

# EDUCATION (WALES) MEASURE 2011

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## EXPLANATORY NOTES

### COMMENTARY ON SECTIONS

#### **Part 3: Foundation Schools**

##### **Foundation schools**

##### ***Section 27 - Prohibition of change of category to foundation school***

55. Schedule 8 to the 1998 Act makes provision enabling schools in Wales to change categories. This section amends Schedule 8 to the 1998 Act so as to remove the ability of a local authority or a governing body to propose that a school change its category so as to become a foundation school. This will not prevent a school which is currently a foundation school changing category so as to become a different category.