WELSH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2008 No. 509 (W.45)

EDUCATION, WALES

The Education (Assisted Places) (Amendment) (Wales) Regulations 2008

Made - - - -	*26 February 2008*
Laid before the National Assembly for Wales - -	*27 February 2008*
Coming into force - -	*19 March 2008*

The Welsh Ministers, having consulted, in accordance with section 3(7) of the Education (Schools) Act 1997(**1**), such bodies as appear to them to be appropriate and representative of schools which provide assisted places under section 2(1) of that Act, makes the following Regulations in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by section 3(1), (2), (5) and (9) of that Act(**2**):

Title, commencement and application

1.—(1) The title of these Regulations is the Education (Assisted Places) (Amendment) (Wales) Regulations 2008 and they come into force on 19 March 2008.

(2) Regulation 3 applies in relation to Wales in respect of a relevant remission question.

(3) In paragraph (2) above, "relevant remission question" means a remission question under the Education (Assisted Places) Regulations 1997 and which—

(a) arises in respect of a school year beginning on or after 1 September 2007; and

(b) has not been determined at the date on which these Regulations come into force.

Amendment of the Education (Assisted Places) (Amendment) (Wales) Regulations 2006

2. At the end of paragraph (3) of regulation 1 of the Education (Assisted Places) (Amendment) (Wales) Regulations 2006(**3**), there is inserted "provided that the question is not one referred to in paragraph (3) of regulation 1 of the Education (Assisted Places) (Amendment) (Wales) Regulations 2008".

(**1**) 1997 c. 59. Section 3 was amended by section 130 of the School Standards and Framework Act 1998 (c. 31).

(**2**) The functions of the Secretary of State under section 3 were exercisable by the National Assembly for Wales in relation to Wales: *see* article 2 of, and the entry in respect of the Education (Schools) Act 1997 in Schedule 1 to, the National Assembly for Wales (Transfer of Functions) Order 1999 (S.I. 1999/672). The functions subsequently transferred to the Welsh Ministers by virtue of paragraph 30 of Schedule 11 to the Government of Wales Act 2006 (c. 32).

(**3**) S.I. 2006/3097 (W.281).