

QUALIFICATIONS WALES BILL – STAGE 3 GOVERNMENT AMENDMENTS

This table provides information about the amendments tabled in the name of Huw Lewis AM on 29 May 2015.

No.	GOVERNMENT AMENDMENT	GWELLIANT Y LLYWODRAETH	PURPOSE AND EFFECT
1	Section 1, page 1, line 19, after 'about', insert 'priority qualifications and'.	Adran 1, tudalen 1, llinell 20, hepgorer 'cymeradwyo' a mewnosoder 'cymwysterau blaenoriaethol a chymeradwyo'.	<p>The purpose is to reflect the title of Part 4 in the overview (following amendments made at Stage 2).</p> <p>The effect is that the overview is a more detailed reflection.</p>
2	Section 3, page 3, line 25, leave out 'Wales' and insert 'Europe'.	Adran 3, tudalen 3, llinell 23, hepgorer 'yng Nghymru' a mewnosoder 'yn Ewrop'.	<p>The purpose is to signify that, in the context of considering what is appropriate to achieve the principal aims and Qualifications Wales having regard to qualifications indicating a consistent level of attainment with those it considers to be comparable, the comparable qualifications may be awarded in Europe, or elsewhere.</p> <p>The effect is that it is made explicit that Qualifications Wales must have regard to qualifications awarded in Europe in considering what are comparable ones, in the context of considering what is appropriate for the purpose of achieving its principal aims.</p>
3	Section 4, page 4, line 6, after '4 (' , insert 'priority qualifications and'.	Adran 4, tudalen 4, llinell 6, hepgorer 'cymeradwyo' a mewnosoder 'cymwysterau blaenoriaethol a chymeradwyo'.	The purpose is to accurately reflect the title of Part 4 in the reference to that Part in section 4 (following the amendment to the title of Part 4 at Stage 2).

4	Section 8, page 5, line 18, leave out 'criteria that apply only' and insert 'those criteria to the extent that they apply'.	Adran 8, tudalen 5, llinell 18, hepgorer 'meini prawf nad ydynt ond' a mewnosoder 'y meini prawf hynny i'r graddau maent'.	<p>The purpose is that, if a body has applied for general recognition with an exclusion for one or more qualifications under 8(2), references to the general recognition criteria in subsections (3) to (5), do not include the criteria to the extent that they apply in respect of the qualification(s) excluded.</p> <p>The effect is that where an awarding body has applied for general recognition, Qualifications Wales, in exercising its functions under subsections (3) to (5), may not take into account the awarding body's failure (if any) to comply with the general recognition criteria to the extent that the criteria apply to any qualifications for which the awarding body has specified that it does not wish to be recognised. As a result, if any such failure is only in respect of the specified qualifications, then Qualifications Wales must recognise the awarding body under section 8(3). If any failure goes beyond that, then, Qualifications Wales in considering whether to recognise the body under its discretion in subsection (4) and in doing so, taking account of the matters in subsection (5), should not consider the failure to the extent that it relates to the specified qualification(s).</p>
5	Section 8, page 5, line 20, after 'recognised', insert 'under this section'.	Adran 8, tudalen 5, llinell 21, ar ôl 'gydnabod', mewnosoder 'o dan yr adran hon'.	The purpose is to clarify that the reference to an awarding body being recognised, is to it being recognised "under this section" i.e. general recognition (rather than specific recognition under section 9).

