STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2007 No. 3101

The European Qualifications (Health and Social Care Professions) Regulations 2007

PART 21

OTHER HEALTH PROFESSIONS: HEALTH PROFESSIONS ORDER 2001

Insertion of article 13A

273. After article 13 insert—

"Visiting health professionals from relevant European States

- **13A.**—(1) This article applies to an exempt person ("V") who is lawfully established, in a relevant European State other than the United Kingdom ("State A"), as a member of one of the relevant professions ("the established profession").
- (2) Paragraph (3) applies if V has the benefit of regulation 8 of the General Systems Regulations in connection with the provision by V of relevant services in the United Kingdom on a temporary and occasional basis (V having complied with any requirements imposed under Part 2 of those Regulations in connection with the provision by V of relevant services).
- (3) V is entitled to be registered in the part of the register relating to the established profession; and the Registrar shall give effect to the entitlement.
- (4) If V is entitled under paragraph (3) to be registered, but is not registered in the part of the register relating to the established profession, V shall be treated as being registered in that part.
- (5) V's entitlement under paragraph (3) ceases if V ceases, whether as a result of the operation of regulation 17 of the General Systems Regulations or otherwise, to have the benefit of regulation 8 of those Regulations in connection with the provision by V of relevant services in the United Kingdom on a temporary and occasional basis.
 - (6) If—
 - (a) V's entitlement under paragraph (3) ceases by reason of the operation of paragraph (5), and
 - (b) V is registered,

the Registrar may remove V's name from the register.

- (7) Paragraph (8) applies if—
 - (a) V's establishment in State A is subject to a condition relating to V's practice of the established profession,
 - (b) V's name is registered in the part of the register relating to the established profession, and

- (c) for any of the purposes of this Order it falls to be decided whether V's fitness to practise is or may be impaired on the ground of misconduct.
- (8) The matters that may be counted as misconduct include (in particular) any act or omission by V during the course of the provision by V of relevant services in the United Kingdom on a temporary and occasional basis that is, or would be if the condition applied in relation to practice of the established profession outside State A, a breach of the condition.
 - (9) In paragraphs (7) and (8) "condition" includes limitation.
- (10) Paragraphs (1) to (6) are not to be taken to prejudice the application, in relation to registrants, of any other provision of this Order under which a registrant's name may be removed from the register or under which a registrant's registration may be suspended.
- (11) In this article "relevant services" means services provided in pursuit of the established profession.".

Changes to legislation:
There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The European Qualifications (Health and Social Care Professions) Regulations 2007, Section 273.