



Further and Higher Education (Scotland) Act 2005

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PART 1

FURTHER AND HIGHER EDUCATION ETC.

[^{F1}Regional colleges: functions

[^{F1}23C Regional colleges: improvement of economic and social well-being

- (1) A regional college is to exercise its functions with a view to improving the economic and social well-being of the locality of the regional college.
- (2) In doing so, the regional college is to have regard to—
 - (a) social and economic regeneration needs in the locality; and
 - (b) social cohesion and social inclusion issues in the locality.
- (3) For the purposes of subsection (2)(a), “ needs ” means needs which appear to the regional college—
 - (a) to exist for the time being or be likely to exist in the future; and
 - (b) to be capable of being addressed (wholly or partly) by the provision of fundable further education or fundable higher education.
- (4) For the purposes of subsection (2)(b), “ issues ” means issues which appear to the regional college—
 - (a) to exist for the time being or be likely to exist in the future; and
 - (b) to be capable of being addressed (wholly or partly) by the provision of fundable further education or fundable higher education.]

Textual Amendments

- F1** Ss. 23A-23D and cross-heading inserted (3.3.2014) by [Post-16 Education \(Scotland\) Act 2013 \(asp 12\)](#), **ss. 5(2), 23(2)**; [S.S.I. 2014/21](#), **art. 2, Sch. 1**

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Further and Higher Education (Scotland) Act 2005, Section 23C.