

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.