The Scottish Ministers make the following Order in exercise of the powers conferred by section 216(1) of the Education Reform Act 1988(1) and all other powers enabling them to do so.

Citation, commencement and extent

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Education (Recognised Bodies) (Scotland) Order 2018 and comes into force on 31st January 2018.
   (2) This Order extends to Scotland only.

Recognised bodies

2. The bodies listed in the schedule comprise all those bodies which appear to the Scottish Ministers to be recognised bodies.

Revocation

3. The Education (Recognised Bodies) (Scotland) Order 2007(2) and the Education (Recognised Bodies) (Scotland) Amendment Order 2009(3) are revoked.

St Andrew’s House, Edinburgh
11th January 2018

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Authorised to sign by the Scottish Ministers

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(1) 1988 c.40. Relevant modifications to that Act are contained in S.I. 1999/1820. The functions of the Secretary of State were transferred to the Scottish Ministers by virtue of section 53 of the Scotland Act 1998 (c.46).
(2) S.S.I. 2007/557.
(3) S.S.I. 2009/61.
SCHEDULE

Aberystwyth University (Prifysgol Aberystwyth)
AECC University College
Anglia Ruskin University
The Archbishop of Canterbury
Arden University
Arts University Bournemouth
The Ashridge Trust Business School
Aston University
Bangor University (Prifysgol Bangor)
Bath Spa University
Birmingham City University
Bishop Grosseteste University
Bournemouth University
BPP University Limited
The British School of Osteopathy
Brunel University London
Buckinghamshire New University
Canterbury Christ Church University
Cardiff Metropolitan University (Prifysgol Fetropolitan Caerdydd)
Cardiff University (Prifysgol Caerdydd)
Coventry University
Cranfield University
De Montfort University
Edge Hill University
Edinburgh Napier University
Falmouth University
Glasgow Caledonian University
Glyndŵr University (Prifysgol Glyndŵr)
Guildhall School of Music and Drama
Harper Adams University
Heriot-Watt University
Imperial College of Science, Technology and Medicine
Kingston University
Leeds Arts University
Leeds Beckett University
Leeds Trinity University
Liverpool Hope University
Liverpool John Moores University
The London Institute of Banking and Finance
London Metropolitan University
London South Bank University
Loughborough University
Manchester Metropolitan University
Middlesex University
NCG
Newman University, Birmingham
Norwich University of the Arts
Nottingham Trent University
The Open University
Oxford Brookes University
Queen Margaret University, Edinburgh
Queen’s University Belfast
Regent’s University London
The Robert Gordon University
Roehampton University
Royal Agricultural University
The Royal College of Art
Royal College of Music
Royal College of Nursing
Royal Conservatoire of Scotland
Royal Northern College of Music
Sheffield Hallam University
Southampton Solent University
St Mary’s University, Twickenham
Staffordshire University
Swansea University (Prifysgol Abertawe)
Teeside University
Trinity Laban Conservatoire of Music and Dance
Ulster University
University of Aberdeen
University of Abertay Dundee
University of the Arts, London
The University of Bath
University of Bedfordshire
The University of Birmingham
The University of Bolton
The University of Bradford
University of Brighton
University of Bristol
The University of Buckingham
University of Cambridge
University of Central Lancashire
University of Chester
The University of Chichester
University College Birmingham
University College of Estate Management
University College of Osteopathy
University for the Creative Arts
The University of Cumbria
University of Derby
University of Dundee
University of Durham
The University of East Anglia
University of East London
University of Edinburgh
The University of Essex
University of Exeter
University of Glasgow
University of Gloucestershire
University of Greenwich
University of Hertfordshire
University of the Highlands and Islands
The University of Huddersfield
The University of Hull
The University of Keele
The University of Kent
University of Lancaster
The University of Law Limited
The University of Leeds
The University of Leicester
University of Lincoln
The University of Liverpool
University of London
The University of Manchester
University of Newcastle
The University of Northampton
University of Northumbria at Newcastle
The University of Nottingham
University of Oxford
University of Plymouth
University of Portsmouth
University of Reading
The University of Salford
The University of Sheffield
University of South Wales (Prifysgol de Cymru)
University of Southampton
University of St Andrews
University of St Mark & St John
University of Stirling
University of Strathclyde
University of Suffolk
University of Sunderland
The University of Surrey
University of Sussex
University of Wales (Prifysgol Cymru)
University of Wales: Trinity Saint David (Prifysgol Cymru: Y Drindod Dewi Sant)
The University of Warwick
University of the West of England, Bristol
The University of West London
University of the West of Scotland
The University of Westminster
University of Winchester
University of Wolverhampton
University of Worcester
University of York
Writtle University College
York St John University

Schools, Colleges and Institutes of the University of London permitted by the University to award University of London degrees (4)

Birkbeck, University of London
City, University of London
Goldsmiths, University of London
King’s College London
London Business School
London School of Economics and Political Science

(4) The schools, colleges and institutes included in the list are constituent colleges of the University of London which also have their own degree awarding powers.
London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine
Queen Mary, University of London
The Royal Academy of Music
Royal Central School of Speech and Drama,
Royal Holloway, University of London
The Royal Veterinary College
The School of Oriental and African Studies
St George’s, University of London
University College London

Institutions granted foundation degree awarding powers

Blackpool and the Fylde College
Grimsby Institute of Further and Higher Education
Hull College Group
New College Durham
Warwickshire College

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order)

This Order lists by name all those bodies appearing to the Scottish Ministers to be recognised bodies for the purposes of section 214(2)(a) and (b) of the Education Reform Act 1988.

Recognised bodies are:

(a) universities, colleges or other bodies which are authorised by Royal Charter or by or under Act of Parliament to grant degrees; or

(b) other bodies for the time being permitted by any body falling within paragraph (a) to act on their behalf in the granting of degrees.

This Order updates and replaces the list of bodies contained in the Education (Recognised Bodies) (Scotland) Order 2007 as amended by the Education (Recognised Bodies) (Scotland) Amendment Order 2009, which are revoked.

There are omitted from the schedule of this Order a number of bodies that were listed in previous Orders but which have merged with other bodies. A number of new bodies, that were not listed in previous Orders, have been included in the schedule, as those bodies now appear to the Scottish Ministers to fall within either (a) or (b) above. The schedule also takes account of name changes since the Education (Recognised Bodies) (Scotland) Amendment Order 2009 was made.