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STATUTE CCXXXII

WE, the Governing Body of University College, Galway, under and by virtue of the powers in that behalf conferred on us by the above Acts, DO by this present instrument under the Seal of University College, Galway, make the Statute contained in the Schedule hereto for the general government of the said College.

Given under the Common Seal of University College, Galway, this twenty-fourth day of May, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Ninety-five.

Present when the Common Seal of University College, Galway, was affixed hereto :

L.S.

Colm Ó hEocha, *Uachtarán*
Séamus MacMathúna, *Rúnaí*

SCHEDULE - STATUTE CCXXXII

All previous Statutes of University College, Galway, shall be read and construed with the alterations, additions and modifications hereinafter set forth.

CHAPTER I

THE PRESIDENT

1. Statute XLVII, Chapter I, is hereby amended as follows:

a) by the substitution of the following Section for Section 4:

“4. a) The President shall hold office for a period of ten years or for the period until (s)he shall have attained the age of sixty-five years, whichever period shall first expire”.

b) Notwithstanding the foregoing, the President, provided that (s)he shall have attained the age of sixty years, and provided further that (s)he shall have completed not less than five years in the office of President, may retire on pension at any time within five years of the expiration of his/her period of office, provided that at least three months' notice in writing of his/her intention to so retire must be given to the Secretary of the College, such three months to be exclusive of the months of July, August and September.

b) by the deletion of the words “Until the Governing Body provides an official Residence” in Section 5.

c) by the addition of the following Section:

“7. The Governing Body may, not more than fifteen months before the expiry of the term of office of the President, or on receipt of notice in writing from the President of his/her intention to retire in accordance with the provisions of Section 4(b) of this Chapter, implement the procedures for the filling of the impending vacant office, provided that the appointment of a candidate to the impending vacant office shall not take effect until the office shall have become vacant”.

d) by the addition of the following Section:

“8. The provisions of Sections 2, 3 and 4 of Statute XXXII and Sections 3, 7 and 8 of Statute XXIII in regard to competency to discharge the duties of the Office through the medium of the Irish language shall apply to the appointment of the President. The candidate or candidates selected by the Governing Body from amongst whom the Senate shall make the appointment shall possess the Irish language qualification and shall also be suitable in all other respects”.

e) by the renumbering of Section 7 as Section 9 and by the substitution of the words 'March 31' for the words 'the 31st day of December' therein.

f) by the renumbering of Sections 8 and 9 as Sections 10 and 11, respectively.

g) by the substitution of the following Section for Section 10:

"12. The President may, if circumstances so require from time to time, enter into agreements or commitments on behalf of the College, subject to Governing Body policy".

h) by the renumbering of Section 11 as Section 13.

i) by the substitution of the following Section for Sections 12 and 13:

"14. a) The President, following due consultation, shall have power to make temporary academic and other temporary appointments, in a manner to be defined by Regulation.

b) The President, subject to the policies of the Governing Body and following due consultation, shall have the power of appointing, suspending and dismissing employees of the College (not being members of the academic staff or holders of statutory offices) and shall regulate their duties and control their conduct.

c) The President, subject to the policies of the Governing Body and following consultation with the College Management Team, shall have the power of engaging such professional services as may from time to time be required".

j) by the renumbering of Section 14 as Section 15.

k) by the renumbering of Section 15 as Section 16 and by the substitution of the words 'other employees' for 'Servants' therein.

l) by the deletion of Section 16.

m) by the substitution of the following Section for Section 21:

"21. The President shall have the general care and custody of the buildings and property of the College and may delegate the whole or such part or parts of his/her duty in this respect as (s)he shall think fit to an appropriate officer or officers of the College".

n) by the addition of the following Section:

“26. The Governing Body may, by Regulation, and having due regard to the existing rights of members of staff, delegate to the President such additional powers as may from time to time be necessary for the effective working of the College”.

o) by the renumbering of Section 26 as Section 27 and by the substitution therein of the words “At least three months before his/her term of office expires” for the words “At least three months before he attains the age of seventy years”.

CHAPTER II

PRESIDENT'S EMOLUMENTS

1. Statute XLIX is hereby amended by the deletion of Chapter V thereof.

CHAPTER III

1. Nothing herein contained shall affect any appointment made, right acquired or act done under any previous Statute of the College.
2. This Statute shall come into operation on the twenty-fourth day of May, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Ninety-five, and may be cited as Statute CCXXXII, University College, Galway, or Stat. CCXXXII, Univ. Coll., Galway.

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