The South Buckinghamshire National Health Service  
Trust (Establishment) Amendment Order 1996**

*Made* - - - - 28th March 1996  
*Coming into force* - - 7th April 1996

The Secretary of State for Health, in exercise of powers conferred on him by section 126(3) of the National Health Service Act 1977<sup>(1)</sup> and section 5(1) of the National Health Service and Community Care Act 1990<sup>(2)</sup> and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby makes the following Order:

**Citation and commencement**

1. This Order may be cited as the South Buckinghamshire National Health Service Trust (Establishment) Amendment Order 1996, and shall come into force on 7th April 1996.

**Amendment of Establishment Order**

2. In Article 3 of the South Buckinghamshire National Health Service Trust (Establishment) Order 1992<sup>(3)</sup> (functions of the trust)—

- (a) in paragraph (1) for “section 5(1)(a)” there shall be substituted “section 5(1)(b)”; and
- (b) for paragraph (2) there shall be substituted the following new paragraph:—

“(2) The trust’s functions shall be—

- (a) to provide and manage hospital accommodation and services at any of the following hospitals:—
  - (i) Oakengrove, Shrubbery Road, High Wycombe, Buckinghamshire HP13 6PS;
  - (ii) Wycombe General Hospital, Queen Alexandra Road, High Wycombe, Buckinghamshire HP11 2TT;

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(1) 1977 c. 49; section 126(3) was amended by section 65(2) of the National Health Service and Community Care Act 1990 (c. 19).  
(2) 1990 c. 19.  
(3) S.I.1992/2575.

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- (iii) Amersham Hospital, Whieldon Street, Amersham, Buckinghamshire HP7 0JD;
  - (iv) Booker Hospital, Cressex Road, High Wycombe, Buckinghamshire HP12 3QG, and at any other premises which are for the time being associated with any of those hospitals; and
- (b) to manage community health services from any of the hospitals referred to in sub-paragraph (a) above  
and to provide the associated premises.”

28th March 1996

*John Horam*  
Parliamentary Under Secretary of State,  
Department of Health

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## EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This note is not part of the Order)*

This Order amends the Order which established the South Buckinghamshire National Health Service Trust to alter the purpose for which the trust has been established and to amend its functions. (The trust has, in exercise of its existing functions, assumed responsibility for the management of hospital and community health services provided from the Oakengrove Hospital, High Wycombe, and other premises, previously managed by the former Wycombe Health Authority, and for the ownership of the associated premises.)

This Order confers on the trust the purpose specified in section 5(1)(b) of the National Health Service and Community Care Act 1990— to provide and manage hospitals or other establishments or facilities— and amends the trust’s functions so that it is no longer required to own the premises at which it is to provide hospital and community health services.