



# Standards in Scotland's Schools etc. Act 2000

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## *Delegation schemes*

### **8 Delegation schemes**

- (1) An education authority shall have a scheme for delegating to the headteacher of a school—
- (a) managed by them; and
  - (b) of a category of school which is stated in the scheme to be covered by the scheme,
- management of that share of the authority's budget for a financial year which is available for allocation to individual schools and is appropriated for the school; or management of part of that share.
- (2) The scheme—
- (a) shall delegate to the headteacher the preparation of the school development plan; and
  - (b) may also so delegate such other management functions in relation to the school as the authority think fit.
- (3) The scheme shall require that the headteacher exercise the delegated functions in a manner consistent with the education authority's duties under section 3(2) of this Act.