

# Teaching and Higher Education Act 1998

# 1998 CHAPTER 30

#### PART I

THE TEACHING PROFESSION

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THE GENERAL TEACHING [FICOUNCIL FOR WALES]

#### **Textual Amendments**

Words in Pt. I Ch. I heading substituted (1.4.2012) by Education Act 2011 (c. 21), s. 82(3), Sch. 2 para. 2; S.I. 2012/924, art. 2

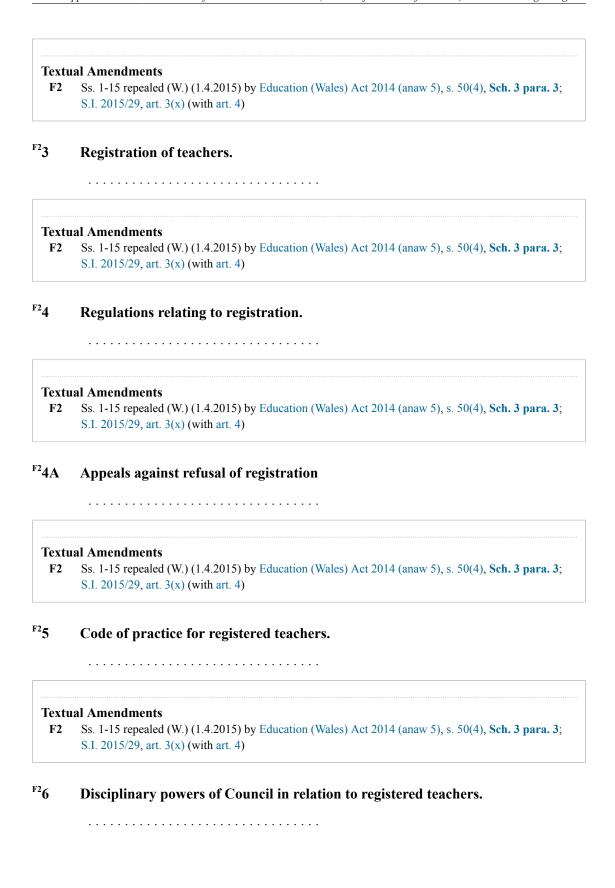
The General Teaching Council for Wales: aims and constitution

F21	Aims and constitution of the Council
Toytu	al Amendments
F2	Ss. 1-15 repealed (W.) (1.4.2015) by Education (Wales) Act 2014 (anaw 5), s. 50(4), Sch. 3 para. 3;
	S.I. 2015/29, art. 3(x) (with art. 4)

Functions of the General Teaching Council for Wales

F22	Advisory functions of the Council.

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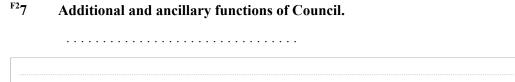
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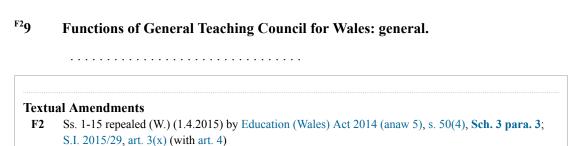
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Establishment of The General Teaching Council for Wales



Functions of the General Teaching Council for Wales



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F210	Further functions of General Teaching Council for Wales in relation to teacher	
Textu	al Amendments	
F2	Ss. 1-15 repealed (W.) (1.4.2015) by Education (Wales) Act 2014 (anaw 5), s. 50(4), <b>Sch. 3 para. 3</b> ; S.I. 2015/29, art. 3(x) (with art. 4)	
	Supplementary	
<sup>2</sup> 11	Registration requirement for teachers at schools.	
Toytu	al Amendments	
F2	Ss. 1-15 repealed (W.) (1.4.2015) by Education (Wales) Act 2014 (anaw 5), s. 50(4), <b>Sch. 3 para. 3</b> ; S.I. 2015/29, art. 3(x) (with art. 4)	
<sup>2</sup> 12	Deduction of fees from salaries, etc.	
	al Amendments	
F2	Ss. 1-15 repealed (W.) (1.4.2015) by Education (Wales) Act 2014 (anaw 5), s. 50(4), Sch. 3 para. 3; S.I. 2015/29, art. 3(x) (with art. 4)	
F213	Consultation about qualified teacher status.	
Textu	al Amendments	
F2	Ss. 1-15 repealed (W.) (1.4.2015) by Education (Wales) Act 2014 (anaw 5), s. 50(4), <b>Sch. 3 para. 3</b> ; S.I. 2015/29, art. 3(x) (with art. 4)	
<sup>2</sup> 14	Supply of information relating to teachers: general.	
Textu	al Amendments	
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F215	Supply of information following dismissal, resignation, &c.

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# [F315A Supply of information by contractor, agency, &c.

- (1) This section applies to arrangements made by one person (the "agent") for [F4a registered teacher (the "teacher")] to carry out work at the request of or with the consent of a relevant employer (whether or not under a contract).
- (2) [F5Subsection (4) applies] where an agent—
  - (a) has terminated the arrangements on a ground mentioned in  $[^{F6}$ section 15(1A)],
  - (b) might have terminated the arrangements on a ground mentioned in that [F7subsection] if the worker had not terminated them, or
  - (c) might have refrained from making new arrangements for a [F8 teacher] on a ground mentioned in that [F9 subsection] if he had not ceased to make himself available for work.

