

SCHEDULE 1  
THE SCOTTISH FURTHER AND HIGHER EDUCATION FUNDING COUNCIL

*Membership of the Council*

- 3 (1) In appointing members, the Scottish Ministers are to have regard to the desirability of including—
- (a) persons who—
    - (i) have experience of, and have shown capacity in, the provision of fundable further education or fundable higher education; or
    - (ii) have held, and have shown the capacity in, any position carrying the responsibility for the provision of such education;
  - (b) persons who have experience of, and have shown capacity in industrial, commercial or financial matters or the practice of any profession; and
  - (c) persons who have such other skills, knowledge or experience as the Scottish Ministers consider to be relevant in relation to the exercise of the Council's functions.
- (2) In appointing members, the Scottish Ministers are also to have regard to the desirability of—
- (a) including persons who are currently engaged in the provision of, or carrying responsibility for the provision of, fundable further education or fundable higher education; and
  - (b) the membership of the Council (taken as a whole) having experience of, and having shown capacity in, a broad range of such education.
- (3) In appointing members, the Scottish Ministers are also to have regard to the desirability of including persons who—
- (a) have experience, and have shown capacity, relating to research or the application of research; and
  - (b) are currently engaged in research or the application of research.