



# Higher Education Governance (Scotland) Act 2016 2016 asp 15

## PART 1

### GOVERNANCE ARRANGEMENTS

## CHAPTER 2

### ACADEMIC BOARDS

#### **16 Elections to academic board**

- (1) This section applies in relation to an election of members to the academic board of a higher education institution for the purpose of each of paragraphs (c) and (d) of section 15(1).
- (2) The election 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 the number of appointments to be made,
  - (b) different provision for different vacancies.
- (4) Where the number of eligible candidates in a category is equal to or fewer than the number of vacancies in that category, those candidates are deemed to be elected.

#### **Commencement Information**

**II** S. 16 in force at 30.12.2016 by [S.S.I. 2016/382](#), [reg. 2\(1\)](#)

**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Higher Education Governance (Scotland) Act 2016, Section 16.