



Education Reform Act 1988

1988 CHAPTER 40

PART IV

MISCELLANEOUS AND GENERAL

Unrecognised degrees

216 Identification of bodies granting or providing courses for recognised awards.

- (1) For the purposes of sections 214 and 215 of this Act, any body for the time being designated by order made by the Secretary of State as appearing to him to be a recognised body shall be conclusively presumed to be such a body.
- (2) The Secretary of State shall compile, maintain and publish by order a list including the name of every body which appears to him to fall for the time being within subsection (3) below.

[^{F1}(2A) For the purposes of this section, as it extends to Scotland, the references in subsections (1) and (2) above to the Secretary of State are to be read as references to the Scottish Ministers.]

- (3) A body falls within this subsection if it is not a recognised body and either—
 - (a) provides any course which is in preparation for a degree to be granted by a recognised body and is approved by or on behalf of the recognised body; or
 - (b) is a constituent college, school or hall or other institution of a university which is a recognised body.
- (4) In this section “recognised body” means a body falling within section 214(2)(a) or (b) of this Act.

Textual Amendments

- F1** S. 216(2A) inserted (1.7.1999) by [S.I. 1999/1820, art. 4, Sch. 2 Pt. I para. 91\(3\)](#); [S.I. 1998/3178, art. 3](#).

Status:

Point in time view as at 01/07/1999. This version of this provision has been superseded.

Changes to legislation:

Education Reform Act 1988, Section 216 is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 19 March 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.