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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2003 No. 431**

The Health and Personal Social Services (Quality,  
Improvement and Regulation) (Northern Ireland) Order 2003

PART III

REGULATION OF ESTABLISHMENTS AND AGENCIES

*Registration procedure*

**Appeals to the Care Tribunal**

**22.**—(1) An appeal against—

- (a) a decision of the Regulation and Improvement Authority under this Part; or
- (b) an order made by a justice of the peace under Article 21,

shall lie to the Care Tribunal.

(2) No appeal against a decision or order may be brought by a person more than 28 days after service on him of notice of the decision or order.

(3) On an appeal against a decision of the Regulation and Improvement Authority the Tribunal may confirm the decision or direct that it shall not have effect.

(4) On an appeal against an order made by a justice of the peace the Tribunal may confirm the order or direct that it shall cease to have effect.

(5) The Tribunal shall also have power on an appeal against a decision or order—

- (a) to vary any condition for the time being in force in respect of the establishment or agency to which the appeal relates;
- (b) to direct that any such condition shall cease to have effect; or
- (c) to direct that any such condition as it thinks fit shall have effect in respect of the establishment or agency.