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The National Health Service (Performers Lists) (Wales) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2022

#### EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations)

These Regulations amend the National Health Service (Performers Lists) (Wales) Regulations 2004 ("the principal Regulations"). Regulation 2 amends regulation 31 of the principal Regulations in the consequence of the repeal of section 15(1)(b) of the Dentists Act 1984. These Regulations ensure dentists holding an appropriate European diploma remain exempt from the requirement to undertake foundation training before being eligible for inclusion on a Dental Performers List.

The Welsh Ministers' Code of Practice on the carrying out of Regulatory Impact Assessments was considered in relation to these Regulations. As a result, it was not considered necessary to carry out a regulatory impact assessment as to the likely costs and benefits of complying with these Regulations.

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Made 4 February 2022

Laid before Senedd Cymru 8 February 2022

Coming into force 7 March 2022

The Welsh Ministers make these Regulations in exercise of the powers conferred on them by sections 63(3) and 203(9) and (10) of the National Health Service (Wales) Act 2006(1).

### Title and commencement

**1.** The title of these Regulations is the National Health Service (Performers Lists) (Wales) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2022 and they come into force on 7 March 2022.

## Amendment to regulation 31(5)(a) of the National Health Service (Performers Lists) (Wales) Regulations 2004

**2.** In the National Health Service (Performers Lists) (Wales) Regulations 2004(2), in regulation 31(5)(a)

<sup>(1) 2006</sup> c. 42; see section 206(1) for definitions of "prescribed" and "regulations".

<sup>(2)</sup> S.I. 2004/1020 (W. 117). Regulation 31 was inserted by S.I. 2006/945 (W. 94) and has been amended by S.I. 2011/1043 and S.I. 2016/101 (W. 49).

(additional grounds for refusal), for the words from "section 15(1)(b) of the Dentists Act (registration of nationals of member States who hold appropriate European diplomas)" to the end substitute "section 15(1)(c)(1) of the Dentists Act (any person who holds a recognised overseas diploma) within the meaning given in section 15(2) and (2ZA) of that Act".

Eluned Morgan Minister for Health and Social Services, one of the Welsh Ministers 4 February 2022

<sup>(1) 1984</sup> c. 24. Section 15(1)(b) was repealed by S.I. 2019/593 with saving provisions made in Part 2 of Schedule 3. *See* regulation 28 of S.I. 2004/1020 (W. 117) for the definition of "Dentists Act".