



Graduate Endowment Abolition (Scotland) Act 2008

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4 Reports on impact of Act

- (1) The Scottish Ministers must, within—
 - (a) the period of one year beginning on the day this Act received Royal Assent, and
 - (b) each of the four subsequent periods of one year,lay before the Scottish Parliament a report assessing the impact that section 1 of this Act has had in relation to widening access to higher education.
- (2) Without prejudice to the generality of subsection (1), a report under that subsection must include such information on—
 - (a) the proportion of Scottish domiciled entrants to higher education falling within subsection (3), and
 - (b) the proportion of such entrants who complete their course of higher education, as the Scottish Ministers consider necessary to enable a comparison to be made with the equivalent figures for entrants to higher education in each academic session since 2001-02.
- (3) An entrant to higher education falls within this subsection if the entrant is from one of the 20 per cent lowest ranked areas in the Scottish Index of Multiple Deprivation.