STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2007 No. 549

POWERS OF ATTORNEY, ENGLAND AND WALES MENTAL HEALTH, ENGLAND AND WALES

The Enduring Powers of Attorney (Welsh Language Prescribed Form) (Amendment) Regulations 2007

Made - - - - 23rd February 2007

Laid before Parliament 26th February 2007

Coming into force - - 30th March 2007

The Lord Chancellor makes the following Regulations in exercise of the powers conferred by section 2(2) of the Enduring Powers of Attorney Act 1985(1), as extended by section 26(3) of the Welsh Language Act 1993(2):

- **1.** These Regulations may be cited as the Enduring Powers of Attorney (Welsh Language Prescribed Form) (Amendment) Regulations 2007 and shall come into force on 30th March 2007.
- **2.** In regulation 3 of the Enduring Powers of Attorney (Welsh Language Prescribed Form) Regulations 2005(**3**), for "1st April 2007" substitute "1st October 2007".

Signed by authority of the Lord Chancellor

Cathy Ashton
Parliamentary Under Secretary of State
Department for Constitutional Affairs

Date 23 February 2007

^{(1) 1985} c.29.

^{(2) 1993} c.38.

⁽³⁾ S.I. 2005/3125.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations)

These Regulations amend the Enduring Powers of Attorney (Welsh Language Prescribed Form) Regulations 2005 (S.I. 2005/3125), which revoked the Enduring Powers of Attorney (Welsh Language Prescribed Form) Regulations 2000 (S.I. 2000/289) and provided a new Welsh language version of the prescribed form for an Enduring Power of Attorney. Regulation 3 of the 2005 Regulations permits the continued use, before 1st April 2007, of the form that was replaced by the 2005 Regulations.

These Regulations amend the date in regulation 3 of the 2005 Regulations so as to enable the form that was replaced by the 2005 Regulations to continue to be used until 1st October 2007.