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## SCHEDULES

### [<sup>F1</sup>SCHEDULE 7A

#### [<sup>F1</sup>HIGHER EDUCATION CORPORATIONS IN WALES ESTABLISHED ON OR AFTER THE APPOINTED DAY: INSTRUMENTS OF GOVERNMENT MADE BY PRIVY COUNCIL]

##### Textual Amendments

- F1** Sch. 7A inserted (6. 5. 1992) by [Further and Higher Education Act 1992 \(c. 13\)](#), s. 71(4), [Sch.6](#); S.I. 1992/831, art. 2, [Sch.1](#).
- F1** Sch. 7A heading substituted (1.8.2019) by [Higher Education and Research Act 2017 \(c. 29\)](#), s. 124(5), [Sch. 8 para. 22](#); S.I. 2018/1226, reg. 4(o)

#### *Membership*

- 3 (1) The corporation shall consist of—
- (a) not less than twelve and not more than twenty-four members appointed in accordance with the following provisions; and
  - (b) the person who is for the time being the principal of the institution, unless he chooses not to be a member.
- (2) Of the appointed members—
- (a) up to thirteen (referred to below in this Schedule as the “independent members”) shall be persons appearing to the appointing authority to have experience of, and to have shown capacity in, industrial, commercial or employment matters or the practice of any profession;
  - (b) up to two may be teachers at the institution nominated by the academic board and up to two may be students at the institution nominated by the students at the institution; and
  - (c) at least one and not more than nine (referred to below in this Schedule as the “co-opted members”) shall be persons nominated by the members of the corporation who are not co-opted members.
- (3) The co-opted member required by sub-paragraph (2)(c) above shall be a person who has experience in the provision of education.
- (4) A person (other than a person appointed in pursuance of sub-paragraph (2)(b) above) who is—
- (a) employed at the institution (whether or not as a teacher);
  - (b) a full-time student at the institution; or
  - (c) an elected member of any local authority,
- is not eligible for appointment as a member of the corporation otherwise than as a co-opted member.

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- (5) For the purposes of this paragraph, a person who is not for the time being enrolled as a student at the institution shall be treated as such a student during any period when he has been granted leave of absence from the institution for the purposes of study or travel or for carrying out the duties of any office held by him in the student union at the institution.
- (6) It shall be for the appointing authority to determine any question as to whether any person is qualified in accordance with the preceding provisions of this paragraph for appointment as a member of the corporation of any description or category.
- [ In this paragraph “local authority” includes a non-metropolitan district council for <sup>F2</sup>(7) an area for which there is a county council.]]

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#### **Textual Amendments**

- F2** Sch. 7A para. 3(7) inserted (5.5.2010) by [The Local Education Authorities and Children’s Services Authorities \(Integration of Functions\) Order 2010 \(S.I. 2010/1158\)](#), art. 1, **Sch. 2 para. 4(8)**

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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. 120(4A) inserted by [2022 asc 1 Sch. 4 para. 5\(2\)](#)
- s. 124A(9A)(9B) inserted by [2022 asc 1 s. 137\(3\)](#)
- s. 125(8)(9) inserted by [2022 asc 1 s. 138\(2\)](#)
- s. 128(1)(b)(iib) omitted by [2011 c. 21 Sch. 16 para. 8](#)
- s. 128(1)(b)(iia) omitted by [2015 c. 20 Sch. 14 para. 35](#)
- s. 128(1A)-(1C) inserted by [2022 asc 1 s. 139\(3\)](#)
- s. 128(7)-(10) inserted by [2022 asc 1 s. 139\(6\)](#)
- s. 232(4ZA)-(4ZC) inserted by [2022 asc 1 s. 138\(3\)\(b\)](#)