

**At the Office of the Lord Privy Seal
At the Office of the Lord Chancellor
At the Office of the Lord High Treasurer
At the Office of the Lord High Chancellor
At the Office of the Lord High Commissioner
At the Office of the Lord High Commissioner for Ireland
At the Office of the Lord High Commissioner for Scotland
At the Office of the Lord High Commissioner for Wales
At the Office of the Lord High Commissioner for Northern Ireland
At the Office of the Lord High Commissioner for the Isle of Man**

THE 16th DAY OF FEBRUARY 1993

BY THE LORDS OF HER MAJESTY'S MOST HONOURABLE
PRIVY COUNCIL

WHEREAS section 124A(3) and (4) of the Education Reform Act 1988(a) (hereinafter referred to as "the Act") provide that the Privy Council may by Order make an instrument of government concerning any higher education corporation with respect to which Schedule 7 to the Act has effect and that the said instrument of government shall comply with the requirements of Schedule 7 to the Act and may include any provision authorised to be made by the said Schedule 7 and such other provisions may be made by or in relation thereto;

AND WHEREAS the University of Humberside higher education corporation is a further education corporation with respect to which the said Schedule 7 has been made;

NOW, THEREFORE, the Privy Council doth hereby ordain that the said powers conferred on the Board of Governors under section 124A(3) are to be used, after the day on which this Order is made, to make an instrument of government for the University of Humberside higher education corporation as set out in the Schedule to this Order, which shall come into force forthwith.

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INSTRUMENT OF GOVERNMENT REFERRED TO IN THE FOREGOING ORDER

1. INTERPRETATION

- (1) In this Instrument, the following words and expression shall have the meanings indicated in this paragraph—
"the Act" means the Education Reform Act 1988(b);
"the Corporation" means the University of Humberside higher education corporation;

"the Board of Governors" means the members of the Corporation;

(a) 1988 c.40; section 124A was inserted by section 71 of the Further and Higher Education Act 1992 (c.13).

“the University” means the University of Humberston conducted by the Corporation;

“the Principal” means the Vice-Chancellor of the University;

“the Academic Board” means the Academic Board of the University constituted in accordance with the Articles;

“the Instrument” means the Instrument of Government of the Corporation;

“the Articles” means the Articles of Government in accordance with which the University is conducted;

“the Clerk” means the person appointed to the office of the Clerk to the Board of Governors under the Articles;

“the Secretary of State” means the Secretary of State for Education; and

“the Corporation” means the Corporation unless otherwise specified;

(2) In this instrument, in relation to the Board of Governors, every reference to any category of members is a reference to which the number applicable in accordance with the law is subject to variation.

2. NAME AND SEAL OF THE CORPORATION

(1) The Corporation may, by resolution, change the name of the Corporation, with the consent of the Privy Council.

3. MEMBERSHIP OF THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS

(1) The Board of Governors shall consist of—

(a) not less than twelve and not more than twenty-four members appointed in accordance with the following provisions; and

(b) the Principal, unless he chooses not to be a member.

(2) Of the appointed members—

(a) up to three shall be independent members;

(b) up to two may be teachers at the University nominated by the Academic Board and up to two may be students of the University nominated by the students thereof; and

(c) at least one and no more than nine shall be co-opted members nominated by the members of the Board of Governors who are not elected members.

(3) Independent members shall be persons appearing to the appointing authority to have experience and to have shown capacity in industrial, commercial or employment matters or the practice of any profession.

(4) The co-opted member required by paragraph (2)(c) above shall be a person who has experience by virtue of provision of education in

- (5) A person (other than a person appointed in pursuance of sub-paragraph 3(2)(a) above) who is—
- employed at the University (whether or not as a teacher);
 - a full-time student at the University; or
 - a elected member of any local authority,
- is not eligible for appointment as a member of the Board of Governors otherwise than as a co-opted member.
- (6) For the purposes of this paragraph, a person who is not for the time being enrolled as a student at the University shall be treated as such a student during any period when he has been granted leave of absence from the University for the purposes of study or travel or for carrying out the duties of any office held by him in the Students' Union at the University.
- (7) The Board of Governors shall have the power to determine whether any person is qualified in accordance with the provisions of this paragraph for appointment as a member of the Board of Governors of any description or category.
4. **TERMINATION OF MEMBERSHIP NUMBER**
- (1) The Board of Governors shall make a determination with respect to the termination of the membership number of each member of the Board of Governors on all the circumstances of the termination of the membership number of each member of the Board of Governors, in accordance with the determination of the number of members of each value in each category of which the Board of Governors is to consist, subject to the limits applicable in relation to that category in accordance with paragraph 3(2) above.
- (2) In making such a determination, the Board of Governors shall secure that at least half of all the members of the Board of Governors, when chosen in accordance with the determination, will be independent members.
- (3) Such a determination shall not have effect so as to terminate the membership of any person who is a member of the Board of Governors at the time when it takes effect.
- (4) Such a determination may be varied by a subsequent determination.
5. **APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS NUMBER**
- (1) The Board of Governors shall appoint members of the Board of Governors in accordance with the provisions of section 1240 of the Act, the appointment of members of the Board of Governors may be made before the first meeting of the Board of Governors in accordance with paragraph 4(1) above takes effect.
- (2) The Board of Governors is the appointing authority in relation to the appointment of any member of the Board of Governors other than an independent member.

