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MENTAL HEALTH

The Mental Health (Hospital and Guardianship) Amendment Regulations 1962

Made - - - -	*25th July* 1962
Laid before Parliament	*1st August* 1962
Coming into Operation	*2nd August* 1962

The Minister of Health, in exercise of the powers conferred on him by sections 56, 94 and 96 of the Mental Health Act 1959(a), and section 113 and Schedule 4 to the Mental Health (Scotland) Act 1960(b), and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby makes the following regulations:—

Citation and commencement

1. These regulations may be cited as the Mental Health (Hospital and Guardianship) Amendment Regulations 1962, and shall come into operation on 2nd August 1962.

Interpretation

2. The Interpretation Act 1889(c) applies to the interpretation of these regulations as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

Amendment of regulations

3. Regulation 19 of the Mental Health (Hospital and Guardianship) Regulations 1960(d) (which provides for the classification within the terms of section 4 of the Mental Health Act 1959 of patients removed to England and Wales) shall be amended as follows:—

In paragraph (1) for the words "or in pursuance of subsection (2) of section 64 of the Criminal Justice (Scotland) Act, 1949" there shall be substituted the words "or under Part VI of the Mental Health (Scotland) Act 1960".

Given under the official seal of the Minister of Health on 25th July 1962.

(L.S.)

J. Enoch Powell,
Minister of Health.

(a) 7 & 8 Eliz. 2. c. 72.
(b) 8 & 9 Eliz. 2. c. 61.
(c) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63.
(d) S.I. 1960/1241 (1960 II, p. 1903).

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Regulations, but is intended to indicate their general purport.)

These regulations amend the Mental Health (Hospital and Guardianship) Regulations 1960 so as to require the classification of mentally disordered patients who, after the coming into force of the Mental Health (Scotland) Act 1960, are removed to England and Wales from Scotland under Part VI of that Act.