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SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2018 No. 6**

**EDUCATION**

**The Education (Recognised Bodies) (Scotland) Order 2018**

*Made* - - - - *11th January 2018*  
*Laid before the Scottish*  
*Parliament* - - - - *15th January 2018*  
*Coming into force* - - *31st January 2018*

The Scottish Ministers make the following Order in exercise of the powers conferred by section 216(1) of the Education Reform Act 1988(1) and all other powers enabling them to do so.

**Citation, commencement and extent**

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Education (Recognised Bodies) (Scotland) Order 2018 and comes into force on 31st January 2018.

(2) This Order extends to Scotland only.

**Recognised bodies**

2. The bodies listed in the schedule comprise all those bodies which appear to the Scottish Ministers to be recognised bodies.

**Revocation**

3. The Education (Recognised Bodies) (Scotland) Order 2007(2) and the Education (Recognised Bodies) (Scotland) Amendment Order 2009(3) are revoked.

St Andrew's House,  
Edinburgh  
11th January 2018

*S SOMERVILLE*  
Authorised to sign by the Scottish Ministers

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(1) 1988 c.40. Relevant modifications to that Act are contained in S.I. 1999/1820. The functions of the Secretary of State were transferred to the Scottish Ministers by virtue of section 53 of the Scotland Act 1998 (c.46).  
(2) S.S.I. 2007/557.  
(3) S.S.I. 2009/61.

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## SCHEDULE

Article 2

Aberystwyth University (Prifysgol Aberystwyth)  
AECC University College  
Anglia Ruskin University  
The Archbishop of Canterbury  
Arden University  
Arts University Bournemouth  
The Ashridge Trust Business School  
Aston University  
Bangor University (Prifysgol Bangor)  
Bath Spa University  
Birmingham City University  
Bishop Grosseteste University  
Bournemouth University  
BPP University Limited  
The British School of Osteopathy  
Brunel University London  
Buckinghamshire New University  
Canterbury Christ Church University  
Cardiff Metropolitan University (Prifysgol Fetropolitan Caerdydd)  
Cardiff University (Prifysgol Caerdydd)  
Coventry University  
Cranfield University  
De Montfort University  
Edge Hill University  
Edinburgh Napier University  
Falmouth University  
Glasgow Caledonian University  
Glyndŵr University (Prifysgol Glyndŵr)  
Guildhall School of Music and Drama  
Harper Adams University  
Heriot-Watt University  
Imperial College of Science, Technology and Medicine  
Kingston University  
Leeds Arts University  
Leeds Beckett University  
Leeds Trinity University  
Liverpool Hope University  
Liverpool John Moores University

The London Institute of Banking and Finance  
London Metropolitan University  
London South Bank University  
Loughborough University  
Manchester Metropolitan University  
Middlesex University  
NCG  
Newman University, Birmingham  
Norwich University of the Arts  
Nottingham Trent University  
The Open University  
Oxford Brookes University  
Queen Margaret University, Edinburgh  
Queen's University Belfast  
Regent's University London  
The Robert Gordon University  
Roehampton University  
Royal Agricultural University  
The Royal College of Art  
Royal College of Music  
Royal College of Nursing  
Royal Conservatoire of Scotland  
Royal Northern College of Music  
Sheffield Hallam University  
Southampton Solent University  
St Mary's University, Twickenham  
Staffordshire University  
Swansea University (Prifysgol Abertawe)  
Teeside University  
Trinity Laban Conservatoire of Music and Dance  
Ulster University  
University of Aberdeen  
University of Abertay Dundee  
University of the Arts, London  
The University of Bath  
University of Bedfordshire  
The University of Birmingham  
The University of Bolton  
The University of Bradford  
University of Brighton

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University of Bristol  
The University of Buckingham  
University of Cambridge  
University of Central Lancashire  
University of Chester  
The University of Chichester  
University College Birmingham  
University College of Estate Management  
University College of Osteopathy  
University for the Creative Arts  
The University of Cumbria  
University of Derby  
University of Dundee  
University of Durham  
The University of East Anglia  
University of East London  
University of Edinburgh  
The University of Essex  
University of Exeter  
University of Glasgow  
University of Gloucestershire  
University of Greenwich  
University of Hertfordshire  
University of the Highlands and Islands  
The University of Huddersfield  
The University of Hull  
The University of Keele  
The University of Kent  
University of Lancaster  
The University of Law Limited  
The University of Leeds  
The University of Leicester  
University of Lincoln  
The University of Liverpool  
University of London  
The University of Manchester  
University of Newcastle  
The University of Northampton  
University of Northumbria at Newcastle  
The University of Nottingham

University of Oxford  
University of Plymouth  
University of Portsmouth  
University of Reading  
The University of Salford  
The University of Sheffield  
University of South Wales (Prifysgol de Cymru)  
University of Southampton  
University of St Andrews  
University of St Mark & St John  
University of Stirling  
University of Strathclyde  
University of Suffolk  
University of Sunderland  
The University of Surrey  
University of Sussex  
University of Wales (Prifysgol Cymru)  
University of Wales: Trinity Saint David (Prifysgol Cymru: Y Drindod Dewi Sant)  
The University of Warwick  
University of the West of England, Bristol  
The University of West London  
University of the West of Scotland  
The University of Westminster  
University of Winchester  
University of Wolverhampton  
University of Worcester  
University of York  
Writtle University College  
York St John University

**Schools, Colleges and Institutes of the University of London permitted by the University to award University of London degrees(4)**

Birkbeck, University of London  
City, University of London  
Goldsmiths, University of London  
King's College London  
London Business School  
London School of Economics and Political Science

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(4) The schools, colleges and institutes included in the list are constituent colleges of the University of London which also have their own degree awarding powers.

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London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine  
Queen Mary, University of London  
The Royal Academy of Music  
Royal Central School of Speech and Drama,  
Royal Holloway, University of London  
The Royal Veterinary College  
The School of Oriental and African Studies  
St George's, University of London  
University College London

**Institutions granted foundation degree awarding powers**

Blackpool and the Fylde College  
Grimsby Institute of Further and Higher Education  
Hull College Group  
New College Durham  
Warwickshire College

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**EXPLANATORY NOTE**

*(This note is not part of the Order)*

This Order lists by name all those bodies appearing to the Scottish Ministers to be recognised bodies for the purposes of section 214(2)(a) and (b) of the Education Reform Act 1988.

Recognised bodies are:

- (a) universities, colleges or other bodies which are authorised by Royal Charter or by or under Act of Parliament to grant degrees; or
- (b) other bodies for the time being permitted by any body falling within paragraph (a) to act on their behalf in the granting of degrees.

This Order updates and replaces the list of bodies contained in the Education (Recognised Bodies) (Scotland) Order 2007 as amended by the Education (Recognised Bodies) (Scotland) Amendment Order 2009, which are revoked.

There are omitted from the schedule of this Order a number of bodies that were listed in previous Orders but which have merged with other bodies. A number of new bodies, that were not listed in previous Orders, have been included in the schedule, as those bodies now appear to the Scottish Ministers to fall within either (a) or (b) above. The schedule also takes account of name changes since the Education (Recognised Bodies) (Scotland) Amendment Order 2009 was made.