6	<p>Section 8, page 5, line 22, after '(2)', insert 'or a qualification or description of qualification in respect of the award of which recognition under this section has been surrendered or withdrawn,'.</p>	<p>Adran 8, tudalen 5, llinell 22, ar ôl '(2)', mewnosoder 'neu gymhwyster neu ddisgrifiad o gymhwyster y mae cydnabyddiaeth o dan yr adran hon wedi ei hildio neu wedi ei thynnu'n ôl mewn cysylltiad â'i ddyfarnu,'.</p>	<p>The purpose is to include qualifications (specified ones, or descriptions of qualification) for which general recognition has either been surrendered by the awarding body or withdrawn by Qualifications Wales amongst those for which a recognised awarding body may apply to be generally recognised under section 8(7).</p> <p>Under section 8(7) awarding bodies can apply for their general recognition to cover qualifications which it did not want to be recognised for.</p> <p>The effect of this amendment is that recognised awarding bodies may also apply to Qualifications Wales for general recognition in respect of qualifications for which general recognition has previously been surrendered or withdrawn.</p>
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7	Section 8, page 5, line 24, leave out '(3)' and insert '(2)'.	Adran 8, tudalen 5, llinell 25, hepgorer '(3)' a mewnosoder '(2)'.	<p>The purpose of this amendment is to include subsection (2) within the sections which apply for the purposes of an application under subsection (7) to be recognised generally in respect of a qualification which the general recognition does not cover.</p> <p>The effect is that when an awarding body is applying to Qualifications Wales for its general recognition to cover a qualification it had previously excluded from its recognition, Qualifications Wales must apply the process outlined in subsection (2) to (6). This means that in its new application, the awarding body can specify certain qualifications that it wants excluded from recognition.</p>
8	Section 8, page 5, line 28, after 'those', insert 'qualifications'.	Adran 8, tudalen 5, llinell 29, hepgorer 'rheini' a mewnosoder 'cymwysterau hynny'.	<p>This removes a possible ambiguity in relation to the meaning of the word 'those' and makes the drafting consistent with that in paragraph (b).</p> <p>The effect is that it is clear that 'those', in section 8(9) refers to qualifications.</p>

9	<p>Section 8, page 5, after line 30, insert—</p> <p>(c) any qualification or description of qualification in respect of the award of which recognition under this section has ceased to have effect by virtue of being surrendered or withdrawn. ’</p>	<p>Adran 8, tudalen 5, ar ôl llinell 32, mewnosoder—</p> <p>(c) unrhyw gymhwyster neu ddisgrifiad o gymhwyster y mae cydnabyddiaeth o dan yr adran hon wedi peidio â chael effaith mewn cysylltiad a'i ddyfarnu yn rhinwedd cael ei hildio neu ei thynnu'n ôl.’</p>	<p>The purpose is to clarify that where recognition of an awarding body has been surrendered or withdrawn in respect of some qualifications within general recognition, general recognition (under section 8) does not continue to apply in respect of those qualifications.</p> <p>The effect is that it is clarified that the surrender or withdrawal of recognition in respect of specified qualifications (or descriptions of qualifications) within general recognition removes the awarding body's general recognition for those qualifications (or descriptions of qualifications) only. The awarding body's general recognition is otherwise unaffected and remains in place for other qualifications.</p>
10	<p>Section 10, page 6, line 17, leave out 'may' and insert 'must'.</p>	<p>Adran 10, tudalen 6, llinell 20, hepgorer 'Caiff Cymwysterau' a mewnosoder 'Rhaid i Gymwysterau'.</p>	<p>The purpose is to require Qualifications Wales to make rules about the making of applications to it for recognition under Part 3 of the Bill.</p> <p>The effect is that Qualifications Wales's discretion is removed and replaced with a requirement to make such rules.</p>
11	<p>Section 10, page 6, line 24, leave out 'Any' and insert 'The'.</p>	<p>Adran 10, tudalen 6, llinell 27, hepgorer 'gyhoeddi unrhyw reolau' a mewnosoder 'gyhoeddi'r rheolau'.</p>	<p>This amendment is linked to amendment 10 and reflects that rules about the making of applications for recognition must be made.</p> <p>The effect is that the rules must be published.</p>

