

## **Staff Nurse - General**

**Grade Code: 2135**

In exercise of the powers conferred on me by Section 22 of the Health Act 2004, I hereby approve the qualifications, as set out hereunder, for the appointment and continuing as a **Registered General Nurse** in the Health Service Executive.

### **1. Professional Qualifications & Experience**

Candidates must be

registered in the General Division of the Register of Nurses kept by An Bord Altranais or be entitled to be so registered

**And**

Have the clinical and administrative capacity to properly discharge the functions of the role

### **2. Age Restrictions in Relation to Applications**

No age restriction shall apply to a candidate except where he/she is not classified as a new entrant (within the meaning of the Public Service Superannuation (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act, 2004). In this case the candidate must be under 65 years of age on the first day of the month in which the latest date for receiving completed application forms for the office occurs.

### **3. Health**

A candidate for and any person holding the office must be fully competent and capable of undertaking the duties attached to the office and be in a state of health such as would indicate a reasonable prospect of ability to render regular and efficient service.

### **4. Character**

Each candidate for and any person holding the office must be of good character.

### **5. Approved**

**Date:** 9<sup>th</sup> January 2008

**Signed:** Martin McDonald  
National Director of Human Resources