



Further and Higher Education Act 1992

1992 CHAPTER 13

PART III

MISCELLANEOUS AND GENERAL

82 Joint exercise of functions.

^{F1}(1)

^{F1}(1A)

^{F1}(1B)

(2) [^{F2}A relevant authority must, if directed to do so by the Secretary of State, make provision jointly with another relevant authority or with the Secretary of State] for the assessment by a person appointed by them of matters relating to the arrangements made by each institution in [^{F3}Wales and Scotland] which is within the higher education sector for maintaining academic standards in the institution.

[^{F4}(2A) The power of the Secretary of State to give directions under subsection (2) above shall, as regards the Scottish [^{F5}Further and] Higher Education Funding Council, be treated as exercisable in or as regards Scotland and may be exercised separately.]

(3) In this section—

[^{F6}(a) “relevant authority” means [^{F7}the HEFCW], ^{F8} ... ^{F9} ... [^{F10}the Welsh Ministers] to the extent that [^{F11}they are discharging their] functions under Part 2 of the Learning and Skills Act 2000 or the Scottish [^{F12}Further and] Higher Education Funding Council, and]

(b) references to institutions within the higher education sector include institutions within the higher education sector within the meaning of Part II of the ^{M1}Further and Higher Education (Scotland) Act 1992.

Extent Information

E1 S. 82 extends to Great Britain see s. 94(5).

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Textual Amendments

- F1** S. 82(1)-(1B) omitted (1.4.2018) by virtue of [Higher Education and Research Act 2017 \(c. 29\)](#), s. 124(5), [Sch. 11 para. 23\(2\)](#); S.I. 2018/241, reg. 2(s) (with transitional and savings provisions in S.I. 2018/245, regs. 2, 3, 10)
- F2** Words in s. 82(2) substituted (1.4.2012) by [Education Act 2011 \(c. 21\)](#), s. 82(3), [Sch. 12 para. 36\(3\)](#); S.I. 2012/924, art. 2
- F3** Words in s. 82(2) substituted (1.4.2018) by [Higher Education and Research Act 2017 \(c. 29\)](#), s. 124(5), [Sch. 11 para. 23\(3\)](#); S.I. 2018/241, reg. 2(s) (with transitional and savings provisions in S.I. 2018/245, regs. 2, 3, 10)
- F4** S. 82(A) inserted (1.7.1999) by [The Scotland Act 1998 \(Modification of Functions\) Order 1999 \(S.I. 1999/1756\)](#), art. 2, [Sch. para. 13](#); S.I. 1998/3178, art. 3
- F5** Words in s. 82(2A) inserted (1.4.2018) by [Higher Education and Research Act 2017 \(c. 29\)](#), s. 124(5), [Sch. 11 para. 23\(4\)](#); S.I. 2018/241, reg. 2(s) (with transitional and savings provisions in S.I. 2018/245, regs. 2, 3, 10)
- F6** S. 82(3)(a) substituted (1.4.2006) by [The National Council for Education and Training for Wales \(Transfer of Functions to the National Assembly for Wales and Abolition\) Order 2005 \(S.I. 2005/3238\)](#), art. 1(1), [Sch. 1 para. 25\(c\)](#) (with art. 7)
- F7** Words in s. 82(3)(a) substituted (1.4.2018) by [Higher Education and Research Act 2017 \(c. 29\)](#), s. 124(5), [Sch. 11 para. 23\(5\)\(a\)](#); S.I. 2018/241, reg. 2(s) (with transitional and savings provisions in S.I. 2018/245, regs. 2, 3, 10)
- F8** Words in s. 82(3)(a) omitted (1.4.2012) by virtue of [Education Act 2011 \(c. 21\)](#), s. 82(3), [Sch. 12 para. 36\(4\)](#); S.I. 2012/924, art. 2
- F9** Words in s. 82(3)(a) omitted (26.5.2015) by virtue of [Deregulation Act 2015 \(c. 20\)](#), s. 115(3)(g), [Sch. 14 para. 39](#)
- F10** Words in s. 82(3)(a) substituted (1.4.2018) by [Higher Education and Research Act 2017 \(c. 29\)](#), s. 124(5), [Sch. 11 para. 23\(5\)\(b\)](#); S.I. 2018/241, reg. 2(s) (with transitional and savings provisions in S.I. 2018/245, regs. 2, 3, 10)
- F11** Words in s. 82(3)(a) substituted (1.4.2018) by [Higher Education and Research Act 2017 \(c. 29\)](#), s. 124(5), [Sch. 11 para. 23\(5\)\(c\)](#); S.I. 2018/241, reg. 2(s) (with transitional and savings provisions in S.I. 2018/245, regs. 2, 3, 10)
- F12** Words in s. 82(3)(a) inserted (1.4.2018) by [Higher Education and Research Act 2017 \(c. 29\)](#), s. 124(5), [Sch. 11 para. 23\(5\)\(d\)](#); S.I. 2018/241, reg. 2(s) (with transitional and savings provisions in S.I. 2018/245, regs. 2, 3, 10)

Modifications etc. (not altering text)

- C1** S. 82 modified (1.7.1999) by S.I. 1999/672, art. 5, [Sch. 2](#).
- C2** S. 82 amended (30.6.1999) by S.I. 1999/1756, art. 2, [Sch. para. 13](#).

Commencement Information

- I1** S. 82 wholly in force at 6.5.1992 see s. 94(3) and S.I. 1992/831, art. 2, [Sch. 1](#)

Marginal Citations

- M1** 1992 c. 37.

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

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

- s. 16(6) inserted by [2007 c. 25 s. 14\(4\)](#)
- s. 17(2)(aa) inserted by [2007 c. 25 s. 14\(5\)\(b\)](#)
- s. 27(3A)(3B) inserted by [2007 c. 25 s. 15\(4\)](#)
- s. 27(9) inserted by [2007 c. 25 s. 15\(7\)](#)
- s. 51(1)-(2A) substituted for s. 51(1)(2) by [2007 c. 25 s. 16\(2\)](#)
- s. 76(8)(9) inserted by [2017 c. 29 s. 52\(4\)](#)
- s. 85D inserted by [2009 c. 22 s. 247](#)
- s. 85D(7) words inserted by [S.I. 2016/413 reg. 140](#) (This amendment comes into force on the day that section 85D of the Further and Higher Education Act 1992 (c. 13) comes into force. That provision is still prospective.)