

# Apprenticeships, Skills, Children and Learning Act 2009

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#### PART 1

APPRENTICESHIPS, STUDY AND TRAINING

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### **APPRENTICESHIPS**

Apprenticeship certificates: Wales

## 10 The Welsh certifying authority

- (1) In this Chapter, the "Welsh certifying authority", in relation to an apprenticeship certificate of any description, means—
  - (a) the person (if any) designated under this section to issue apprenticeship certificates of that description;
  - (b) if there is no-one within paragraph (a), the person (if any) designated under this section to issue apprenticeship certificates generally;
  - (c) if there is no-one within paragraph (a) or (b), the Welsh Ministers.
- (2) A person designated under this section to issue apprenticeship certificates must, in exercising functions under this Chapter—
  - (a) comply with directions given by the Welsh Ministers, and
  - (b) have regard to guidance given by the Welsh Ministers.
- (3) "Designated" means designated by an order made by the Welsh Ministers.