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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2003 No. 1250**

**The General and Specialist Medical Practice  
(Education, Training and Qualifications) Order 2003**

**PART 7**

**MISCELLANEOUS**

**Review of the Board's exercise of its functions**

**28.**—(1) The Secretary of State shall ensure that a full review of the Board's exercise of its functions under this Order is carried out once in every five year period.

(2) A review under paragraph (1) shall be undertaken by a body appointed by the Secretary of State for that purpose.

(3) A body appointed under paragraph (2) shall produce a written report on its review of the Board's exercise of its functions.

(4) The first review shall take place within five years of the date of this article coming into force and thereafter a review shall take place once in every five year period following on from when the last review was carried out.

(5) The Secretary of State shall lay before each House of Parliament a copy of every report produced under paragraph (3).

(6) A copy of the report shall also be laid before—

(a) the Scottish Parliament by the Scottish Ministers;

(b) the Northern Ireland Assembly by the Department of Health, Social Services and Public Safety in Northern Ireland,

and the National Assembly for Wales shall publish the report.