



# Qualifications Wales Act 2015

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## PART 4

### PRIORITY QUALIFICATIONS AND APPROVAL OF QUALIFICATIONS

#### *Surrender and withdrawal of approval*

#### **26 Transitional provision in connection with surrender of approval**

- (1) This section applies for the purposes of an acknowledgement of surrender under section 25.
- (2) If Qualifications Wales considers it appropriate to do so for the purpose of avoiding prejudice to persons who are seeking, or might reasonably be expected to seek, to obtain the form of the qualification concerned, it may make provision in the acknowledgement of surrender that is within subsection (3).
- (3) Provision within this subsection is provision to the effect that, from the expiry of the surrender date until the expiry of the extension date, the form of the qualification is to be treated, for purposes specified by Qualifications Wales in the acknowledgement of surrender, as being approved under this Part by Qualifications Wales for award by the body concerned.
- (4) If Qualifications Wales makes provision within subsection (3)—
  - (a) it must give reasons for this in the acknowledgement of surrender, and
  - (b) the form of the qualification is to be treated, from the expiry of the surrender date, for the purposes specified in the acknowledgement of surrender, and until the expiry of the extension date, as being approved under this Part for award by the body concerned.
- (5) In this section—

“extension date” (“*dyddiad estyn*”) means a date specified by Qualifications Wales in the acknowledgement of surrender for the purposes of this section;

*Status: This is the original version (as it was originally enacted).*

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“surrender date” (“*dyddiad ildio*”) means the date specified by Qualifications Wales in the acknowledgement of surrender as being the date from the expiry of which the approval is to cease to have effect.