

## SCHEDULES

### SCHEDULE 1

#### THE GENERAL TEACHING COUNCIL FOR NORTHERN IRELAND

#### Constitution

- 1.—(1) The Council shall be constituted in accordance with regulations.
- (2) Without prejudice to the generality of sub-paragraph (1), regulations under that sub-paragraph—
  - (a) shall provide for the membership of the Council to include persons representative of—
    - (i) teachers;
    - (ii) employing authorities;
    - (iii) transferors and trustees of grant-aided schools;
    - (iv) institutions providing for the initial and further training of teachers;
    - (v) industry and commerce; and
    - (vi) such other interests as in the opinion of the Department will enable the Council to carry out its functions more effectively;
  - (b) shall provide for—
    - (i) the appointment or election and tenure of office of, and the vacation of office by, members of the Council;
    - (ii) the appointment or election of one of the members of the Council to be chairman of the Council and the period for which the chairman is to hold office;
  - (c) may enable or require the Council to establish committees for any purpose specified in the regulations and provide for the constitution of such committees.
- (3) Regulations under sub-paragraph (1) may authorise the Council to make provision with respect to any matter.

**Changes to legislation:**

Education (Northern Ireland) Order 1998, Constitution is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 12 April 2024. There are changes that may be brought into force at a future date. Changes that have been made appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.

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**Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Order associated Parts and Chapters:**

- Order words substituted by [2014 c. 12 \(N.I.\) Sch. 3 para. 1\(1\)\(b\)](#)

Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Order (including any effects on those provisions):

- art. 89A inserted by [2022 c. 45 s. 5](#)