

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations)

These Regulations make provision concerning the appointment, etc. of the members and chairman of the Council for the Regulation of Health Care Professionals established by section 25 of the National Health Service Reform and Health Care Professions Act 2002.

In particular, they make provision for the disqualification for appointment (regulation 2), conditions for appointment (regulations 3 and 4), the tenure of office of the members and the chairman (regulations 5 and 7), the election of the chairman (regulation 6 and the Schedule), the appointment of a deputy-chairman (regulation 8), suspension and removal from office (regulations 9 and 10), and the membership of committees and sub-committees (regulation 11).