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Education Act 2002

2002 CHAPTER 32

PART 11

MISCELLANEOUS AND GENERAL

Qualifications

VALID FROM 01/10/2002

189 Amendments of Part 5 of Education Act 1997

Schedule 17 (which contains amendments of Part 5 of the Education Act 1997 (c. 44) relating to the Qualifications and Curriculum Authority and the Qualifications, Curriculum and Assessment Authority for Wales) shall have effect.

Commencement Information

- II** [S. 189](#) partly in force; [s. 189](#) not in force at Royal Assent, see [s. 216](#); [s. 189](#) in force for certain purposes at 1.10.2002 by [S.I. 2002/2439](#), [art. 2](#) (with transitional provisions and savings in [Sch.](#)); [s. 189](#) in force for certain further purposes at 19.12.2002 by [S.I. 2002/3185](#), [art. 4](#), [Sch. Pt. I](#)

190 LEA functions: qualifications

- (1) A local education authority may award or authenticate academic and vocational qualifications, and may in particular—
- devise and administer a qualification or a course leading to a qualification,
 - register candidates,
 - set, administer and moderate examinations or other assessments, and
 - require the payment of fees in respect of the exercise of the power.

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- (2) A local education authority may secure the exercise by any other person of such of the authority's powers under subsection (1) as the authority may specify.
- (3) A local education authority may exercise their powers under this section by forming, or participating in forming, or being a member of, a body corporate.
- (4) The powers under this section shall be regarded as always having been within the powers of a local education authority; and this section is without prejudice to the generality of the powers of a local education authority.

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