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SCHEDULE 3

FURTHER PROVISION ABOUT RECOGNITION OF AWARDING BODIES

Standard conditions of recognition

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- (1) Qualifications Wales must prepare and publish conditions (the “standard conditions”) to which (subject to sub-paragraphs (3) and (4)) each recognition of an awarding body is to be subject.
 - (2) The standard conditions may, among other things, make provision about compliance with directions given to a recognised body by Qualifications Wales under this paragraph.
 - (3) Different standard conditions may be set for different purposes, including among other things by reference to—
 - (a) different descriptions of awarding bodies;
 - (b) different qualifications or descriptions of qualification (including by reference to whether or not a qualification is an approved qualification or a qualification designated under section 29);
 - (c) different circumstances in which a qualification is awarded;
 - (d) different descriptions of person to whom a qualification is awarded.
 - (4) Qualifications Wales may determine that, in a particular case, recognition of an awarding body is not to be subject to a standard condition specified in the determination which would otherwise apply.
 - (5) A determination within sub-paragraph (4) may be made either at the time of granting the recognition concerned, or subsequently, and may be revoked by Qualifications Wales.
 - (6) The standard conditions may not include—
 - (a) fee capping conditions (for which see paragraphs 6 to 11);
 - (b) transfer conditions (for which see paragraphs 12 to 16).

Annotations:

Commencement Information

II Sch. 3 para. 2 in force at 21.9.2015 by S.I. 2015/1687, art. 2 (with arts. 3-12)

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- (1) Qualifications Wales may revise the standard conditions; and if it does so, each recognition (whether granted before or after the revisions come into effect) is to be subject to the conditions as revised.
 - (2) Sub-paragraph (1) is subject to paragraph 2(3) and (4).
 - (3) If Qualifications Wales revises the standard conditions, it must—
 - (a) publish the conditions as revised,
 - (b) notify each recognised body of the revisions, and of when they are to come into effect.
 - (4) Qualifications Wales may provide that a revision to the conditions is to come into effect on different dates in relation to different bodies, or in relation to different descriptions of body.

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- (5) A revision is not to be treated as coming into effect in relation to a body before the body has been notified of it.

Annotations:

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I2 [Sch. 3 para. 3](#) in force at 21.9.2015 by [S.I. 2015/1687](#), [art. 2](#) (with [arts. 3-12](#))

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