STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2016 No. 420

HOUSING, ENGLAND

The Houses in Multiple Occupation (Specified Educational Establishments) (England) Regulations 2016

Made	22nd March 2016
Laid before Parliament	23rd March 2016
Coming into force	13th April 2016

The Secretary of State makes the following regulations in exercise of the powers conferred by paragraph 4(2) of Schedule 14 to the Housing Act 2004(1):

Citation, commencement and application

1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Houses in Multiple Occupation (Specified Educational Establishments) (England) Regulations 2016 and come into force on 13th April 2016.

(2) These Regulations apply in relation to England only.

Educational establishments specified for certain purposes of the Housing Act 2004

2. An educational establishment is specified for the purposes of paragraph 4 of Schedule 14 to the Housing Act 2004 (buildings occupied by students) where—

- (a) it is listed in the Schedule to these Regulations; and
- (b) it is a member of-
 - (i) the ANUK/UNIPOL Code of Standards for Larger Residential Developments for Student Accommodation Managed and Controlled by Educational Establishments dated 28th August 2008(2); or
 - (ii) the Universities UK/Guild HE Code of Practice for the Management of Student Housing dated 17th August 2010(3).

^{(1) 2004} c.34. The powers conferred by paragraph 4(2) of Schedule 14 to the Housing Act 2004 ("the Act") are exercisable, as respects England, by the Secretary of State. See the definition of appropriate national authority in section 26(1) of the Act. In relation to Wales, the powers are exercisable by the Welsh Ministers as, by virtue of paragraphs 30 and 32 of Schedule 11 to the Government of Wales Act 2006 (c.32), the functions of the National Assembly for Wales are now exercisable by the Welsh Ministers.

⁽²⁾ This code of practice has been approved by the Secretary of State under section 233 of the Act. See S.I. 2008/2345, which was revoked by S.I. 2010/2615 but with savings for this code of practice (see article 4 of the later instrument).

⁽³⁾ This code of practice has been approved by the Secretary of State under section 233 of the Act. See S.I. 2010/2615.

Revocation

3. The Houses in Multiple Occupation (Specified Educational Establishments) (England) Regulations 2013(4) are revoked.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Communities and Local Government

Brandon Lewis Minister of State Department for Communities and Local Government

22nd March 2016

Status: This is the original version (as it was originally made). This item of legislation is currently only available in its original format.

SCHEDULE

Regulation 2

Educational establishments specified for the purposes of paragraph 4 of Schedule 14 to the Housing Act 2004

Anglia Ruskin University Arts University Bournemouth Aston University Balliol College, University of Oxford Bath Spa University Birmingham City University **Bishop Grosseteste University** Blackfriars Hall, University of Oxford Blackpool and The Fylde College Bournemouth University Bradford College Brasenose College, University of Oxford Brunel University Buckinghamshire New University Canterbury Christ Church University **Chichester College** Christ Church, University of Oxford Christ's College, University of Cambridge Churchill College, University of Cambridge Clare College, University of Cambridge Clare Hall, University of Cambridge Corpus Christi College, University of Oxford Corpus Christi College, University of Cambridge Coventry University Cranfield University Darwin College, University of Cambridge De Montfort University Downing College, University of Cambridge Edge Hill University Emmanuel College, University of Cambridge Exeter College, University of Oxford Falmouth University Fitzwilliam College, University of Cambridge Foundation for International Education Girton College, University of Cambridge Goldsmiths, University of London

Gonville & Caius, University of Cambridge Green Templeton College, University of Oxford Harper Adams University Harris Manchester College, University of Oxford Hertford College, University of Oxford Heythrop College, University of London Hillcroft College Homerton College, University of Cambridge Hughes Hall, University of Cambridge Imperial College London Jesus College, University of Cambridge Jesus College, University of Oxford Keble College, University of Oxford Keele University Kellogg College, University of Oxford King's College London King's College, University of Cambridge Kingston University Lady Margaret Hall, University of Oxford Lancaster University Leeds Beckett University Leeds Trinity University Linacre College, University of Oxford Lincoln College, University of Oxford Liverpool Hope University London School of Economics and Political Science London South Bank University Loughborough College Loughborough University Lucy Cavendish College, University of Cambridge Magdalen College, University of Oxford Magdalene College, University of Cambridge Manchester Metropolitan University Mansfield College, University of Oxford Merton College, University of Oxford Middlesex University Murray Edwards College, University of Cambridge New College, University of Oxford Newcastle University Newman University

