



School Boards (Scotland) Act 1988

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SCHEDULE 1 — Electoral Procedure

- 1 Every education authority shall make arrangements for the holding of...
- 2 A scheme may make different provision for different schools or...
- 3 Every scheme shall include provision for the appointment by the...
- 4 In the case of an election of a parent member,...
- 5 Subject to this Schedule and to any scheme made under...
- 6 For the purposes of paragraph 5 above, the education authority...
- 7 Elections under this Act shall be held by secret ballot....
- 8 All practicable steps shall be taken to ensure that every...
- 9 Every education authority shall, for the purposes of any election...
- 10 An education authority may arrange for any of their functions...
- 11 For the purposes of this Schedule “election” includes a by-election....

SCHEDULE 2 — Appointment of Headteachers, Deputies and Assistants

- 1 Where an education authority intend to fill a post, other...
- 2 Except where paragraph 4 below applies, an appointment committee shall...
- 3 Any vacancy occurring in the membership of an appointment committee...
- 4 Where for any reason no School Board are for the...

Application of 1973 Act to appointment committees

- 5 The 1973 Act shall apply to appointment committees as it...

Short leet

- 6 Subject to paragraphs 7 and 8 below, a short leet...
- 7 Where there are fewer than 4 applicants who are eligible...
- 8 Where the education authority do not re-advertise the post or...

Appointment of headteacher, where School Board established

- 9 In the case of the appointment of a headteacher of...
- 10 For the purpose of enabling the Board to carry out...
- 11 After considering the short leet, the Board may, except where...
- 12 Where the short leet consists of fewer than 4 names,...

Appointments of deputy or assistant headteacher, or of headteacher where no School Board established

- 13 In every other case the authority shall prepare the short...

Procedure of committee

- 14 The appointment committee and (where appropriate) the School Board shall—...
- 15 The Director of Education or any officer of the education...
- 16 The appointment committee shall, unless they consider that no person...

- 17 Where an appointment committee recommend the appointment of any person...
- 18 Where an education authority refuse, under paragraph 17 above, to...
- 19 It shall not be competent for a deputy or assistant...

SCHEDULE 3 — Delegation Orders

Delegation on education authority's initiative

- 1 Where an education authority propose making a delegation order under...

Request by School Board for delegation

- 2 Where a School Board request their education authority in writing...

Refusal by authority

- 3 In the event of a refusal under paragraph 2 above...
- 4 Where a School Board call for a ballot under paragraph...
- 5 Schedule 1 to this Act shall apply (with the exception...
- 6 Where, following a refusal under paragraph 2 above to delegate...
- 7 Where an education authority refuse to delegate a function under...
- 8 Where a request for delegation of a function is referred...

Agreement by authority

- 9 Where an education authority agree under paragraph 2 or 6...
- 10 If agreement is reached under paragraph 9 above, the education...

Disagreement on terms of the order

- 11 Where, after the elapse of 2 months from the date...
- 12 Where a draft delegation order is referred to the Secretary...

Secretary of State's power to require information

- 13 In connection with any reference to him under paragraph 7...

Amendment

- 14 An education authority may, with the consent of the School...
- 15 Where an education authority has been unable to obtain the...

SCHEDULE 4 — Minor and Consequential Amendments

The Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973 (c. 65)

- 1 In section 125(1) of the 1973 Act, before "educational" in...
- 2 In section 125(2) of the 1973 Act, omit from "(a)"...
- 3 In section 125(3) of the 1973 Act, omit paragraph (a)...
- 4 In section 125 and 126 of and Schedule 10 to...
- 5 In section 125(4) of the 1973 Act, omit "school and"....

The Education (Scotland) Act 1980 (c. 44)

- 6 In section 70 of the Education (Scotland) Act 1980 (which...

7 In Schedule A1 to the Education (Scotland) Act 1980, in...