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The Healthcare Improvement Scotland (Requirements for Reports) Regulations 2011

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Coming into force - - 1st April 2011

The Scottish Ministers make the following Regulations in exercise of the powers conferred by section 10N(4) of the National Health Service (Scotland) Act 1978(a) and all other powers enabling them to do so.

Citation and commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Healthcare Improvement Scotland (Requirements for Reports) Regulations 2011 and come into force on 1st April 2011.

Reports to the Scottish Ministers

2. On completion of an inspection under section 10M(**b**) (inspections at the request of the Scottish Ministers) of the National Health Service (Scotland) Act 1978, Healthcare Improvement Scotland(**c**) must send a copy of the report on the matters inspected to the Scottish Ministers as soon as reasonably practicable.

SHONA ROBISON
Authorised to sign by the Scottish Ministers

St Andrew's House, Edinburgh 20th January 2011

⁽a) 1978 c.29; section 10N was inserted into the National Health Service (Scotland) Act 1978 (the "1978 Act") by section 108 of the Public Services Reform (Scotland) Act 2010 (asp 8) (the "2010 Act").

⁽b) Section 10M was inserted into the 1978 Act by section 108 of the 2010 Act.

⁽c) Healthcare Improvement Scotland is established under section 10A of the 1978 Act, as inserted by section 108 of the 2010 Act.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations)

These Regulations make provision relating to reports prepared by Healthcare Improvement Scotland (HIS) under section 10N of the National Health Service (Scotland) Act 1978 ("the Act").

Regulation 2 provides that HIS must send a copy of any report prepared after an inspection under section 10M of the Act to the Scottish Ministers as soon as reasonably practicable.

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