
S T A T U T O R Y I N S T R U M E N T S

1999 No. 3393**EDUCATION, ENGLAND****The Bolton Education Action Zone Order 1999**

<i>Made</i> - - - - -	<i>15th December 1999</i>
<i>Laid before Parliament</i>	<i>20th December 1999</i>
<i>Coming into force</i> - -	<i>10th January 2000</i>

Whereas an application for the purpose of establishing an education action zone has been made to the Secretary of State with the consent of the governing bodies of every school listed in Schedule 2 to this Order.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred on the Secretary of State by sections 10(1), 11 and 138(7) of, and paragraph 2 of Schedule 1 to, the School Standards and Framework Act 1998^(a) the Secretary of State for Education and Employment hereby makes the following Order:

Citation and commencement

1. This Order may be cited as the Bolton Education Action Zone Order 1999 and shall come into force on 10th January 2000.

Interpretation

2. In this Order—
“partners” means those persons listed in Schedule 1 to this Order; and
“zone school” means a school listed in Schedule 2 to this Order.

Constitution of education action zone

3. The schools listed in Schedule 2 to this Order shall constitute collectively an education action zone under the name of the Bolton Education Action Zone (“the zone”) for the purposes of Chapter III of Part I of the School Standards and Framework Act 1998.

Education Action Forum

4. There shall be an Education Action Forum for the zone to be known as the Bolton Education Action Forum (“the Forum”), the membership of which shall include—
- (a) one person appointed by the governing body of each zone school, unless any such governing body chooses not to make such an appointment;
 - (b) either one or two persons appointed by the Secretary of State;
 - (c) one person appointed by each partner, unless any partner chooses not to make such an appointment;
 - (d) two persons appointed by the Education and Arts Committee of Bolton Metropolitan Borough Council; and

(a) 1998 c. 31.

- (e) two persons who live in the area served by the zone schools, as appointed by the other members of the Forum.

5. The Forum may at any time appoint up to a maximum of five additional members in total from—

- (a) up to two persons representing the interests of business in the area served by the zone schools;
- (b) up to two parents of registered pupils attending zone schools; and
- (c) up to two persons representing the interests of the education sector generally in the area served by the zone schools.

Disqualification for membership of the Forum

6. Articles 7 to 9 shall have effect for the purpose of prescribing the circumstances and cases in which a person is to be disqualified for holding, or continuing to hold, office as a member of the Forum.

Disqualification for membership of the Forum—bankruptcy etc

7.—(1) Subject to the provisions of this article, a person shall be disqualified for holding, or for continuing to hold, office as a member of the Forum if he has been adjudged bankrupt or has made a composition or arrangement with his creditors; and a member, on becoming so disqualified, shall give written notice of the fact to the secretary to the Forum.

(2) Where a person is disqualified by reason of his having been adjudged bankrupt, that disqualification shall cease—

- (a) unless the bankruptcy order made against that person is previously annulled, on his discharge from bankruptcy; and
- (b) if the bankruptcy order is so annulled, on the date of the annulment.

(3) Where a person is disqualified by reason of his having made a composition or arrangement with his creditors and he pays his debts in full, the disqualification shall cease on the date on which the payment is completed and in any other case it shall cease on the expiration of three years from the date on which the terms of the deed of composition or arrangement are fulfilled.

Disqualification for membership of the Forum—criminal convictions

8.—(1) Subject to paragraph (2) a person shall be disqualified for holding, or for continuing to hold, office as a member of the Forum if—

- (a) within five years before his appointment would otherwise have taken effect or since his appointment, he has been convicted, whether in the United Kingdom or elsewhere, of any offence and has had passed on him a sentence of imprisonment (whether suspended or not) for a period of not less than three months without the option of a fine;
- (b) within twenty years before his appointment would otherwise have taken effect, he has been convicted as aforesaid and has had passed on him a sentence of imprisonment for a period of more than two and a half years; or
- (c) he has at any time been convicted as aforesaid and has had passed on him a sentence of imprisonment of not less than five years.

(2) For the purposes of this article there shall be disregarded any conviction by or before a court outside the United Kingdom of an offence in respect of conduct which, if it had taken place in any part of the United Kingdom, would not have constituted an offence under the law in force in that part of the United Kingdom.

Disqualification—absence from meetings

9. Any member of the Forum who, without the consent of the Forum, has failed to attend the meetings thereof for a continuous period of six months beginning with the date of a meeting shall, on the expiry of that period, be disqualified for continuing to be a member of the Forum without prejudice however, to his re-appointment.

Chairman's tenure of office

10. The chairman of the Forum elected in accordance with paragraph 2 of Schedule 1 to the School Standards and Framework Act 1998, shall hold office for one year from the date of his election (unless he resigns his office earlier), without prejudice to his eligibility to be re-elected for a further such period.

15th December 1999

Estelle Morris
Minister of State,
Department of Education and Employment

SCHEDULE 1**Article 2****MEANING OF "PARTNERS"**

The following persons are "partners" for the purposes of appointing members of the Forum:

Dr and Mrs Chadwick's Registered Charity (Charity No. 254012).

World Challenge Expeditions Ltd (Company No. 2173751).

Bolton Metropolitan Borough Council Education and Arts Joint Union Consultative Group

NCH Action for Children (Charity No. 215301).

SCHEDULE 2**Articles 2 and 3****SCHOOLS COMPRISING THE ZONE**

<i>School</i>	<i>DfEE No.</i>	<i>Address</i>
Castle Hill County Primary School	2005	Castle Hill Street, Bolton BL2 2JT.
Tonge Moor County Primary School	2028	Scott Lane, Bolton BL2 2LB.
Top o'th'Brow County Primary School	2030	Greenroyd Avenue, Bolton BL2 5DD.
The Moss County Primary School	2037	Falkirk Drive, Bolton BL2 6NW.
Moorgate County Primary School	2038	Entwistle Street, Bolton BL2 2RH.
Blackshaw County Primary School	2042	Bideford Drive, Bolton BL2 5LF.
Red Lane County Primary School	2081	Red Lane, Bolton BL2 5HP.
Roscow Fold VC Primary School	3003	Stephens Street, Bolton BL2 5DX.
Christ's Church C of E Primary School	3303	Stitch-mi-Lane, Bolton BL2 4HU.
St Stephens and All Martyrs C of E Primary School	3306	Radcliffe Road, Bolton BL2 1NZ.
St Columba's RC Primary School	3316	Ripley Street, Bolton BL2 3AR.
St Osmund RC Primary School	3325	Blenheim Road, Bolton BL2 6EL.
St Andrew RC Primary School	3333	Withins Drive, Bolton BL2 5LF.
Bolton Parish Church C of E Primary School	3336	Kestor Street, Bolton BL2 2AN.
Crompton Fold Primary School	5200	Poulton Avenue, Bolton BL2 6EG.
Withins Secondary School	4042	Newby Road, Bolton BL2 5JB.
Thornleigh Salesian College	4612	Sharples Park, Bolton BL1 6PQ.
Firwood Special School	7004	Crompton Way, Bolton BL2 3AF.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order)

This Order establishes the Bolton Education Action Zone, which comprises the schools listed in Schedule 2. The Order also provides (in articles 4 and 5) for the membership of the Education Action Forum for the zone.

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