12	<p>Section 22, page 11, line 32, leave out 'is subject to any conditions that Qualifications Wales imposes.</p> <p>(2) The conditions may be imposed by Qualifications Wales', and insert—</p> <p>—</p> <p>(a) must be subject to a condition within subsection (<i>first subsection to be inserted by amendment 13</i>), and</p> <p>(b) is to be subject to any other conditions Qualifications Wales may impose'.</p>	<p>Adran 22, tudalen 11, llinell 33, hepgorer 'Mae cymeradwyo ffurf ar gymhwyster yn ddarostyngedig i unrhyw amodau y mae Cymwysterau Cymru yn eu gosod.</p> <p>(2) Caiff Cymwysterau Cymru osod yr amodau', a mewnosoder—</p> <p>'O ran cymeradwyo ffurf ar gymhwyster —</p> <p>(a) rhaid iddo fod yn ddarostyngedig i amod o fewn is-adran (<i>is-adran gyntaf i'w mewnosod gan welliant 13</i>), a</p> <p>(b) mae i fod yn ddarostyngedig i unrhyw amodau eraill y caiff Cymwysterau Cymru eu gosod '.</p>	<p>The purpose of this amendment is to require Qualifications Wales to include a specific condition (detailed in amendment 13) in its conditions of approval.</p> <p>The effect is that Qualifications Wales must include such a condition at the point of approving form of qualification. The detail and effect of the condition is described within subsection (2) which is added by amendment 13.</p>
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13	<p>Section 22, page 11, after line 35, insert—</p> <p>() A condition within this subsection is a condition requiring a form of a qualification that is to be awarded as an approved qualification to be identified by an approval number.</p> <p>() An approval number is a number (with or without letters or symbols) allocated to a qualification by Qualifications Wales.</p> <p>() A form of a qualification is awarded as an approved qualification only if it is awarded with its approval number in accordance with the condition mentioned within subsection (<i>first subsection to be inserted by this amendment</i>).’.</p>	<p>Adran 22, tudalen 11, ar ôl llinell 36, mewnosoder—</p> <p>() Mae amod o fewn yr is-adran hon yn amod sy'n ei gwneud yn ofynnol i ffurf ar gymhwyster sydd i'w dyfarnu fel cymhwyster a gymeradwywyd gael ei nodi â rhif cymeradwyo.</p> <p>() Mae rhif cymeradwyo yn rhif (gyda neu heb lythrennau neu symbolau) sydd wedi ei ddyrannu i gymhwyster gan Gymwysterau Cymru.</p> <p>() Dim ond os yw ffurf ar gymhwyster wedi ei ddyfarnu â'i rhif cymeradwyo yn unol a'r amod a grybwyllir o fewn is-adran (<i>is-adran gyntaf i'w mewnosod gan y gwellinat hwn</i>) y'i dyfernir fel cymhwyster a gymeradwywyd.’.</p>	<p>The purpose is to describe the condition that Qualifications Wales must impose when approving a form of qualification under Part 4 and to which the approval is subject under section 22(1) (as it would be amended by amendment 12).</p> <p>The effect of this amendment is that a form of qualification that has been approved by Qualifications Wales is uniquely identified so that it may be distinguished from other forms of qualification [(which may be regulated by Qualifications Wales through conditions of recognition and/or by Ofqual)] which are not awarded as approved by Qualifications Wales. The qualification will be identified by an approval number which Qualifications Wales allocates to the qualification. Only a form of qualification that is awarded with this approval number (and which is awarded in Wales) will be an approved qualification and regulated as one by Qualifications Wales.</p>
14	<p>Section 22, page 12, line 1, after ‘conditions’, insert ‘that may be imposed by Qualifications Wales’.</p>	<p>Adran 22, tudalen 12, llinell 1, ar ol ‘amodau’, mewnosoder ‘y caiff Cymwysterau Cymru eu gosod’.</p>	<p>This amendment is linked to amendments 12 and 13.</p> <p>The effect is to clarify that the conditions referred to in 22(3) are those which can be imposed by Qualifications Wales under section 22(1) as amended.</p>

15	Section 24, page 12, line 24, leave out 'may' and insert 'must'.	Adran 24, tudalen 12, llinell 26, hepgorer 'Caiff Cymwysterau' a mewnosoder 'Rhaid iGymwyssterau'.	<p>The purpose is to require Qualifications Wales to make rules about the making of applications to it for approval under Part 4 of the Bill.</p> <p>The effect is that Qualifications Wales's discretion is removed and replaced with a requirement to make such rules.</p>
16	Section 24, page 12, after line 25, insert— '() The rules may make different provision for different purposes.'	Adran 24, tudalen 12, ar ôl llinell 27, mewnosoder— '() Caiff y rheolau wneud darpariaeth wahanol at ddibenion gwahanol.'	<p>The purpose is to permit Qualifications Wales's rules to make different provision for different purposes, and to make this section consistent with section 10 rules about applications for recognition.</p> <p>The effect is that Qualifications Wales may make rules which make different provision for different purposes. For example, there may be specific rules about applications for the approval of restricted priority qualifications which are different to those for non-restricted qualifications.</p>
17	Section 24, page 12, line 30, leave out 'Any' and insert 'The'.	Adran 24, tudalen 12, llinell 32, hepgorer 'gyhoeddi unrhyw reolau' a mewnosoder 'gyhoeddi'r rheolau'.	<p>This amendment is linked to amendment 16 and reflects that rules about the making of applications for approval must be made.</p> <p>The effect is that the rules must be published.</p>