F10(3	)
(4	) F11 The agent shall provide prescribed information to [F12the Council].
F13(5	)
(6	) If the National Assembly thinks that an agent has failed or is likely to fail to comply with a duty arising under subsection (4), the National Assembly may direct the person to comply with the duty.

- - (8) A direction under subsection (6) shall be enforceable, on the application of the National Assembly, by a mandatory order.
  - (9) [F15Subsection] (5) of section 15 shall apply for the purposes of this section as [F16it applies] for the purposes of that section.]

# **Textual Amendments**

- F3 Ss. 15, 15A substituted for s. 15 (31.3.2003 for W. and 1.6.2003 for E.) by Education Act 2002 (c. 32), s. 216(4), Sch. 21 para. 83 (with ss. 210(8), 214(4)); S.I. 2002/3185, art. 5, Sch. Pt. II; S.I. 2003/1115, art. 3
- **F4** Words in s. 15A(1) substituted (17.12.2008 for E. for specified purposes) by Safeguarding Vulnerable Groups Act 2006 (c. 47), s. 65, **Sch. 9 para. 6(2)** (with ss. 51, 57(3), 60(4), 64(5)); S.I. 2008/3204, art. 2(b)(iy)
- F5 Words in s. 15A(2) substituted (1.4.2012) by Education Act 2011 (c. 21), s. 82(3), Sch. 2 para. 12(a); S.I. 2012/924, art. 2
- **F6** Words in s. 15A(2)(a) substituted (17.12.2008 for E. for specified purposes) by Safeguarding Vulnerable Groups Act 2006 (c. 47), s. 65, **Sch. 9 para. 6(3)(a)** (with ss. 51, 57(3), 60(4), 64(5)); S.I. 2008/3204, art. 2(b)(iv)

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- F7 Word in s. 15A(2)(b) substituted (17.12.2008 for E. for specified purposes) by Safeguarding Vulnerable Groups Act 2006 (c. 47), s. 65, **Sch. 9 para. 6(3)(b)** (with ss. 51, 57(3), 60(4), 64(5)); S.I. 2008/3204, art. 2(b)(iv)
- F8 Word in s. 15A(2)(c) substituted (17.12.2008 for E. for specified purposes) by Safeguarding Vulnerable Groups Act 2006 (c. 47), s. 65, Sch. 9 para. 6(3)(c)(i) (with ss. 51, 57(3), 60(4), 64(5)); S.I. 2008/3204, art. 2(b)(iv)
- F9 Word in s. 15A(2)(c) substituted (17.12.2008 for E. for specified purposes) by Safeguarding Vulnerable Groups Act 2006 (c. 47), s. 65, Sch. 9 para. 6(3)(c)(ii) (with ss. 51, 57(3), 60(4), 64(5)); S.I. 2008/3204, art. 2(b)(iv)
- **F10** S. 15A(3) omitted (1.4.2012) by virtue of Education Act 2011 (c. 21), s. 82(3), **Sch. 2 para. 12(b)**; S.I. 2012/924, art. 2
- F11 Words in s. 15A(4) omitted (1.4.2012) by virtue of Education Act 2011 (c. 21), s. 82(3), Sch. 2 para. 12(c)(i); S.I. 2012/924, art. 2
- F12 Words in s. 15A(4) substituted (1.4.2012) by Education Act 2011 (c. 21), s. 82(3), Sch. 2 para. 12(c) (ii); S.I. 2012/924, art. 2
- **F13** S. 15A(5) omitted (1.4.2012) by virtue of Education Act 2011 (c. 21), s. 82(3), **Sch. 2 para. 12(b)**; S.I. 2012/924, art. 2
- F14 S. 15A(7) omitted (1.4.2012) by virtue of Education Act 2011 (c. 21), s. 82(3), Sch. 2 para. 12(b); S.I. 2012/924, art. 2
- F15 Word in s. 15A(9) substituted (17.12.2008 for E. for specified purposes) by Safeguarding Vulnerable Groups Act 2006 (c. 47), s. 65, Sch. 9 para. 6(6)(a) (with ss. 51, 57(3), 60(4), 64(5)); S.I. 2008/3204, art. 2(b)(iv)
- F16 Words in s. 15A(9) substituted (17.12.2008 for E. for specified purposes) by Safeguarding Vulnerable Groups Act 2006 (c. 47), s. 65, Sch. 9 para. 6(6)(b) (with ss. 51, 57(3), 60(4), 64(5)); S.I. 2008/3204, art. 2(b)(iv)

The General Teaching Council for Scotland

F17 <b>16</b>	Duty to have regard to needs of disabled persons.
Textu	al Amendments
F17	S. 16 repealed (2.4.2012) by The Public Services Reform (General Teaching Council for Scotland)
	Order 2011 (S.S.I. 2011/215), art. 2, sch. 7

Representation of special educational needs teachers on General Teaching Council for Scotland.

#### **Textual Amendments**

F18 S. 17 repealed (2.4.2012) by The Public Services Reform (General Teaching Council for Scotland) Order 2011 (S.S.I. 2011/215), art. 2, sch. 7

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# Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Act associated Parts and Chapters:

Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Act (including any effects on those provisions):

- s. 22(4A)(4B) inserted by 2017 c. 29 s. 86(4)
- s. 22(5)(ea) inserted by 2017 c. 29 s. 86(5)(d)
- s. 22(11) inserted by 2017 c. 29 s. 86(7)
- s. 28A inserted by 2022 c. 21 s. 15(1)