



Higher Education (Wales) Act 2015

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PART 3

QUALITY OF EDUCATION

Powers in respect of education of inadequate quality

18 Education of inadequate quality: general

- (1) Sections 19 and 20 apply if, as a result of exercising their functions under section 17, HEFCW are satisfied that—
- (a) the quality of education provided by or on behalf of a regulated institution, or
 - (b) the quality of a particular course of education so provided,
- is inadequate or likely to become inadequate.
- (2) For the purposes of this Act, the quality of education or of a course of education is inadequate if it is not adequate to meet the reasonable needs of those receiving the education or undertaking the course.

Modifications etc. (not altering text)

- C1 Pt. 3 modified (1.9.2015) by [The Higher Education \(Wales\) Act 2015 \(Consequential Provision\) Order 2015 \(S.I. 2015/1353\)](#), arts. 1(2), 4(1)

Commencement Information

- II S. 18 in force at 1.9.2015 by [S.I. 2015/1327](#), art. 5(h)

19 Directions in respect of inadequate quality

- (1) HEFCW may give a direction to the governing body of the institution requiring it to take (or not to take) specified steps for the purpose of—
- (a) improving the quality of the education or course, or

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- (b) preventing the quality of the education or course from becoming inadequate.
- (2) For procedural provision about directions under this section, see sections 41 to 44.

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I2 [S. 19](#) in force at 1.9.2015 by [S.I. 2015/1327](#), [art. 5\(h\)](#)

20 Other measures in respect of inadequate quality

- (1) HEFCW may give advice or assistance to the governing body of the institution with a view to—
- (a) improving the quality of the education or course, or
 - (b) preventing the quality of the education or course from becoming inadequate.
- (2) HEFCW may carry out, or arrange for another person to carry out, a review of any matters that they think are relevant to the quality of education provided by or on behalf of the institution.
- (3) A governing body must take into account any advice given to it under subsection (1).

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I3 [S. 20](#) in force at 1.9.2015 by [S.I. 2015/1327](#), [art. 5\(h\)](#)

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

- Act repealed by [2022 asc 1 Sch. 4 para. 31](#)