



# Skills and Post-16 Education Act 2022

## 2022 CHAPTER 21

### PART 1

#### SKILLS AND EDUCATION FOR WORK

### CHAPTER 2

#### TECHNICAL EDUCATION QUALIFICATIONS, APPRENTICESHIPS, ETC

#### *Technical education qualifications*

### 11 Information sharing in relation to technical education qualifications

- (1) The Apprenticeships, Skills, Children and Learning Act 2009 is amended as follows.
- (2) After section 40AA insert—

#### **“40AB Sharing of technical education information by or with Ofqual**

- (1) Ofqual may disclose information to a relevant person for the purpose of a relevant function of—
  - (a) Ofqual, or
  - (b) the relevant person.
- (2) A relevant person may disclose information to Ofqual for the purpose of a relevant function of—
  - (a) Ofqual, or
  - (b) the relevant person.
- (3) In this section “relevant person” means—
  - (a) the Secretary of State;
  - (b) the OfS;

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- (c) Ofsted;
  - (d) a prescribed person.
- (4) In this section “relevant function” means—
- (a) in relation to the Secretary of State, Ofqual, the OfS or Ofsted, a technical education function of that body so far as the function relates to England;
  - (b) in relation to a prescribed person, a prescribed technical education function of that person, so far as the function relates to England.
- (5) In this section—
- “Ofqual”, the “OfS” and “Ofsted” have the same meanings as in section 40AA;
  - “technical education function” means a function that relates to technical education qualifications approved, or that may be approved, by the Institute for Apprenticeships and Technical Education under section A2D3 or [A2D5](#).”
- (3) In the heading of Part 1A, after “Apprenticeships” insert “, Technical Education Qualifications”.
- (4) In section 262 (orders and regulations), in subsection (6), after paragraph (aza) insert—  
“(azb) regulations under section [40AB](#);”.

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**Commencement Information**

- I1** S. 11 not in force at Royal Assent, see [s. 36\(3\)](#)
- I2** S. 11 in force at 30.9.2022 by [S.I. 2022/965](#), [reg. 3\(6\)](#) (with [regs. 4, 5](#))

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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. 19(2)(ga) inserted by [2023 c. 55 Sch. 4 para. 222](#)
- s. 20(7)(ca) inserted by [2023 c. 55 Sch. 4 para. 223](#)