Newnham College, University of Cambridge Northumbria University Norwich University of the Arts Nottingham Trent University Nuffield College, University of Oxford Oriel College, University of Oxford Oxford Brookes University Pembroke College, University of Cambridge Pembroke College, University of Oxford Peterhouse, University of Cambridge Queen Mary University of London Queen's College, University of Cambridge Regent's Park College, University of Oxford Richmond, The American International University in London Robinson College, University of Cambridge Roehampton University Royal Agricultural University Royal Holloway, University of London SCIO - Scholarship and Christianity in Oxford Selwyn College, University of Cambridge Sheffield Hallam University Sidney Sussex College, University of Cambridge Somerville College, University of Oxford Southampton Solent University St Anne's College, University of Oxford St Antony's College, University of Oxford St Benet's Hall, University of Oxford St Catharine's College, University of Cambridge St Catherine's College, University of Oxford St Chad's College, University of Durham St Cross College, University of Oxford St Edmund's College, University of Cambridge St Edmund Hall, University of Oxford St George's, University of London St Hilda's College, University of Oxford St Hugh's College, University of Oxford St John's College, University of Cambridge St John's College, University of Durham St John's College, University of Oxford St Mary's University, Twickenham

St Peter's College, University of Oxford St Stephen's House, University of Oxford Staffordshire University Teesside University The Guildhall School of Music and Drama The Queen's College, University of Oxford The Royal Veterinary College Trinity College, University of Cambridge Trinity College, University of Oxford Trinity Hall, University of Cambridge University College Birmingham University College London University College, University of Oxford University for the Creative Arts University of Bath University of Bedfordshire University of Birmingham University of Bolton University of Bradford University of Brighton University of Bristol University of Buckingham University of Central Lancashire University of Chester University of Chichester University of Cumbria University of Derby University of Durham University of East Anglia University of East London University of Essex University of Exeter University of Gloucester University of Greenwich University of Hertfordshire University of Hull University of Kent University of Leeds University of Leicester

University of Lincoln

University of Liverpool University of London University of Manchester University of Northampton University of Nottingham University of Oxford University of Plymouth University of Portsmouth University of Reading University of St Mark & St John University of Sheffield University of Southampton University of Sunderland University of Surrey University of Sussex University of the Arts London University of the West of England, Bristol University of Warwick University of Westminster University of Winchester University of Wolverhampton University of Worcester University of York Wadham College, University of Oxford Warwickshire College Wolfson College, University of Cambridge Wolfson College, University of Oxford Worcester College, University of Oxford Writtle College Wycliffe Hall, University of Oxford York St John University

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations)

Schedule 14 to the Housing Act 2004 ("the Act") lists types of building that are not houses in multiple occupation ("HMOs") for the purposes of the Act (excluding Part 1, which deals with housing conditions). HMOs are defined in section 254 of the Act. Paragraph 4 of Schedule 14 to the Act refers to any building which is occupied solely or principally by persons who occupy it for the purpose of undertaking a full time course of further or higher education at a specified educational establishment, or at an educational establishment of a specified description, and where the person managing or controlling the building is the education establishment in question, or a specified person, or a person of a specified description.

Regulation 2 and the Schedule to these Regulations specify educational establishments. Where a building is managed or controlled by an educational establishment which is listed in the Schedule to these Regulations and that educational establishment is a member of either code of practice referred to in regulation 2(b), then that building is not an HMO for the purposes of the Act (excluding Part 1).

These Regulations revoke the Houses in Multiple Occupation (Specified Educational Establishments) (England) Regulations 2013 (S.I. 2013/1601). They replace the list of educational establishments that appeared in the Schedule to those earlier Regulations.

A copy of the ANUK/UNIPOL Code of Standards for Larger Residential Developments for Student Accommodation Managed and Controlled by Educational Establishments dated 28th August 2008 can be obtained from the National Codes Administrator, 155-157 Woodhouse Lane, Leeds, LS2 3ED, by emailing NationalCodes@unipol.org.uk or online at www.nationalcode.org or www.anuk.org.uk.

A copy of Universities UK/Guild HE Code of Practice for the Management of Student Housing dated 17th August 2010 can be obtained from Universities UK, Woburn House, 20 Tavistock Square, London, WC1H 9HQ, by emailing info@universitiesuk.ac.uk. or online at www.universitiesuk.ac.uk.

Copies of the codes of practice referred to above have been lodged in the libraries of both Houses of Parliament.

An impact assessment has not been provided for this instrument as no impact on the private or voluntary sector is foreseen.