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**2015 No. 1688 (W. 220) (C. 99)**

**EDUCATION, WALES**

**The Education (Wales) Act 2014  
(Commencement No. 4) Order 2015**

**EXPLANATORY NOTE**

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

This is the fourth commencement order made by the Welsh Ministers under the Education (Wales) Act 2014 (“the 2014 Act”).

This Order brings into force on 1 January 2016 the following provisions of the 2014 Act—

- (a) section 14 (school teachers and school learning support workers) to the extent it is not already in force;
- (b) section 16 (further education learning support workers); and
- (c) the second and fourth rows of Table 1 in paragraph 1 of Schedule 2 (categories of registration).

**NOTE AS TO EARLIER COMMENCEMENT  
ORDERS**

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

<i>Provision</i>	<i>Date of Commencement</i>	<i>S.I. No.</i>
Section 2 in so far as it relates to Schedule 1	18 August 2014	S.I. 2014/2162 (W. 211) (C. 97)
Section 2 (to the extent necessary for making regulations or orders)	16 January 2015	S.I. 2015/29 (W. 2) (C. 2)
Section 2 (fully)	1 April 2015	S.I. 2015/29 (W. 2) (C. 2)
Sections 3 to 4	1 April 2015	S.I. 2015/29 (W. 2) (C. 2)
Section 5	16 January 2015	S.I. 2015/29

		(W. 2) (C. 2)
Sections 6 to 8	1 April 2015	S.I. 2015/29 (W. 2) (C. 2)
Section 9(1) and (3) (to the extent necessary for making regulations or orders)	16 January 2015	S.I. 2015/29 (W. 2) (C. 2)
Section 9 (fully)	1 April 2015	S.I. 2015/29 (W. 2) (C. 2)
Section 10	16 January 2015	S.I. 2015/29 (W. 2) (C. 2)
Section 11	1 April 2015	S.I. 2015/29 (W. 2) (C. 2)
Sections 12 to 13	16 January 2015	S.I. 2015/29 (W. 2) (C. 2)
Section 14 (in so far as it applies to school teachers)	16 January 2015	S.I. 2015/29 (W. 2) (C. 2)
Section 15	16 January 2015	S.I. 2015/29 (W. 2) (C. 2)
Section 17	16 January 2015	S.I. 2015/29 (W. 2) (C. 2)
Sections 18 and 19 (to the extent necessary for making regulations under section 17)	16 January 2015	S.I. 2015/29 (W. 2) (C. 2)
Sections 18 and 19 (fully)	1 April 2015	S.I. 2015/29 (W. 2) (C. 2)
Section 20	1 April 2015	S.I. 2015/29 (W. 2) (C. 2)
Section 21	16 January 2015	S.I. 2015/29 (W. 2) (C. 2)
Section 22	1 April 2015	S.I. 2015/29 (W. 2) (C. 2)
Section 24 (to the extent necessary for making regulations)	16 January 2015	S.I. 2015/29 (W. 2) (C. 2)
Section 24 (fully)	1 April 2015	S.I. 2015/29 (W. 2) (C. 2)
Sections 25 to 28	16 January 2015	S.I. 2015/29 (W. 2) (C. 2)
Sections 29 to 31 (to the extent necessary for making regulations)	16 January 2015	S.I. 2015/29 (W. 2) (C. 2)
Sections 29 to	1 April 2015	S.I. 2015/29

31 (fully)		(W. 2) (C. 2)
Section 32	1 April 2015	S.I. 2015/29 (W. 2) (C. 2)
Section 33	16 January 2015	S.I. 2015/29 (W. 2) (C. 2)
Section 34	1 April 2015	S.I. 2015/29 (W. 2) (C. 2)
Sections 35 to 37	16 January 2015	S.I. 2015/29 (W. 2) (C. 2)
Sections 38 to 40	1 April 2015	S.I. 2015/29 (W. 2) (C. 2)
Section 41	16 January 2015	S.I. 2015/29 (W. 2) (C. 2)
Section 42	14 July 2014	S.I. 2014/1605 (W. 163) (C. 63)
Section 43	1 September 2014	S.I. 2014/1605 (W. 163) (C. 63)
Section 44	14 July 2014	S.I. 2014/1605 (W. 163) (C. 63)
Section 48 (partially)	14 July 2014	S.I. 2014/1605 (W. 163) (C. 63)
Section 48 (fully)	1 April 2015	S.I. 2015/29 (W. 2) (C. 2)
Paragraphs 3(1), (2), (3), (4)(a) and (5), 4, 5, 6, 7, 9(1), (2) and (3), and 12 of Schedule 1	18 August 2014	S.I. 2014/2162 (W. 211) (C. 97)
Schedule 1 (fully)	1 April 2015	S.I. 2015/29 (W. 2) (C. 2)
The first and third rows of Table 1 in paragraph 1 and paragraph 3 of Schedule 2	16 January 2015	S.I. 2015/29 (W. 2) (C. 2)
Paragraph 2 of Schedule 2	1 April 2015	S.I. 2015/29 (W. 2) (C. 2)
Paragraph 1(1), (2) and (6) of Schedule 3	14 July 2014	S.I. 2014/1605 (W. 163) (C. 63)
Paragraphs 1(1), (2), (4), (5) and (6) and 2 of Schedule 3	1 April 2015	S.I. 2015/29 (W. 2) (C. 2)
Part 2 of Schedule 3 (partially)	1 April 2015	S.I. 2015/29 (W. 2) (C. 2)
Schedule 4	16 January 2015	S.I. 2015/29 (W. 2) (C. 2)

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**The Education (Wales) Act 2014  
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*Made*

*15 September 2015*

The Welsh Ministers, in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by section 50(4) and (5) of the Education (Wales) Act 2014<sup>(1)</sup>, make the following Order:

**Title**

1. The title of this Order is the Education (Wales) Act 2014 (Commencement No. 4) Order 2015.

**Provisions coming into force on 1 January 2016**

2. The appointed day for the following provisions of the Education (Wales) Act 2014 coming into force is 1 January 2016—

- (a) section 14 (school teachers and school learning support workers) to the extent it is not already in force;
- (b) section 16 (further education learning support workers); and
- (c) the second and fourth rows of Table 1 in paragraph 1 of Schedule 2 (categories of registration).

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Minister for Education and Skills, one of the Welsh  
Ministers  
15 September

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