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**1982 No. 1565 (C.48)**

**NURSES, MIDWIVES AND HEALTH VISITORS**

**The Nurses, Midwives and Health Visitors  
Act 1979 (Commencement No. 3) Order 1982**

*Made - - - - 27th October 1982*

The Secretary of State, in exercise of the power conferred on him by section 24(2) of the Nurses, Midwives and Health Visitors Act 1979, hereby makes the following order:—

1. This order may be cited as the Nurses, Midwives and Health Visitors Act 1979 (Commencement No. 3) Order 1982.
2. The day appointed for the coming into operation of sections 3 and 7 (in so far as they are not already in force) and section 8 of the Nurses, Midwives and Health Visitors Act 1979 shall be 1st December 1982.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Social Services.

27th October 1982

*K. Clarke*  
Minister of State  
Department of Health and Social Security

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## EXPLANATORY NOTE

This Order brings into operation on 1st December 1982 sections 3 (constitution of Finance and Midwifery Committees of Central Council) and 7 (constitution of Finance and Midwifery Committees of National Boards) of the Nurses, Midwives and Health Visitors Act 1979 in so far as those sections are not already in force and section 8 (constitution of Health Visiting Joint Committee) of that Act.

## NOTE AS TO EARLIER COMMENCEMENT ORDERS

The provisions of the Nurses, Midwives and Health Visitors Act 1979 for constituting the National Boards and the Central Council together with their respective Finance Committees and other provisions of the Act dealing with general and financial matters were brought into operation by S.I. 1980/893 on 30th June 1980. S.I. 1982/963 which was made before the date of this Order brings into operation Schedule 2 to the 1979 Act in so far as it is not already in operation on 15th September 1983 and paragraph 6(2) of Schedule 1 on 1st November 1983.