18	<p>Page 17, after line 21, insert a new section—</p> <p>‘[] Rules about applications for designation</p> <p>(1) Qualifications Wales must make rules about the making of applications to it under section 29.</p> <p>(2) The rules may make different provision for different purposes.</p> <p>(3) The rules may make provision about—</p> <p>(a) the form and contents of applications;</p> <p>(b) the way in which applications are to be made (including as to any fee payable in respect of an application).</p> <p>(4) The rules made under this section must be published by Qualifications Wales.’</p>	<p>Tudalen 17, ar ôl llinell 22, i fewnosod adran newydd—</p> <p>‘[] Rheolau ynghylch ceisiadau am ddynodiad</p> <p>(1) Rhaid i Gymwysterau Cymru wneud rheolau ynghylch gwneud ceisiadau iddo o dan adran 29.</p> <p>(2) Caiff y rheolau wneud darpariaeth wahanol at ddibenion gwahanol.</p> <p>(3) Caiff y rheolau wneud darpariaeth ynghylch—</p> <p>(a) ffurf a chynnwys ceisiadau;</p> <p>(b) y ffordd y mae ceisiadau i gael eu gwneud (gan gynnwys o ran unrhyw ffi sy’n daladwy mewn cysylltiad ô chais).</p> <p>(4) Rhaid i Gymwysterau Cymru gyhoeddi’r rheolau a wneir o dan yr adran hon.’</p>	<p>The purpose is to require Qualifications Wales to make and publish rules about the making of applications to it for designation under Part 5 of the Bill. The new section is similar to the equivalent duties in respect of rules about applications for recognition and approval (sections 10 and 24 refer), as they would be amended by amendments 10, 11, 15 - 17.</p> <p>The effect is that Qualifications Wales must make and publish rules about the making of applications for qualifications to be designated under section 29 of the Bill., and so applications for designation are treated consistently with applications for recognition and approval, in that Qualifications Wales must make rules about them. The rules may cover the matters set out in subsections (2) and (3) of this amendment and subsection (4) requires them to be published.</p>
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19	<p>Section 33, page 18, line 3, leave out 'pursuant to the approval of that form of qualification under Part 4 for award in Wales' and insert 'as an approved qualification'.</p>	<p>Adran 33, tudalen 18, llinell 3, hepgorer 'yn unol â chymeradwyaeth i'r ffurf honno ar y cymhwyster o dan Ran 4 at ddiben ei dyfarnu yng Nghymru' a mewnosoder 'fel cymhwyster a gymeradwywyd'.</p>	<p>This amendment is linked to amendments 12, 13 and 35. The purpose is to make clear when a qualification (which has been approved) is awarded as an approved qualification (and therefore its award is regulated by Qualifications Wales as such). The amendment replaces the reference to the qualification being awarded "pursuant to the approval" of it under Part 4 with it being awarded "as an approved qualification", which as a result of amendments 12, 13 and 35 is defined as being when the qualification is awarded with its approval number in accordance with the condition requiring its identification by that number.</p> <p>The effect (with those other amendments) is that publicly funded courses for under 19 year olds may lead to qualifications awarded as approved, (which is that the qualification has an approval number applied to it by Qualifications Wales in a condition of approval and which is awarded to learners under that number in accordance with the condition).</p>
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20	Section 33, page 18, line 20, leave out 'learning difficulties' and insert 'a learning difficulty'.	Adran 33, tudalen 18, llinell 21, hepgorer 'anawsterau' a mewnosoder 'anhawster'.	<p>The purpose is to provide consistency with the reference to 'a learning difficulty' in section 56 (general interpretation and index of defined expressions) and to avoid any suggestion that a learner must have more than one learning difficulty for this exception (to the restriction on certain publicly funded courses) to apply.</p> <p>The effect is that the Bill's funding restrictions at section 33 do not apply to a learner with a learning difficulty.</p>
21	Section 34, page 19, line 7, leave out 'pursuant to its approval under Part 4' and insert 'awarded as an approved qualification'.	Adran 34, tudalen 19, llinell 8, hepgorer 'yn unol â chymeradwyaeth iddi o dan Ran 4' amewnosoder 'sydd wedi ei dyfarnu fel cymhwyster a gymeradwywyd'.	<p>This amendment is linked to amendments 12, 13 and 35 and its purpose, like that of amendment 19, is to make clear when a qualification (which has been approved) is awarded as approved (and so regulated by Qualifications Wales as such). This is done by replacing the removed words with a reference to the qualification being awarded "as an approved one", which due to amendments 12, 13 and 35 is defined as being when the qualification is awarded with its approval number in accordance with the condition requiring its identification by that number.</p> <p>The effect is that the restriction on the application of conditions of recognition imposed by Ofqual relates to qualifications that have been awarded as approved (as defined by subsection (4) of section 22 as introduced by amendment 13).</p>

