
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2015 No. 2059

**The European Union (Recognition of
Professional Qualifications) Regulations 2015**

PART 6

Supplementary

Appeals

68.—(1) Within four months of the notification to the applicant of a decision of a competent authority made in relation to the applicant under any one of regulations 6(1), 10, 13(2), 42(2) or under Part 4, or thereafter with the permission of the appropriate appeal body, the applicant may appeal against that decision on a matter of law or fact (or of both) to the appropriate appeal body.

(2) Within 28 days of the notification to a professional of a decision of a competent authority made in relation to the professional under regulation 67, or thereafter with the permission of the appropriate appeal body, the professional may appeal against that decision on a matter of law or fact (or of both) to the appropriate appeal body.

(3) This regulation does not apply in relation to a decision of a competent authority (which falls within paragraph (1) or (2)) for a particular profession where the right of appeal in relation to that decision is provided for in another enactment relating to that profession.

(4) An appropriate appeal body may, for the purpose of determining any appeal under these Regulations against the decision of a competent authority under regulation 6(1), 10, 13(2), 42(2), 62 or 63—

- (a) give any authorisation to practise and impose any condition which the competent authority could give or impose in relation to that profession; or
- (b) remit the matter to the competent authority with such directions as the appeal body sees fit.

(5) An appropriate appeal body may, for the purpose of determining any appeal under these Regulations against the decision of a competent authority to submit an alert under regulation 67—

- (a) dismiss the appeal; or
- (b) allow the appeal and direct the alert be withdrawn or amended accordingly.

(6) In this regulation, “appropriate appeal body” means—

- (a) where the profession concerned is one set out in the first column of an entry in Schedule 5, the court, tribunal or other person set out in the second column of that entry;
- (b) in any other case, the county court or, in Scotland, the sheriff.