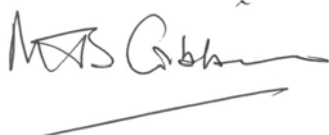
 Regulatory Policy Committee	OPINION	
Impact Assessment (IA)	Health Education England	
Lead Department/Agency	Department of Health	
Stage	Final	
Origin	Domestic	
Date submitted to RPC	04/04/2012	
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Overall Assessment	GREEN	
<p>The IA is fit for purpose. There appears to be limited direct regulatory impact from the proposed change of the legal status of Health Education England (HEE) from a Special Health Authority to an executive Non-Departmental Public Body (NDPB). The IA could benefit from providing more information to support the claim that stakeholders and the public generally will have increased confidence in HEE from it operating as an NDPB.</p>		
<p>Identification of costs and benefits, and the impacts on small firms, public and third sector organisations, individuals and community groups and reflection of these in the choice of options</p> <p><i>Impacts.</i> The IA considers the impact of the proposal to change the legal status of Health Education England (HEE) from a Special Health Authority to an executive NDPB. The potential effects of this change in legal status of HEE have been adequately discussed in the IA. The IA could benefit from providing more information to support the claim that stakeholders and the public generally will have increased confidence in HEE from it operating as an NDPB.</p>		
<p>Have the necessary burden reductions required by One-in, One-out been identified and are they robust?</p> <p>The IA says that the proposal is out of scope of One-in, One-out (OIOO) as there is no direct impact on business. This appears to be reasonable.</p>		
Signed 	Michael Gibbons, Chairman	