EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

The regulations specify the articles and services for which, where provided by a local health authority as part of their arrangements for the care of mothers and young children or for the prevention, care, and after-care of illness, the authority may if they so determine make a charge to the recipient.

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13. MEDICAL EDUCATION COMMITTEES

The National Health Service (Medical Education Committees) (Scotland) Order, 1948

1948 No. 1388 (S. 109)

Made - - - - 22nd June, 1948

Whereas by Section 11 of the National Health Service (Scotland) Act, 1947(**a**), it is provided that the Secretary of State shall by Order constitute, in accordance with Part II of the Fourth Schedule to that Act, for the area of each Regional Hospital Board, a Medical Education Committee for the purpose of advising that Board on the administration of the Hospital and specialist services in the area so far as relating to the provision of facilities for under-graduate or post-graduate clinical teaching or for research:

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred on me by Section 11 of the said Act, I hereby make the following Order:—

1. This Order may be cited as the National Health Service (Medical Education Committees) (Scotland) Order, 1948.

2. The Interpretation Act 1889(**b**), applies to the interpretation of this Order as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

3. A Medical Education Committee is hereby constituted for each of the areas referred to in the Schedule to the National Health Service (Scotland) (Determination of Areas of Regional Hospital Boards) Order, 1947(**c**), and in the Schedule to this Order, for the purpose of advising the Regional Hospital Board concerned on the administration of the hospital and specialist services in that area so far as relating to the provision of facilities for under-graduate or post-graduate clinical teaching or for research.

4. The members of the Medical Education Committee for each of the areas whose numbers and titles are shown in Columns 1 and 2 respectively of the Schedule to these Regulations shall be appointed as follows:—

(*a*) by the University with which the provision of hospital and specialist services in that area is associated the number of members set out in Column 3 of the said Schedule opposite to the number and title of that area as set out in Columns 1 and 2. Provided that, in the case of the Medical Education Committee for the Northern Hospital Region, Scotland, each University in Scotland shall appoint one member.

(**a**) 10 & 11 Geo. 6. c. 27. (**b**) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63.
(**c**) S.R. & O. 1947 (No. 1311) I, p. 1359.

(*b*) by the Regional Hospital Board the number of members set out in Column 4 of the said Schedule opposite to the number and title of the area of that Regional Hospital Board as set out in Columns 1 and 2.

(*c*) by the Secretary of State the number of members set out in Column 5 of the said Schedule opposite to the number and title of the area concerned as set out in Columns 1 and 2.

5. In the original appointments to the Medical Education Committee for each area, the Secretary of State shall secure that one third of the members, or as near as may be, shall retire on the 31st day of March, 1950, one third, or as near as may be, shall retire on the 31st day of March, 1951, and the remainder shall retire on the 31st day of March, 1952.

Arthur Woodburn,
One of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

St. Andrew's House,
Edinburgh, 1.
22nd June, 1948.

SCHEDULE

Col. 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4	Column 5
Number of Area	Title of Area	Number of members appointed by the University	Number of members appointed by the Regional Hospital Board	Number of members appointed by the Secretary of State
1	Northern Hospital Region, Scotland.	4	4	2
2	North-Eastern Hospital Region, Scotland.	5	5	2
3	Eastern Hospital Region, Scotland.	5	5	2
4	South-Eastern Hospital Region, Scotland.	5	5	3
5	Western Hospital Region, Scotland.	5	5	3

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

The Order constitutes the Medical Education Committees which are to be set up for the areas of the Regional Hospital Boards in Scotland to advise those Boards on the administration of the Hospital and specialist services so far as relating to the provision of facilities for under-graduate or post-graduate clinical teaching or for research.