- (2) A member of the Board of Governors may at any time by notice in writing to the Clerk resign his office, which will thereupon become vacant from the date of receipt of the notice or date of resignation specified herein whichever shall be the later.
- (3) If at any time the Board of Governors are satisfied that any member of the Board of Governors—
(a) has been absent from meetings of the Board of Governors for a period of twelve months without the permission of the Board of Governors; or
(b) is unable or unfit to discharge the functions of a member, the Board of Governors may by notice in writing to that member remove him from office; and thereupon the office shall become vacant.
- (4) Where a member of the Board of Governors appointed as an Academic Board nominee, a student nominee, or a member of staff or student appointed as a co-opted member of the Board of Governors, ceases to be the said member his period of office to be a member of staff or student of the University, as the case may be his office shall stand vacant.
7. OFFICERS
The Board of Governors shall appoint from among their members a Chairman and any other officers which the said may determine.
8. COMMITTEES
The Board of Governors may establish committees and permit such committees to include persons who are not members of the Board of Governors.
9. ALLOWANCES
(1) The Board of Governors shall determine any allowances to be paid to members of the Board of Governors.
10. SEAL OF THE CORPORATION
(1) The application of the seal of the Corporation shall be authenticated by the signature of the Chairman of the Board of Governors or some member of the Board of Governors generally or specially by the Board of Governors convened for the purpose together with that of any other member of the Board of Governors.
- (2) The Corporation Seal shall be held under secure arrangements by the Clerk.
11. COPIES OF INSTRUMENT OF GOVERNMENT
(1) Copies of the Instrument of Government shall be provided to each member of the Board of Governors.



At the 26th Council Chamber, Whitehall

THE 26th DAY OF JANUARY, 1996

BY THE LORDS OF HER MAJESTY'S MOST HONOURABLE
PRIVY COUNCIL

WHEREAS, in accordance with section 124A(3) of the Education Reform Act 1988 (a) (hereinafter referred to as "the Act") the Privy Council by Order dated 16th February 1992 made an instrument of government for the University of Humberside, being a higher education corporation with respect to which Schedule 7 to the Act has effect;

AND WHEREAS section 124A(3) of the Act provides that the Privy Council may by Order make an instrument of government of any such higher education corporation with the consent of the Privy Council;

AND WHEREAS, in accordance with the said instrument of government, the said Corporation has changed their name with the consent of the Privy Council:

* NOVEMBER 1995 Their Lordships, in exercise of the powers conferred on them by the said Section 124A(3)(b) of the Act, do hereby, modify the said instrument of government in accordance with the provisions set out in the Schedule to this Order.

M. H. Nicholls

SCHEDULE

MODIFICATIONS TO THE INSTRUMENT OF GOVERNMENT REFERRED TO IN THE PRECEDING ORDER

1. In paragraph 1(1) for "University of Humberside" in each place where it occurs substitute "University of Lincolnshire and Humberside".

(a) 1988 c. 40; section 124A was inserted by section 71 of the Further and Higher Education Act 1992 (c. 13).

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At the Council Chamber, Whitehall

THE 24th DAY OF JULY 2001

BY THE LORDS OF HER MAJESTY'S MOST HONOURABLE
PRIVY COUNCIL

WHEREAS, in accordance with section 124A(3) of the Education Reform Act 1988^(a) (hereinafter referred to as "the Act"), the Privy Council by Order dated 16th February 1990 made an instrument of government for the University of Humberside, being a higher education corporation with respect to which Schedule 2 to the Act has effect:

AND WHEREAS section 124A(3)(a) of the Act provides that the Privy Council may by Order modify an instrument of government of any such higher education corporation:

AND WHEREAS, in accordance with the instrument of government, the corporation have changed their name with the consent of the Privy Council:

NOW, THEREFORE, Their Lordships, in exercise of the powers conferred on them by section 124A(3)(b), are pleased to, and do hereby, modify the instrument of government in accordance with the provisions set out in the Schedule to this Order, which shall come into effect from 1st August 2001.

SCHEDULE

MODIFICATIONS TO THE INSTRUMENT OF GOVERNMENT
REFERRED TO IN THE FOREGOING ORDER

- In paragraph 1(a) for "University of Lincolnshire and Humberside" in each place where it occurs substitute "University of Lincoln".

^(a) 1988 c.40 section 124A was inserted by section 71 of the Further and Higher Education Act 1992 (c.22).