

## SCHEDULES

### SCHEDULE 7

#### AMENDMENTS RELATING TO SCHOOLS CAUSING CONCERN

#### PART 2

#### MINOR AND CONSEQUENTIAL AMENDMENTS

*Education Act 2002 (c. 32)*

20 After section 62 of EA 2002 insert—

**“62A Power to require LEA in England to obtain advisory services**

- (1) This section applies where—
  - (a) one or more schools maintained by a local education authority in England are for the purposes of Part 4 of the Education and Inspections Act 2006 (schools causing concern: England) eligible for intervention by virtue of either of the following provisions of that Act—
    - (i) section 61 (school requiring significant improvement), or
    - (ii) section 62 (school requiring special measures), and
  - (b) it appears to the Secretary of State that the local education authority—
    - (i) have not been effective or are unlikely to be effective in eliminating deficiencies in the conduct of that school or those schools,
    - (ii) are unlikely to be effective in eliminating deficiencies in the conduct of other schools which may in the future fall within paragraph (a), or
    - (iii) maintain a disproportionate number of schools falling within that paragraph.
- (2) The Secretary of State may direct the local education authority to enter into a contract or other arrangement with a person specified in the direction, or a person falling within a class so specified, for the provision to the authority or the governing body of any school maintained by them (or both) of specified services of an advisory nature.
- (3) The direction may require the contract or other arrangement to contain specified terms and conditions.
- (4) In this section “school” means a community, foundation or voluntary school, a community or foundation special school or a maintained nursery school.

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*Status: This is the original version (as it was originally enacted).*

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- (5) Any direction given under this section shall be enforceable, on an application made on behalf of the Secretary of State, by a mandatory order.”