



Higher Education and Research Act 2017

2017 CHAPTER 29

PART 1

THE OFFICE FOR STUDENTS

Mandatory registration conditions

9 Mandatory transparency condition for certain providers

- (1) The OfS must ensure that the ongoing registration conditions of each registered higher education provider of a prescribed description include a transparency condition.
- (2) A transparency condition is a condition that requires the governing body of a registered higher education provider to provide to the OfS, and publish, such information as the OfS requests in relation to one or more of the following—
 - (a) the number of applications for admission on to higher education courses that the provider has received;
 - (b) the number of offers made by the provider in relation to those applications;
 - (c) the number of those offers that were accepted;
 - (d) the number of students who accepted those offers that completed their course with the provider;
 - (e) the number of students who attained a particular degree or other academic award, or a particular level of such an award, on completion of their course with the provider.
- (3) The information which the OfS may request in relation to the numbers mentioned in subsection (2) includes those numbers by reference to one or more of the following—
 - (a) the gender of the individuals to which they relate;
 - (b) their ethnicity;
 - (c) their socio-economic background.
- (4) “Prescribed” means prescribed by regulations made by the Secretary of State for the purposes of this section.

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