EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These regulations provide for discharging from endowments transferred to Boards of Management under section 7 (2) of the National Health Service (Scotland) Act, 1947, liabilities transferred under the Act to the Secretary of State and to Boards of Management. Liabilities transferred from the governing body or trustees of a voluntary hospital may be discharged only from endowments transferred from the governing body or trustees of a voluntary hospital and liabilities transferred from a local authority only from endowments transferred from a local authority. The schedule specifies the maximum amount which each Board of Management may be called upon to pay to the Secretary of State to enable him to discharge liabilities transferred to him.

DRUG ACCOUNTS COMMITTEE

The National Health Service (Drug Accounts Committee) Amendment (Scotland) Order, 1950

1950 No. 577 (S. 40)

Made - - - -	*4th April*, 1950
Coming into Operation	*4th April*, 1950

In exercise of the powers conferred on me by subsection (4) of section 32 of the National Health Service (Scotland) Act, 1947(**a**), as amended by Part II of the Schedule to the National Health Service (Amendment) Act, 1949(**b**), and of all other powers enabling me in that behalf, I hereby make the following order:—

1. This Order which may be cited as the National Health Service (Drug Accounts Committee) Amendment (Scotland) Order, 1950, shall be read as one with the National Health Service (Drug Accounts Committee) (Scotland) Order, 1948(**c**), and shall come into operation on the date hereof.

2. After article 10 of the National Health Service (Drug Accounts Committee) (Scotland) Order, 1948, there shall be added the following article:—

"10A.—(1) The Committee shall be a body corporate.

(2) The Committee shall not acquire land except with the consent of the Secretary of State."

Dated this 4th day of April, 1950.

Hector McNeil,
One of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

St. Andrew's House,
Edinburgh, 1.

(**a**) 10 & 11 Geo. 6. c. 27. (**b**) 12, 13 & 14 Geo. 6. c. 93.
(**c**) S.I. 1948 (No. 1596) I, p. 2321.