22	Section 34, page 19, line 9, after 'not', insert 'awarded as'.	Adran 34, tudalen 19, llinell 10, hepgorer 'yw'n gymhwyster' a mewnosoder 'yw wedi ei dyfarnu fel cymhwyster'.	<p>This amendment is linked to amendment s 12, 13 and 21.</p> <p>The effect is that the disapplication of Ofqual's conditions of recognition by section 34 does not affect the application of those conditions in respect of qualifications which are not awarded as approved (which is defined by subsection (4) of section 22 as introduced by amendment 13).</p>
23	Section 34, page 19, line 16, leave out 'pursuant to its approval under Part 4 of that Act' and insert 'awarded as an approved qualification (for which see section 22(<i>third subsection to be inserted by amendment 13</i>) of that Act)'.	Adran 34, tudalen 19, llinell 17, hepgorer 'pursuant to its approval under Part 4 of that Act' a mewnosoder 'awarded as an approved qualification (for which see section 22(<i>trydydd is-adran i'w mewnosod gan gwelliant 13</i>) of that Act)'.	<p>This amendment is linked to amendment s 12 and 13, 21, 22 and 35.</p> <p>The effect is that the subsection to be inserted into the Apprenticeship, Skills, Children and Learning Act 2009 which cross-references section 34, reflects that section as it would be amended by amendments 21 and 22.</p>
24	Section 40, page 22, line 32, leave out 'a recognised' and insert 'an awarding'.	Adran 40, tudalen 22, llinell 30, hepgorer 'cydnabyddedig' a mewnosoder 'dyfarnu'.	<p>The purpose is to ensure consistency of terminology in this subsection with subsection (1), which refers to 'awarding body' rather than 'recognised body'.</p> <p>The effect of the section is that an awarding body need not be recognised at the time Qualifications Wales gives it a notice requiring it to pay costs. This means that a body whose recognition has been withdrawn or surrendered can still be required to pay costs under section 40 in respect of a sanction imposed upon it.</p>

25	Section 46, page 26, line 13, after '4 (' , insert 'priority qualifications and'.	Adran 46, tudalen 26, llinell 13, hepgorer 'cymeradwyo' a mewnosoder 'cymwysteraublaenoriaethol a chymeradwyo'.	The purpose is to ensure consistency with the title of Part 4 of the Bill where it is referenced in section 46, following its amendment of the title at Stage 2.
26	Section 46, page 26, after line 15, insert— '() section 44 (provision of services etc by Qualifications Wales);'.	Adran 46, tudalen 26, ar ôl llinell 15, mewnosoder— '() adran 44 (darparu gwasanaethau etc gan Gymwysterau Cymru);'.	The purpose is to require Qualifications Wales to prepare a statement of its policy with respect to its provision of services under section 44 of the Bill. The effect is that Qualifications Wales must set out and publish its policy with respect to the provision of services under section 44.
27	Section 48, page 27, line 36, after '4 (' , insert 'priority qualifications and'.	Adran 48, tudalen 27, llinell 36, hepgorer 'cymeradwyo' a mewnosoder 'cymwysteraublaenoriaethol a chymeradwyo'.	The purpose is to ensure consistency with the title of Part 4 of the Bill where it is referenced in section 48, following amendment of the title at Stage 2.

