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WELSH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**The Education (Student Finance) (Miscellaneous Amendments) (No. 3) (Wales) Regulations 2023**

**PART 6**

**Amendments to the Education (Student Support) (Wales) Regulations 2018**

**CHAPTER 2**

**Family members of Afghan citizens**

**34.** In regulation 23F(1)—

(a) in sub-paragraph (a), after “(see Schedule 2, paragraph 2ZA)” insert “or the spouse, civil partner, child or stepchild of such a person”;

(b) for sub-paragraph (b), substitute—

“(b) as at the end of the day before the first day of the academic year in respect of which P is applying for support, the period for which—

(i) P, or

(ii) the person who, as a result of being a person with leave to enter or remain as a relevant Afghan citizen, caused P to be an eligible student,

is allowed to stay in the United Kingdom has expired and no further leave to remain has been granted and no appeal is pending.”

**35.** In each of regulations 80(2)(b)(ic) and 81(3)(b)(ic), at the end insert “or the spouse, civil partner, child or stepchild of such a person”.

**36.** In Schedule 2, paragraph 2ZA, sub-paragraph (4)—

(a) in paragraph (ea)—

(i) omit sub-paragraph (ia);

(ii) after sub-paragraph (ii) insert “or”;

(iii) omit sub-paragraph (iv) and the “or” before it;

(b) in paragraph (g)(i)—

(i) omit “or” after paragraph (ab);

(ii) after paragraph (ac) insert—

“(ad) a person with leave to enter or remain as a relevant Afghan citizen, or”;

(c) in paragraph (g)(ii)—

(i) omit “or” after paragraph (aa);

(ii) after paragraph (ab) insert—

“or

- (ac) a person with leave to enter or remain as a relevant Afghan citizen.”;
- (d) in paragraph (h)—
  - (i) omit “or” after sub-paragraph (i);
  - (ii) at the end of sub-paragraph (ii), for the full stop substitute “, or”;
  - (iii) after sub-paragraph (ii) insert—
    - “(iii) a person with leave to enter or remain as a relevant Afghan citizen.”

**37.** In Schedule 4—

- (a) in paragraph 13F(1)—
  - (i) in paragraph (a), after “(see Schedule 2, paragraph 2ZA)” insert “or the spouse, civil partner, child or stepchild of such a person”;
  - (ii) for paragraph (b) substitute—
    - “(b) as at the end of the day before the first day of the academic year in respect of which P is applying for support, the period for which—
      - (i) P, or
      - (ii) the person who, as a result of being a person with leave to enter or remain as a relevant Afghan citizen, caused P to be an eligible student,  
is allowed to stay in the United Kingdom has expired and no further leave to remain has been granted and no appeal is pending.”;
- (b) in paragraph 14(3)(b)(ic), at the end insert “or the spouse, civil partner, child or stepchild of such a person”.