



Education and Inspections Act 2006

2006 CHAPTER 40

PART 2

ESTABLISHMENT, DISCONTINUANCE OR ALTERATION OF SCHOOLS

Removal of foundation or reduction in foundation governors

25 Proposals for removal of foundation or reduction in foundation governors

- (1) This section applies to any foundation or foundation special school having a foundation if either or both of the following conditions is met.
- (2) Condition A is that the school was established (whether or not as a foundation or foundation special school) in pursuance of proposals falling to be implemented under Schedule 2.
- (3) Condition B is that the school acquired its foundation in pursuance of proposals falling to be implemented under regulations under section 24.
- (4) The governing body of any foundation or foundation special school to which this section applies may at any time publish proposals under this section for either or both of the following alterations to the school—
 - (a) the removal of the foundation, or
 - (b) the alteration of the instrument of government in such a way that foundation governors will cease to constitute the majority of governors.
- (5) A prescribed proportion of the governors of a foundation or foundation special school to which this section applies may in the prescribed manner require the governing body of the school to publish proposals under this section for either or both of the alterations mentioned in subsection (4).
- (6) Subsection (5) does not require the governing body of a foundation or foundation special school to publish proposals under this section—
 - (a) at any time within a prescribed period beginning with the date on which—

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- (i) proposals for the establishment of the school were implemented under Schedule 2, or
 - (ii) proposals for the acquisition of a foundation, for a relevant change in the instrument of government or for a change of category to foundation school or foundation special school were implemented under regulations under section 24, or
- (b) at any time within a prescribed period beginning with the date on which previous proposals published under this section in pursuance of a requirement under subsection (5) were rejected by the governing body in accordance with regulations under section 26.
- (7) In subsection (6)(a)(ii) “relevant change”, in relation to the instrument of government of a school, is to be read in accordance with section 22(2).
- (8) In this section “foundation” means a foundation established otherwise than under SSFA 1998.

Commencement Information

- I1** S. 25(1)-(4) (8) in force at 25.5.2007 by [S.I. 2007/935](#), **art. 7(e)**
- I2** S. 25(5)-(7) in force at 1.4.2007 by [S.I. 2007/935](#), **art. 5(d)**

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Changes and effects yet to be applied to :

- specified provision(s) amendment to earlier commencing SI 2006/2990 art. 4 by [S.I. 2008/54 art. 2](#)
- specified provision(s) amendment to earlier commencing SI 2007/935 art. 7(n) by [S.I. 2007/1271 art. 4](#)
- specified provision(s) transitional provisions for earlier commencing SI 2007/935 by [S.I. 2007/1271 art. 5](#)

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. 11A inserted by [2010 c. 26 s. 7](#)
- s. 88(A1) inserted by [2015 c. 20 Sch. 16 para. 1\(2\)](#)
- s. 93A inserted by [2009 c. 22 s. 246](#)
- s. 93A(7) words inserted by [S.I. 2016/413 reg. 235](#) (This amendment comes into force on the day that section 93A of the Education and Inspections Act 2006 (c. 40) comes into force. That provision is still prospective)
- s. 162(5A)(aa) inserted by [2010 nawm 1 Sch. 1 para. 20\(a\)](#)