



# Education and Skills Act 2008

## 2008 CHAPTER 25

### PART 4

#### REGULATION AND INSPECTION OF INDEPENDENT EDUCATIONAL PROVISION IN ENGLAND

### CHAPTER 1

#### INDEPENDENT EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS IN ENGLAND

##### *Failure to meet standards*

#### **117 “Relevant restriction”**

- (1) In this Chapter a “relevant restriction” imposed on the proprietor of a registered independent educational institution is a requirement that the proprietor take one or more of the following steps by a specified time or by specified times—
- (a) to cease to use any part of the institution's premises for all purposes or specified purposes;
  - (b) to close any part of the institution's operation;
  - (c) to cease to admit any new students or new students of specified descriptions.
- (2) In subsection (1) “specified” means—
- (a) in the case of a relevant restriction imposed by the Secretary of State under section 116(1)(a), specified by the Secretary of State;
  - (b) in the case of a relevant restriction imposed by an order of a justice of the peace under section 120, specified in the order;
  - (c) in the case of a relevant restriction imposed by an order of the Tribunal under section 124, 125 or 126, specified in the order.

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#### **Commencement Information**

- I1** S. 117(1)(2)(c) in force at 12.10.2009 by [S.I. 2009/1606](#), **art. 4** (with **art. 5**) (which transitional provisions in art. 5 are revoked (22.12.2014) by [S.I. 2014/3364](#), art. 3(3), Sch.)
- I2** [S. 117\(2\)\(a\)\(b\)](#) in force at 5.1.2015 by [S.I. 2014/3364](#), **art. 2(m)**

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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. 91(3)(c) inserted by [2022 asc 1 Sch. 4 para. 22\(3\)](#)