## STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

## 2002 No. 2469

The National Health Service Reform and Health Care Professions Act 2002 (Supplementary, Consequential etc. Provisions) Regulations 2002

## **Change of name of Health Authorities**

- **3.**—(1) In the name of each Health Authority listed in column 1 of Schedule 1 to the Health Authorities (Establishment and Abolition) (England) Order 2002(1) for "Health Authority" in each place it occurs there is substituted "Strategic Health Authority".
  - (2) The changes of name effected by paragraph (1) shall not—
    - (a) affect any right or obligation of any person; or
    - (b) be taken as invalidating any instrument (whether made before or on or after the date on which these Regulations come into force) which refers to the Authorities by their previous names;

and all instruments and other documents which refer to the Authorities under their previous names shall be construed as if referring to them under their new names.