28	Section 48, page 28, line 1, leave out 'and (b) (review of recognised bodies and of approved qualifications)' and insert 'to (c) (review of approved qualifications, designated qualifications and recognised bodies)'.	Adran 48, tudalen 28, llinell 1, hepgorer 'a (b) (adolygu cyrff cydnabyddedig a chymwysterau a gymeradwywyd)' a mewnosoder 'i (c) (adolygu cymwysterau a gymeradwywyd, cymwysterau sydd wedi eu dynodi a chyrrff cydnabyddedig)'.	<p>The purpose is to ensure that Qualifications Wales may charge fees to awarding bodies for the matters it may review under section 45(1)(a) to (c) of the Bill. Power to review the award of forms of qualification designated by Qualifications Wales was added to the Bill at Stage 2. The purpose is to enable Qualifications Wales to charge for such reviews, as well as review of the award of approved qualifications and reviews of recognised bodies.</p> <p>The effect is that Qualifications Wales may charge fees for the review of the award of designated qualifications in accordance with a scheme approved by the Welsh Ministers.</p>
29	Section 48, page 28, line 6, after 'prepared', insert 'and published'.	Adran 48, tudalen 28, llinell 5, ar ol 'luniwyd', mewnosoder 'ac a gyhoeddwyd'.	<p>The purpose is to require Qualifications Wales to publish any scheme of fees that has been approved by the Welsh Ministers.</p> <p>The effect is that Qualifications Wales can only charge fees in respect of the functions listed in section 48(1) in accordance with the published scheme.</p>
30	Section 53, page 28, line 34, after '4 (' , insert 'priority qualifications and'.	Adran 53, tudalen 28, llinell 35, hepgorer 'cymeradwyo' a mewnosoder 'cymwysterau blaenoriaethol a chymeradwyo'.	The purpose is to ensure consistency with the title of Part 4 of the Bill where it is referenced in section 46, following amendment of the title at Stage 2.

31	Section 53, page 29, line 1, leave out 'and (b) (review of recognised bodies and of approved qualifications)' and insert 'to (c) (review of approved qualifications, designated qualifications and recognised bodies)'.	Adran 53, tudalen 29, llinell 1, hepgorer 'a (b) (adolygu cyrff cydnabyddedig a chymwysterau a gymeradwywyd)' a mewnosoder 'i (c) (adolygu cymwysterau a gymeradwywyd, cymwysterau sydd wedi eu dynodi a chyrff cydnabyddedig)'.	<p>The purpose is to ensure that, when Qualifications Wales is reviewing the matters under section 45(1)(a) to (c) (as amended at stage 2), it must have regard to the principles set out in section 55(2).</p> <p>The effect is that Qualifications Wales must have regard to the principles at section 55(2) when reviewing the award of designated qualifications, (as well as when reviewing the award of approved qualifications and the activities of a recognised body)</p>
32	Section 54, page 29, after line 13, insert— '(c) includes power to make supplemental, incidental, consequential, transitional, transitory or saving provision.'	Adran 54, tudalen 29, ar ol llinell 14, mewnosoder— '(c) yn cynnwys pŵer i wneud darpariaeth atodol, darpariaeth gysylltiedig, darpariaeth ganlyniadol, darpariaeth drosiannol, darpariaeth ddarfodol neu ddarpariaeth arbed.'	<p>The purpose is to include within the regulation making powers under the Bill, power to make supplemental, incidental, consequential, transitional, transitory or saving provision.</p> <p>The effect is that regulations made under the Bill may make such provision.</p>

