
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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The Scottish Further Education Funding
Council (Establishment) (Scotland) Order 1998

PART IV

ADDITIONAL PROVISIONS AS TO MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL

Tenure of members of the Council

5.—(1) A person shall hold and vacate office as a member, or as chairman, of the Council in accordance with the terms of his appointment and shall, on ceasing to be a member, be eligible for re-appointment.

(2) A person may at any time by notice given in writing to the Secretary of State resign his office as a member, or as chairman, of the Council.

Removal of members from office

6. If the Secretary of State is satisfied that a member of the Council—

- (a) has been absent from meetings of the Council for a period longer than six consecutive months without the permission of the Council; or
- (b) is unable or unfit to discharge the functions of a member,

the Secretary of State may by notice given in writing to that member remove him from office, and thereupon the office shall become vacant.

Salaries, allowances and pensions for members

7.—(1) The Council—

- (a) shall pay to their members such salaries or fees, and such travelling, subsistence or other allowances, as the Secretary of State may determine; and
- (b) shall pay, or make such payments towards the provision of, such pensions to or in respect of any of their members as the Secretary of State may determine.

(2) If a person ceases to be a member of the Council and it appears to the Secretary of State that there are special circumstances which make it right that he should receive compensation, the Secretary of State may direct the Council to make to that person a payment of such amount as the Secretary of State may determine.

(3) A determination or direction of the Secretary of State under paragraph (1) or (2) requires the approval of the Treasury.