

Tertiary Education and Research (Wales) Act 2022

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PART 2

REGISTRATION AND REGULATION OF TERTIARY EDUCATION PROVIDERS

CHAPTER 2

QUALITY ASSURANCE AND IMPROVING QUALITY

Inspection of further education or training etc.

Right of entry and offences

- (1) When conducting an inspection under this Chapter, the Chief Inspector has, at all reasonable times—
 - (a) a right of entry to premises on which the education or training being inspected is provided;
 - (b) a right of entry to premises of the provider of that education or training which are used in connection with that provision;
 - (c) a right to inspect, and take copies of, any records kept by that person, and any other documents containing information relating to the education or training, which the inspector requires for the purposes of the inspection.
- (2) In respect of education or training provided by an employer in the workplace, the right of entry conferred by subsection (1) may be exercised only if the employer has been given reasonable notice.
- (3) The right to inspect conferred by subsection (1)(c) includes the right to have access to, and to inspect and check the operation of, any computer and any associated apparatus

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or material which is or has been in use in connection with the records or documents in question.

- (4) That right also includes the right to such assistance from—
 - (a) the person by whom or on whose behalf the computer is or has been so used, or
 - (b) any person having charge of, or otherwise concerned with the operation of, the computer, apparatus or material,

as the Chief Inspector may reasonably require.

- (5) It is an offence wilfully to obstruct the Chief Inspector in the exercise of functions in relation to an inspection under this Chapter.
- (6) A person guilty of such an offence is liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding level 4 on the standard scale.
- (7) The powers conferred by this section do not include the power to enter a dwelling without the agreement of the occupier.
- (8) In this section, "premises" means premises in Wales or England.