
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1976 No. 1213

Pharmacy (Northern Ireland) Order 1976

PART IV

DISCIPLINARY PROCEEDINGS

The Statutory Committee

19.—(1) For the purposes of this Order, the Statutory Committee constituted under section 12 of the Act of 1945 shall continue in being and the provisions of this Article shall have effect with respect to the Statutory Committee and other matters relating to that Committee and their members.

[^{F1}(2) The Statutory Committee shall consist of—

- (a) a lay member who is the chair;
- (b) 2 lay members who are deputy chairs;
- (c) 3 other lay members; and
- (d) 6 members who are registered persons

all of whom shall be appointed by the Council.

(3) A member of the Statutory Committee shall hold office for a period of 4 years from the date of appointment, but shall be eligible for re-appointment at the expiration of that period.

(4) No member of the Statutory Committee may hold office for more than an aggregate of 8 years in any 20 year period.

(5) There shall be paid to the members of the Statutory Committee such remuneration and such travelling, subsistence or other expenses as the Council may determine.

(6) The expenses of the Statutory Committee (including any such fees payable to any of the members thereof as may be fixed by the Council) shall be defrayed by the Society.

(7) The quorum of the Statutory Committee shall be 3 which must include—

- (a) the chair or a deputy chair;
- (b) a lay member; and
- (c) a member who is a registered person.

(8) The Council may by regulations make provision as to—

- (a) the procedure of the Statutory Committee (including the validation of proceedings in the event of vacancies or defects in appointment);
- (b) the grounds on which persons are to be disqualified from appointment as members of the Statutory Committee; and
- (c) the circumstances in which members cease to hold office or may be removed or suspended from office.]

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F1 Art. 19(2)-(8) substituted (1.10.2012) for art. 19(2)-(11) by [The Pharmacy \(1976 Order\) \(Amendment\) Order \(Northern Ireland\) 2012 \(S.R. 2012/308\)](#), arts. 1(1), **7** (with Sch. 3)

Fitness to practice

[^{F2}**20.** The provisions of Schedule 3 shall have effect with respect to fitness to practise functions and proceedings of the Statutory Committee and the Scrutiny Committee.]

F2 Art. 20 substituted (1.10.2012) by [The Pharmacy \(1976 Order\) \(Amendment\) Order \(Northern Ireland\) 2012 \(S.R. 2012/308\)](#), arts. 1(1), **8** (with Sch. 3)

Conditions as to the giving of directions by Statutory Committee in case of conviction, etc., of employee

^{F3}**21.**

F3 Art. 21 repealed (1.10.2012) by [The Pharmacy \(1976 Order\) \(Amendment\) Order \(Northern Ireland\) 2012 \(S.R. 2012/308\)](#), arts. 1(1), **14** (with Sch. 3)

Provisions as to directions given by Statutory Committee and as to appeals

^{F4}**22.**

F4 Art. 22 repealed (1.10.2012) by [The Pharmacy \(1976 Order\) \(Amendment\) Order \(Northern Ireland\) 2012 \(S.R. 2012/308\)](#), arts. 1(1), **15** (with Sch. 3)

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Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Order associated Parts and Chapters:

Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Order (including any effects on those provisions):

- Sch. 3 para. 8(1A)(1B) inserted by [S.I. 2016/372 art. 15\(3\)](#)
- Sch. 3 para. 8(10A) inserted by [S.I. 2016/372 art. 15\(10\)](#)
- art. 5A inserted by [S.I. 2016/372 art. 13](#)