

# Mental Health (Care and Treatment) (Scotland) Act 2003

### PART 7

COMPULSORY TREATMENT ORDERS

## **CHAPTER 4**

# REVIEW OF ORDERS

Further steps to be taken where order not revoked

# 83 Mandatory reviews: further steps to be taken where order not revoked

- (1) This section applies where a patient's responsible medical officer is carrying out—
  - (a) the first review of the compulsory treatment order to which the patient is subject; or
  - (b) a further review of that order.
- (2) If, having regard to any views expressed by persons consulted under section 77(3)(c) of this Act for the purpose of the review being carried out, the patient's responsible medical officer is satisfied—
  - (a) that the conditions mentioned in paragraphs (a) to (d) of section 64(5) of this Act continue to apply in respect of the patient; and
  - (b) that it continues to be necessary for the patient to be subject to a compulsory treatment order,

the responsible medical officer shall comply with the requirements in subsection (3) below.

- (3) Those requirements are—
  - (a) to consider whether it will continue to be necessary for the patient to be subject to a compulsory treatment order after the day on which the order to which

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the patient is subject will cease (unless extended) to authorise the measures specified in it;

- (b) to assess the needs of the patient for medical treatment;
- (c) to consider—
  - (i) whether the compulsory treatment order should be varied by modifying the measures, or any recorded matter, specified in it; and
  - (ii) if the order should be varied, what modification is appropriate;
- (d) to consider any views expressed on the matters mentioned in paragraphs (a) to (c) above by persons consulted under section 77(3)(c) of this Act.

### **Commencement Information**

S. 83 in force at 5.10.2005 by S.S.I. 2005/161, **art. 3** (as substituted (1.7.2005) by S.S.I. 2005/375, art. 2 and as amended (22.9.2005) by S.S.I. 2005/459, art. 2)

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Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Act associated Parts and Chapters: Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Act (including any effects on those provisions):

- s. 64(8A)(8B) inserted by 2015 asp 9 s. 1(2)
- s. 65(7) inserted by 2015 asp 9 s. 1(3)