28a. In page 44, lines 9 and 10, to delete “an economic” and substitute “a commercial”.

—An tAire Sláinte agus Leanáí.

29a. In page 44, after line 47, to insert the following:

“(6) A—

(a) pharmacist does not commit professional misconduct by virtue of subsection (1)(b),

(b) pharmacy owner does not commit misconduct by virtue of subsection (2)(b),

(c) medical practitioner does not commit professional misconduct by virtue of subsection (3)(b),

if he or she, within 21 days of becoming aware that his or her partner has a beneficial interest of the kind respectively referred to in those provisions, notifies the Society (in the case of the pharmacist or the pharmacy owner) or the Medical Council (in the case of the medical practitioner) of the existence and nature of the interest.”.

—An tAire Sláinte agus Leanáí.

32a. In page 46, between lines 11 and 12, to insert the following:

65.—Nothing in sections 63 and 64—

(a) shall affect—

(i) the title to any property,

(ii) the validity or terms of any lease of or other contract relating to property, or

(iii) the validity or terms of any planning permission, licence, consent or other approval (however described) relating to property,

or

(b) shall diminish the freedom of any person referred to in those sections to enter into a lease or other contract relating to property other than one that gives rise to a beneficial interest of the kind referred to in section 63 or consists of or includes an arrangement of the kind described in section 64.”.

—An tAire Sláinte agus Leanáí.

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