# CHAPTER 6.

An Act to exclude county and district nursing associations and other similar organizations from the operation of Part II of the Nurses Act, 1943, and Part II of the Nurses (Scotland) Act, 1943.

[15th February 1945.]

BE it enacted by the King's most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—

Amendment of definition of "agency for the supply of nurses". 6 & 7 Geo. 6. c. 17.

**1.** In Part II of the Nurses Act, 1943 (which imposes certain requirements on persons carrying on agencies for the supply of nurses), the expression "agency for the supply of nurses" shall not include the business carried on by any county or district nursing association or other similar organization, being an association or organization established and existing wholly or mainly for the purpose of providing patients with the services of a nurse to visit them in their homes without herself taking up her residence there.

The expression "agency for the supply of nurses" not to include certain associations and organizations in Scotland. 6 & 7 Geo. 6. c. 33.

**2.** In Part II of the Nurses (Scotland) Act, 1943 (which imposes certain requirements on persons carrying on agencies in Scotland for the supply of nurses), the expression "agency for the supply of nurses" shall not include the business carried on by any county or district nursing association or other similar organization, being an association or organization—

(*a*) established and existing wholly or mainly for the purpose of providing patients with the services of a nurse to visit them in their homes without herself taking up residence there; or

(*b*) mainly or substantially supported by voluntary subscriptions and providing patients with the services of a nurse whether or not the nurse takes up residence in the patient's house.

Short title and citation.

**3.** This Act may be cited as the Nurses Act, 1945, and the Nurses Acts, 1919 and 1943, and section one of this Act may be cited together as the Nurses Acts, 1919 to 1945, and the Nurses (Scotland) Acts, 1919 and 1943, and section two of this Act may be cited together as the Nurses (Scotland) Acts, 1919 to 1945.