33	Section 55, page 29, line 24, after 'qualification' at the first place where it appears, insert ' , except sofar as a contrary intention appears,'.	Adran 55, tudalen 29, llinell 27, ar ôl 'gymhwyster' yn y lle cyntaf y mae'n ymddangos, mewnosoder ' , ac eithrio i'r graddau yr ymddengys bwriad i'r gwrthwyneb,'.	<p>The purpose is to allow for 'a qualification' to have an alternative meaning in the Bill other than that outlined in section 55.</p> <p>The effect is that the interpretation of the phrase 'a qualification' as given in section 55 (1) applies throughout the Bill unless a contrary interpretation appears. A contrary intention appears in section 3(2)(f): a "comparable qualification" could be one that is awarded in Wales or outside of Wales. In this instance a comparable qualification need not be one where there are, or may reasonably be expected to be persons seeking the qualification who are, will be or may reasonably be expected to be assessed in respect of it wholly or mainly in Wales.</p>
34	Section 56, page 30, line 13, after '4 (' , insert 'priority qualifications and'.	Adran 56, tudalen 30, llinell 30, hepgorer 'cymeradwyo' a mewnosoder 'cymhwysteraublaenoriaethol a chymeradwyo'.	The purpose is to ensure consistency with the title of Part 4 of the Bill where it is referenced in section 46, following amendment of the title at Stage 2.
35	Section 56, page 31, after line 32, insert— (8) References in this Act to the award of a form of qualification as an approved qualification are to be construed in accordance with section 22(<i>third subsetction to be inserted by amendment 13</i>).	Adran 56, tudalen 31, ar ôl llinell 37, mewnosoder— (8) Mae cyfeiriadau yn y Ddeddf hon at ddyfarnu ffurf ar gymhwyster fel cymhwyster a gymeradwywyd i'w dehongli yn unol ag adran 22(<i>trydydd is-adran i'w mewnosod gan gwelliant 13</i>).	<p>This amendment is linked to amendments [12] and [13] and [19, 21 - 23].</p> <p>The effect is that, for the purpose of interpretation throughout the Bill, a form of a qualification is awarded as an approved qualification if awarded in conformity with section 22(4) as introduced by amendment [13].</p>

36	Schedule 1, page 37, after line 25, insert— (1) The Welsh Ministers must publish any terms and conditions to which grants made under sub-paragraph (1) are subject.’	Atodlen 1, tudalen 37, ar ôl llinell 28, mewnosoder— (1) Rhaid i Weinidogion Cymru gyhoeddi unrhyw delerau ac amodau y mae grantiau a wneir o dan is-baragraff (1) yn ddarostyngedig iddynt.’	The purpose is to require the Welsh Ministers to publish the terms and conditions to which grants made to Qualifications Wales are subject. The effect is that the Welsh Ministers must publish any terms and conditions of grants made by them to Qualifications Wales under paragraph 31 of Schedule 1.
37	Schedule 3, page 43, line 33, leave out ‘variation’ and insert ‘revision’.	Atodlen 3, tudalen 43, llinell 34, hepgorer ‘amrywio’ a mewnosoder ‘diwygio’.	The purpose is to ensure that the terminology is consistent with paragraph 11 which is referenced in paragraph 5(4).
38	Schedule 4, page 52, after line 8, insert— () in subsection (2)(e) omit “or 99”;	Atodlen 4, tudalen 52, ar ôl llinell 8, mewnosoder— () yn is-adran (2)(e) hepgorer “or 99”;	The purpose is to ensure that the Education Act 1996 is amended to reflect the provisions of the Bill. The effect is that the reference to section 99 of the Learning and Skills Act 2000 in section 408(2)(e) of the Education Act 1996 is omitted. Section 99 of the 2000 Act is repealed by paragraph 3(5) of Schedule 4 to the Bill as the funding provisions of the Bill at section 33 are to apply instead.

