

**Supplementary Statement to  
Reading Borough's Health and Wellbeing Board  
Pharmaceutical Needs Assessment (PNA)**

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Changes made on: 09/10/2018

**DECISION ON CHANGE OF OWNERSHIP FOR WOKINGHAM ROAD  
PHARMACY, 105 WOKINGHAM ROAD, READING, BERKSHIRE RG16 1LN to  
PSG PHARMA LIMITED**

Since the publication of the PNA, NHSE have considered an application to change ownership of 105 Wokingham Road, Reading, Berkshire RG6 1LN to PSG Pharma Limited. NHS England South East concluded:

1. The application was checked as complete by PCSE.
2. Fitness to practise was approved by PSRC in September 2018
3. PCSE has ensured application funds were cleared.
4. NHS England South East (Thames Valley) were satisfied that there was no pharmacy providing pharmaceutical services at the same or adjacent premises. The application therefore did not need to be refused in accordance with Regulation 31.
5. In accordance with the NHS CB procedure for dealing with change of ownership applications and with Regulation 26(1) of the NHS (Pharmaceutical and Local Pharmaceutical Services) Regulations 2013, NHS England South East (Thames Valley) was satisfied that:
  - The same services would be provided by the applicant as were provided by the current contractor
  - The applicant had confirmed that there would be no break in the provision of services
6. NHS England South East (Thames Valley) notified the appropriate list of interested parties of the decision including those with 3<sup>rd</sup> party rights of appeal.