

*These notes refer to the Education Act 2002 (c.32)
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EDUCATION ACT 2002

EXPLANATORY NOTES

COMMENTARY ON SECTIONS AND SCHEDULES

Part 8 – Teachers

School Teachers' qualifications

Section 132: Qualified teacher status

273. This section and section 133 re-enact and amend section 218 (1)(a) and (2) of the Education Reform Act 1988 (ERA) by defining the term 'qualified teacher'. It provides that the Secretary of State continues to have the power to determine who is a qualified teacher.