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PART 4

[F1APPRENTICESHIPS AND ADULT EDUCATION AND TRAINING: ROLE OF SECRETARY OF STATE]

CHAPTER 2

[F1PROVISION OF SERVICES TO OTHER BODIES]

Funding

100 Provision of financial resources

- (1) The [FISecretary of State] may secure the provision of financial resources [F2under this subsection] to—
 - (a) persons providing or proposing to provide education or training within the [F3Secretary of State's remit under this Part];
 - (b) persons providing or proposing to provide goods or services in connection with the provision by others of such education or training;
 - (c) persons receiving or proposing to receive such education or training;
 - (d) persons aged 18 receiving or proposing to receive education or training;
 - (e) persons making loans to others receiving or proposing to receive education or training;
 - ^{F4}(f)
 - (g) persons undertaking or proposing to undertake research relating to education or training:
 - (h) persons carrying out means tests under arrangements made under section 103;
 - ^{F5}(i)

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- (j) persons providing or proposing to provide information, advice or guidance about education or training or connected matters (including employment).
- [F6(1A) The Secretary of State may secure the provision of financial resources to any person under this subsection (whether or not the resources could be secured under subsection (1))—
 - (a) for the purpose of encouraging the provision of opportunities for individuals to complete [F7] English statutory apprenticeships] or to undertake work following the completion of such apprenticeships, or
 - (b) otherwise in connection with [F7 English statutory apprenticeships].]
 - - (3) The [F9Secretary of State] may secure the provision of financial resources under subsection (1) [F10 or (1A)]
 - (a) by providing the resources;
 - (b) by making arrangements for the provision of resources by another person;
 - (c) by making arrangements for the provision of resources by persons jointly (whether or not including the [FIISecretary of State]).
 - (4) The [F12Secretary of State] may under subsection (1)(c) [F13 or (1A)] secure the provision of financial resources by reference to—
 - (a) any fees or charges payable by the person receiving or proposing to receive the education or training, or
 - (b) any other matter (such as transport or childcare).
- [F14(5) In this section "English statutory apprenticeship" has the same meaning as in section 40A (see subsection (3) of that section).]

Textual Amendments

- F1 Words in s. 100(1) substituted (26.5.2015) by Deregulation Act 2015 (c. 20), s. 115(3)(g), Sch. 14 para. 13(2)(a)
- F2 Words in s. 100(1) inserted (26.3.2015 for specified purposes, 26.5.2015 in so far as not already in force) by Deregulation Act 2015 (c. 20), s. 115(2)(e), Sch. 1 para. 2(2); S.I. 2015/994, art. 6(a) (with Sch. Pt. 2)
- F3 Words in s. 100(1)(a) substituted (26.5.2015) by Deregulation Act 2015 (c. 20), s. 115(3)(g), Sch. 14 para. 13(2)(b)
- F4 S. 100(1)(f) omitted (26.5.2015) by virtue of Deregulation Act 2015 (c. 20), s. 115(3)(g), Sch. 14 para. 13(2)(c)
- F5 S. 100(1)(i) omitted (1.9.2012) by virtue of Education Act 2011 (c. 21), s. 82(3), Sch. 18 para. 9; S.I. 2012/1087, art. 3
- F6 S. 100(1A) inserted (26.3.2015 for specified purposes, 26.5.2015 in so far as not already in force) by Deregulation Act 2015 (c. 20), s. 115(2)(e), Sch. 1 para. 2(3); S.I. 2015/994, art. 6(a) (with Sch. Pt. 2)
- F7 Words in s. 100(1A) substituted (4.7.2016) by Enterprise Act 2016 (c. 12), ss. 27(a), 44(5); S.I. 2016/695, art. 2(b)
- F8 S. 100(2) omitted (26.5.2015) by virtue of Deregulation Act 2015 (c. 20), s. 115(3)(g), Sch. 14 para. 13(3)
- F9 Words in s. 100(3) substituted (26.5.2015) by Deregulation Act 2015 (c. 20), s. 115(3)(g), Sch. 14 para. 13(4)(a)
- F10 Words in s. 100(3) inserted (26.3.2015 for specified purposes, 26.5.2015 in so far as not already in force) by Deregulation Act 2015 (c. 20), s. 115(2)(e), Sch. 1 para. 2(4); S.I. 2015/994, art. 6(a) (with Sch. Pt. 2)

