STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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NATIONAL HEALTH SERVICE, ENGLAND AND WALES

The Dissolution of the North Kent Healthcare National Health Service Trust and the Thameslink Healthcare Services National Health Service Trust Order 1998

 Made
 17th March 1998

 Coming into force
 1st April 1998

The Secretary of State for Health, in exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 126(3) of the National Health Service and Community Care Act 1977(1) and by section 5(1) of, and paragraph 29(1) of Schedule 2 to, the National Health Service Act 1990(2) and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, considering it appropriate in the interests of the health service to make this Order(3), and after completion of the consultation prescribed under paragraph 29(3) of Schedule 2 to the latter Act(4), hereby makes the following Order:

Citation and commencement

1. This Order may be cited as the Dissolution of the North Kent Healthcare National Health Service Trust and the Thameslink Healthcare Services National Health Service Trust Order 1998 and shall come into force on 1st April 1998.

Dissolution of NHS trusts

2.—(1) The North Kent Healthcare National Health Service Trust established by the North Kent Healthcare National Health Service Trust (Establishment) Order 1993(5) is dissolved, and accordingly that Order is revoked.

^{(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) and by paragraph 57 of Schedule 1 to the Health Authorities Act 1995 (c. 17).

^{(2) 1990} c. 19; see also paragraph 1 of Schedule 2. Section 5(1) was amended by paragraph 69 of Schedule 1 to the Health Authorities Act 1995.

⁽³⁾ See paragraph 29(2) of Schedule 2 to the National Health Service and Community Care Act 1990.

⁽⁴⁾ SeeS.I.1996/653.

⁽⁵⁾ S.I. 1993/2639 as amended by S.I. 1994/797.

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(2) The Thameslink Healthcare Services National Health Service Trust established by the Thameslink Healthcare Services National Health Service Trust (Establishment) Order 1991(6) is dissolved, and accordingly that Order is revoked.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Health

Alan Milburn
Minister of State
Department of Health

17th March 1998

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EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order)

This Order dissolves the North Kent Healthcare and the Thameslink Healthcare Services National Health Service Trusts on 1st April 1998.

This Order should be read in conjunction with the Thames Gateway National Health Service Trust (Establishment) Order 1998(7).

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⁽⁷⁾ S.I. 1998/805.