



# School Standards and Framework Act 1998

## 1998 CHAPTER 31

### PART II

#### NEW FRAMEWORK FOR MAINTAINED SCHOOLS

### CHAPTER III

#### GOVERNMENT OF MAINTAINED SCHOOLS

#### *Instruments of government*

#### **37 Instruments of government.**

- [<sup>F1</sup>(1) For every maintained school there shall be an instrument (known as the instrument of government) which determines the constitution of the governing body and other matters relating to the school.
- (2) Schedule 12 has effect with respect to the contents and making of instruments of government and the review and variation of such instruments.
- (3) The governing body of a maintained school shall not conduct the school under a name other than the one for the time being set out in the school's instrument of government.]

#### **Textual Amendments**

- F1** Ss. 36-44 repealed (1.10.2002 for E. for specified purposes, 1.4.2003 for E. for specified purposes, 1.9.2003 for E. In so far as not already in force, 31.3.2004 for W. for specified purposes, 1.9.2004 for W. for specified purposes, 31.10.2005 for W. for specified purposes, 31.3.2008 for W. in so far as not already in force) by [Education Act 2002 \(c. 32\)](#), s. 216(4), [Sch. 22 Pt. 3](#) (with ss. 210(8), 214(4)); S.I. 2002/2439, [art. 3](#); S.I. 2003/124, [art. 4](#); S.I. 2003/1667, [art. 4](#) (with art. 6, Sch. para.

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4); S.I. 2004/912, art. 4, **Sch. Pt. 1**; S.I. 2004/1728, art. 5, **Sch. Pt. 2**; S.I. 2005/2910, art. 4, **Sch.**; S.I. 2007/3611, art. 4(2), **Sch. Pt. 2**

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**Modifications etc. (not altering text)**

**C1** S. 37(1) savings for effects of 2002 c. 32, s. 215(2), Sch. 22 Pt. 3 (W.) (31.10.2005) by [The Education Act 2002 \(Transitional Provisions and Consequential Amendments\) \(Wales\) Regulations 2005](#) (S.I. 2005/2913), **reg. 5**

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**Commencement Information**

**II** S. 37 wholly in force at 1.9.1999; s. 37(1)(2) in force for certain purposes at Royal Assent see s. 145(5); s. 37 in force at 1.9.1999 in so far as not already in force by [S.I. 1999/2323](#), art. 2(1), **Sch. 1** (with arts. 3-5, **Schs. 5-7**).

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