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- F11 Words in s. 100(3)(c) substituted (26.5.2015) by Deregulation Act 2015 (c. 20), s. 115(3)(g), Sch. 14 para. 13(4)(b)
- F12 Words in s. 100(4) substituted (26.5.2015) by Deregulation Act 2015 (c. 20), s. 115(3)(g), Sch. 14 para. 13(5)
- F13 Words in s. 100(4) inserted (26.3.2015 for specified purposes, 26.5.2015 in so far as not already in force) by Deregulation Act 2015 (c. 20), s. 115(2)(e), Sch. 1 para. 2(5); S.I. 2015/994, art. 6(a) (with Sch. Pt. 2)
- F14 S. 100(5) inserted (4.7.2016) by Enterprise Act 2016 (c. 12), ss. 27(b), 44(5); S.I. 2016/695, art. 2(b)

Commencement Information

II S. 100 in force at 1.4.2010 by S.I. 2010/303, art. 3, Sch. 2 (with arts. 9-11)

101 Financial resources: conditions

- (1) Financial resources provided [F15by the Secretary of State under section 100] may be provided subject to conditions.
- (2) The conditions may [F16(among other things)] include—
 - (a) information conditions;
 - (b) [F17 operational conditions;]
 - (c) repayment conditions.
- (3) Information conditions are conditions which—
 - (a) require the [F18Secretary of State], or a person designated by the [F18Secretary of State], to be given access to a person's accounts and documents and to be given rights in relation to a person's computers and associated apparatus and material, or
 - (b) require a person to whom financial resources are provided to give to the [F19]Secretary of State] such information as the [F19]Secretary of State] may request for the purpose of carrying out [F20]functions under this Part].
- (4) [F21Operational conditions are conditions which require a person providing or proposing to provide education or training ("the provider") to make arrangements providing for all or any of the matters mentioned in subsection (5).]
- (5) |F22The matters are the following—
 - (a) the charging of fees by the provider by reference to specified criteria;
 - (b) the making of awards by the provider by reference to specified criteria;
 - (c) the recovery by the provider of amounts from persons receiving education or training or from employers (or from both);
 - (d) the determination of amounts by reference to specified criteria where provision is made under paragraph (c);
 - (e) the operation of specified exemptions where provision is made under paragraph (c);
 - (f) the making by the provider of provision specified in [F23 an EHC plan or] a report of an assessment under section F24... 140 of the Learning and Skills Act 2000 (c. 21) (assessments relating to learning difficulties).]
- (6) Repayment conditions are conditions which—
 - (a) enable the [F25]Secretary of State] to require the repayment (in whole or part) of sums paid by the [F25]Secretary of State] if any of the conditions subject to which the sums were paid is not complied with;

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(b) require the payment of interest in respect of any period in which a sum due to the [F26Secretary of State] in accordance with any condition is unpaid.

