

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY FOR WALES

S T A T U T O R Y I N S T R U M E N T S

2006 No. 1420 (W.141)

EDUCATION, WALES

**The Merthyr Tydfil College
(Dissolution) Order 2006**

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order)

This Order dissolves the further education corporation established to conduct Merthyr Tydfil College. It provides for its property, rights and liabilities to transfer to the University of Glamorgan and secures the rights of its employees by applying section 26(2) to (4) of the Further and Higher Education Act 1992.

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Made 17 May 2006

Coming into force 18 May 2006

The National Assembly for Wales (“the National Assembly”) has received a proposal from the National Council for Education and Training for Wales, made in accordance with section 51 of the Further and Higher Education Act 1992(1)(“the Act”), for the dissolution under section 27 of the Act of the further education corporation known as Merthyr Tydfil College (“the College”)(2);

In exercise of the power conferred on the Secretary of State by section 27 of the Act and now vested in the National Assembly(3), the National Assembly after consulting the College and with the consent of the higher education corporation known as the University of Glamorgan(4) makes the following Order:

1. This Order is called the Merthyr Tydfil College (Dissolution) Order 2006 and comes into force on 18 May 2006.

2. On 18 May 2006 the College is to be dissolved and all of its property, rights and liabilities are to be transferred to the University of Glamorgan, being a body corporate established for purposes which include the provision of educational facilities or services.

3. Section 26(2), (3) and (4) of the Act is to apply to any person employed by the College

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- (1) 1992 c.13.
(2) Established by the Education (Further Education Corporations) Order 1992 (S.I. 1992/2097).
(3) See the National Assembly for Wales (Transfer of Functions) Order 1999 (S.I. 1999/672).
(4) Established by the Education (Higher Education Corporations) (Wales) Order 1991 (S.I. 1991/1976) as the Polytechnic of Wales and subsequently changed its name to the University of Glamorgan.

immediately before 18 May 2006 as if references in that section –

- (a) to a person to whom that section applies were to a person so employed;
- (b) to the operative date were to 18 May 2006;
- (c) to the transferor were to the College; and
- (d) to the corporation were to the University of Glamorgan.

Signed on behalf of the National Assembly for Wales under section 66(1) of the Government of Wales Act 1998⁽¹⁾.

17 May 2006

Rhodri Morgan

The First Minister

⁽¹⁾ 1998 c.38.