

**2003 No. 1865**

**EDUCATION, ENGLAND**

**The Education (Recognised Bodies) (England) Order 2003**

*Made* - - - - *17th July 2003*

*Coming into force* - - *1st August 2003*

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 216(1) of the Education Reform Act 1988(a), the Secretary of State for Education and Skills hereby makes the following Order:

**Citation, commencement and extent**

1. This Order may be cited as the Education (Recognised Bodies) (England) Order 2003 and shall come into force on 1st August 2003.
2. This Order extends to England only.

**Revocation**

3. The Education (Recognised Bodies) (England) Order 2000(b) is hereby revoked.

**Recognised bodies**

4. The bodies which are specified in the Schedule are hereby designated as bodies which appear to the Secretary of State to be recognised bodies.

17th July 2003

*Alan Johnson*  
Minister of State  
Department for Education and Skills

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(a) 1988 c.40. By virtue of the National Assembly for Wales (Transfer of Functions) Order 1999 (S.I. 1999/672), the powers conferred by these provisions are exercisable by the Secretary of State only in relation to England. By virtue of section 53 of the Scotland Act 1998 (c. 46), the functions of the Secretary of State under the Education Reform Act 1988 were transferred, in or as regards Scotland, to the Scottish Ministers.

(b) S.I. 2000/3327.

## SCHEDULE

## Article 4

University of Aberdeen  
University of Abertay Dundee  
Anglia Polytechnic University  
The Archbishop of Canterbury  
Aston University  
University of Bath  
Bath Spa University College  
University of Birmingham  
Bolton Institute of Higher Education  
Bournemouth University  
University of Bradford  
University of Brighton  
University of Bristol  
Brunel University  
University of Buckingham  
Buckinghamshire Chilterns University College  
University of Cambridge  
Canterbury Christ Church University College  
University of Central England in Birmingham  
University of Central Lancashire  
University College, Chichester  
City University  
Coventry University  
Cranfield University  
De Montfort University  
University of Derby  
University of Dundee  
University of Durham  
University of East Anglia  
University of East London  
University of Edinburgh

University of Essex  
University of Exeter  
University of Glamorgan (Prifysgol Morgannwg)  
University of Glasgow  
Glasgow Caledonian University  
University of Greenwich  
University of Gloucestershire  
Harper Adams University College  
Henley Management College  
Heriot-Watt University  
University of Hertfordshire  
University of Huddersfield  
University of Hull  
University of Keele  
University of Kent  
Kingston University  
University of Lancaster  
University of Leeds  
Leeds Metropolitan University  
University of Leicester  
University of Lincoln  
University of Liverpool  
Liverpool Hope University College  
Liverpool John Moores University  
University of London  
The London Institute  
London Metropolitan University  
London South Bank University  
Loughborough University  
University of Luton  
University of Manchester  
University of Manchester Institute of Science and Technology  
The Manchester Metropolitan University  
Middlesex University  
Napier University, Edinburgh

University of Newcastle upon Tyne  
University College Northampton  
University of Northumbria at Newcastle  
University of Nottingham  
Nottingham Trent University  
Open University  
University of Oxford  
Oxford Brookes University  
University of Paisley  
University of Plymouth  
University of Portsmouth  
Presbyterian Theological Faculty, Ireland  
Queen Margaret University College, Edinburgh  
The Queen's University of Belfast  
University of Reading  
The Robert Gordon University  
Royal Agricultural College  
Royal College of Art  
Royal College of Music  
The Royal Scottish Academy of Music and Drama, Glasgow  
University of Salford  
University of Sheffield  
Sheffield Hallam University  
University of Southampton  
University of St Andrews  
Staffordshire University  
University of Stirling  
University of Strathclyde  
University of Sunderland  
University of Surrey  
University of Surrey, Roehampton  
The Surrey Institute of Art & Design, University College  
University of Sussex  
University of Teesside  
Thames Valley University

University of Ulster  
University of Wales  
University of Warwick  
University of the West of England, Bristol  
University of Westminster  
University of Wolverhampton  
University College Worcester  
University of York  
Schools, Colleges and Institutes of the University of London permitted by the University to award  
University of London degrees  
Birkbeck College  
Courtauld Institute of Art  
Goldsmiths College  
Heythrop College  
Imperial College of Science, Technology and Medicine  
Institute of Education  
King's College London  
London Business School  
London School of Economics and Political Science  
London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine  
Queen Mary and Westfield College  
Royal Academy of Music  
Royal Holloway and Bedford New College  
Royal Veterinary College  
School of Oriental and African Studies  
School of Pharmacy  
St George's Hospital Medical School  
University College London

## **EXPLANATORY NOTE**

*(This note is not part of the Order)*

This Order lists all those bodies which appear to the Secretary of State to be recognised bodies within section 214(2)(a) or (b) of the Education Reform Act 1988. These are universities, colleges or other bodies which are authorised by Royal Charter or by or under Act of Parliament to grant degrees and other bodies for the time being permitted by these bodies to act on their behalf in the granting of degrees. An award granted by such a body is not an award of a kind referred to in section 214(1), which makes it an offence to grant, offer to grant, or issue any invitation relating to certain unrecognised degrees and awards.

Power to make orders under section 216(1) is devolved to Wales by virtue of the National Assembly for Wales (Transfer of Functions) Order 1999 (SI 1999/672) and to Scotland by virtue of section 53 of the Scotland Act 1998 (c 46).

This Order updates and replaces the list of bodies contained in the Education (Recognised Bodies) Order (England) 2000, which is revoked. It includes a number of institutions which have been authorised to award degrees under section 76 of the Further and Higher Education Act 1992 (c 13), and section 48 of the Further and Higher Education (Scotland) Act (c 37). It also includes a number of schools, colleges and institutes of London University which have been permitted by the University to award University of London degrees.



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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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