MODEL CONTRACT FOR EXTRA PROGRAMMED ACTIVITIES

1. [NHS…..] has agreed with you [insert name of consultant] that you will undertake [insert number] extra programmed activity (ies) (EPA) in respect of duties which are separate from and additional to your main contract of employment with [NHS…..].

2. The duties associated with this contract are set out in the attached schedule.

3. The date of commencement of this contract is [….]

4. This contract will have a duration of [one year] and may be renewed by agreement. However, either party may terminate the contract at any time by giving to the other at least three months notice in writing.

5. The terms and conditions of service for this contract are set out in the national terms and conditions of service (TCS) for the consultant grade for NHS Scotland.

6. The EPA[s] will have a timetabled value of four hours subject to the arrangements set out in section 4.8 of the TCS where activities are undertaken in the out-of-hours period.

7. The payment will be £xxx per annum (calculated on the basis of the pay rate as outlined at paragraph 4.4.2 and the arrangements set out in Section 4.8.)

Signed

NHS Board                              Date

Consultant                              Date