Textual Amendments

- F15 Words in s. 101(1) substituted (26.5.2015) by Deregulation Act 2015 (c. 20), s. 115(3)(g), Sch. 14 para. 14(2)
- F16 Words in s. 101(2) inserted (26.3.2015 for specified purposes, 26.5.2015 in so far as not already in force) by Deregulation Act 2015 (c. 20), s. 115(2)(e), Sch. 1 para. 3(2)(a); S.I. 2015/994, art. 6(a) (with Sch. Pt. 2)
- F17 S. 101(2)(b) omitted (26.3.2015 for specified purposes, 26.5.2015 in so far as not already in force) by virtue of Deregulation Act 2015 (c. 20), s. 115(2)(e), Sch. 1 para. 3(2)(b); S.I. 2015/994, art. 6(a) (with Sch. Pt. 2)
- F18 Words in s. 101(3)(a) substituted (26.5.2015) by Deregulation Act 2015 (c. 20), s. 115(3)(g), Sch. 14 para. 14(3)(a)
- F19 Words in s. 101(3)(b) substituted (26.5.2015) by Deregulation Act 2015 (c. 20), s. 115(3)(g), Sch. 14 para. 14(3)(b)(i)
- **F20** Words in s. 101(3)(b) substituted (26.5.2015) by Deregulation Act 2015 (c. 20), s. 115(3)(g), **Sch. 14** para. 14(3)(b)(ii)
- **F21** S. 101(4) omitted (26.3.2015 for specified purposes, 26.5.2015 in so far as not already in force) by virtue of Deregulation Act 2015 (c. 20), s. 115(2)(e), **Sch. 1 para. 3(3)**; S.I. 2015/994, art. 6(a) (with Sch. Pt. 2)
- **F22** S. 101(5) omitted (26.3.2015 for specified purposes, 26.5.2015 in so far as not already in force) by virtue of Deregulation Act 2015 (c. 20), s. 115(2)(e), **Sch. 1 para. 3(3)**; S.I. 2015/994, art. 6(a) (with Sch. Pt. 2)
- F23 Words in s. 101(5)(f) inserted (1.9.2014) by Children and Families Act 2014 (c. 6), s. 139(6), Sch. 3 para. 92(a); S.I. 2014/889, art. 7(a)
- **F24** Words in s. 101(5)(f) omitted (1.9.2014) by virtue of Children and Families Act 2014 (c. 6), s. 139(6), **Sch. 3 para. 92(b)**; S.I. 2014/889, art. 7(a)
- F25 Words in s. 101(6)(a) substituted (26.5.2015) by Deregulation Act 2015 (c. 20), s. 115(3)(g), Sch. 14 para. 14(4)(a)
- **F26** Words in s. 101(6)(b) substituted (26.5.2015) by Deregulation Act 2015 (c. 20), s. 115(3)(g), **Sch. 14** para. 14(4)(b)

Commencement Information

I2 S. 101 in force at 1.4.2010 by S.I. 2010/303, art. 3, Sch. 2 (with arts. 9-11)

102 Performance assessments

- (1) The [F27Secretary of State] may adopt or develop schemes for the assessment of the performance of persons in providing education or training within the [F28Secretary of State's remit under this Part].
- (2) The [F29]Secretary of State] may take the assessments into account in deciding how to exercise the powers under section 100.

Textual Amendments

- **F27** Words in s. 102(1) substituted (26.5.2015) by Deregulation Act 2015 (c. 20), s. 115(3)(g), **Sch. 14** para. 15(2)(a)
- **F28** Words in s. 102(1) substituted (26.5.2015) by Deregulation Act 2015 (c. 20), s. 115(3)(g), **Sch. 14** para. 15(2)(b)

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F29 Words in s. 102(2) substituted (26.5.2015) by Deregulation Act 2015 (c. 20), s. 115(3)(g), **Sch. 14** para. 15(3)

Commencement Information

I3 S. 102 in force at 1.4.2010 by S.I. 2010/303, art. 3, Sch. 2 (with arts. 9-11)

103 Means tests

- (1) [F30] For the purpose of the exercise of the powers under section 100(1)(c), (d) or (e), the Secretary of State may—
 - (a) carry out means tests;
 - (b) arrange for other persons to carry out means tests.

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Textual Amendments

- **F30** Words in s. 103(1) substituted (26.5.2015) by Deregulation Act 2015 (c. 20), s. 115(3)(g), **Sch. 14** para. 16(2)
- F31 S. 103(2) omitted (26.5.2015) by virtue of Deregulation Act 2015 (c. 20), s. 115(3)(g), Sch. 14 para. 16(3)

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