39	<p>Schedule 4, page 54, after line 4, insert—</p> <p>() In section 253A(6) in the definition of “relevant qualification”, for “by section 30(5) of the Education Act 1997” substitute “to “qualification” by section 55 of the Qualifications Wales Act 2015”.</p>	<p>Atodlen 4, tudalen 54, ar ôl llinell 4, mewnosoder—</p> <p>() Yn adran 253A(6) yn y diffiniad o “relevant qualification”, yn lle “by section 30(5) of the Education Act 1997” rhodder “to “qualification” by section 55 of the Qualifications Wales Act 2015”.</p>	<p>The purpose is to ensure that section 253A of the Apprenticeship, Skills, Children and Learning Act 2009 (ASCL Act) is amended to reflect the change in regulation of qualifications, as provided for in the Bill.</p> <p>The effect is that the reference in section 253A of the ASCL Act to the Education Act 1997 (for the purposes of the definition, in that section, of “relevant qualification”) refers instead to the meaning of qualification in the Bill</p>
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40	<p>Schedule 4, page 54, after line 8, insert— <i>'Counter-Terrorism and Security Act 2015 (c.6)</i></p> <p>11 (1) The Counter-Terrorism and Security Act 2015 is amended as follows.</p> <p>(2) In section 32, in subsection (1), in the definition of “relevant further education body”, for the words from “Regulation” to the end of paragraph (b) substitute “, or to qualifications awarded by bodies in respect of the award of which they are recognised by Qualifications Wales under Part 3 of the Qualifications Wales Act 2015;”.</p> <p>(3) In Schedule 6, under the heading “Education, child care etc”, in the last entry (relating to the governing body or proprietor of an institution not otherwise listed), for the words from “Regulation” to the end of paragraph (a) substitute “, or to qualifications awarded by bodies in respect of the award of which they are recognised by Qualifications Wales under Part 3 of the Qualifications Wales Act 2015;”.</p> <p>(4) In Schedule 7, under the heading “Education, child care etc”, in the last entry (relating to the governing body or proprietor of an institution not otherwise listed), for the words from “Regulation” to the end of paragraph (a) substitute “, or to qualifications awarded by bodies in respect of the award of which they are recognised by Qualifications Wales under Part 3 of the Qualifications Wales Act 2015;”.</p>	<p>Atodlen 4, tudalen 54, ar ôl llinell 8, mewnosoder— <i>'Deddf Gwrthderfysgaeth a Diogelwch 2015 (p.6)</i></p> <p>11 (1) Mae Deddf Gwrthderfysgaeth a Diogelwch 2015 wedi ei diwygio fel a ganlyn.</p> <p>(2) Yn adran 32, yn is-adran (1), yn y diffiniad o “relevant further education body”, yn lle'r geiriau o “Regulation” hyd at ddiwedd paragraff (b) rhodder “, or to qualifications awarded by bodies in respect of the award of which they are recognised by Qualifications Wales under Part 3 of the Qualifications Wales Act 2015;”.</p> <p>(3) Yn Atodlen 6, o dan y pennawd “Education, child care etc”, yn y cofnod olaf (sy'n ymwneud â chorff llywodraethu neu berchennog sefydliad nas rhestrir fel arall), yn lle'r geiriau o “Regulation” hyd at ddiwedd paragraff (a) rhodder “, or to qualifications awarded by bodies in respect of the award of which they are recognised by Qualifications Wales under Part 3 of the Qualifications Wales Act 2015;”.</p> <p>(4) Yn Atodlen 7, o dan y pennawd “Education, child care etc”, yn y cofnod olaf (sy'n ymwneud a chorff llywodraethu neu berchennog sefydliad nas rhestrir fel arall), yn lle'r geiriau o “Regulation” hyd at ddiwedd paragraff (a) rhodder “, or to qualifications awarded by bodies in respect of the award of which they are recognised by Qualifications Wales under Part 3 of the Qualifications Wales Act 2015;”.</p>	<p>The purpose is to amend the Counter-Terrorism and Security Act 2015 (c.6) to reflect the change to the way qualifications are regulated, which is provided for in the Bill. Part 5 of the 2015 Act (on risk of being drawn into terrorism etc) and associated schedules contain references to an institution at which more than 250 students are undertaking courses in preparation for examinations related to qualifications regulated by the Office of Qualifications and Examinations Regulation or the Welsh Government.</p> <p>The effect is of these amendments is to replace those references to qualifications <i>regulated by the Welsh Government</i> with references to qualifications awarded by bodies in respect of the award of which they are recognised by Qualifications Wales under Part 3 of the Act.</p>
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