

## Higher Education Governance (Scotland) Act 2016

## PART 1

GOVERNANCE ARRANGEMENTS

## **CHAPTER 1**

GOVERNING BODIES

Membership of governing body

## 12 Nominations to governing body

- (1) This section applies in relation to a nomination of members to the governing body of a higher education institution for the purpose of each of paragraphs (c) to (e) of section 10(1).
- (2) The nomination process is to be conducted in accordance with rules made by the governing body of the institution.
- (3) Rules under subsection (2) may include (in particular)—
  - (a) provision specifying who may exercise the rights of nomination (whether individually or jointly),
  - (b) different provision for different vacancies.
- (4) Before making or modifying rules under subsection (2), the governing body must consult the representatives of anyone—
  - (a) with a right of nomination under the proposed rules, and
  - (b) affected by the proposed rules or (as the case may be) modification.