



Qualifications Wales Act 2015

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PART 4

PRIORITY QUALIFICATIONS AND APPROVAL OF QUALIFICATIONS

Priority qualifications

15 Power to make arrangements for development of restricted priority qualification

- (1) Qualifications Wales may enter into arrangements with an awarding body the effect of which is to provide for the body to develop a new form of a restricted priority qualification, with a view to the prospective approval of that form of the qualification under section 16.
- (2) The arrangements may make provision about, among other things—
 - (a) criteria to be met by the form of the qualification to be developed;
 - (b) payments to be made by Qualifications Wales in respect of its development.
- (3) Qualifications Wales must prepare a scheme making provision about the making of arrangements under this section.
- (4) Qualifications Wales must exercise its functions in accordance with the scheme.
- (5) The scheme must provide for a procedure that is open, fair and transparent.
- (6) Qualifications Wales may revise the scheme.
- (7) The scheme must be published by Qualifications Wales.