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ACTS REFERRED TO

Education (Welfare) Act 2000 (No. 22)

Protection of Young Persons (Employment) Act 1996 (No. 16)



**AN BILLE OIDEACHAIS (LEAS) (LEASÚ), 2015
EDUCATION (WELFARE) (AMENDMENT) BILL 2015**

Bill

entitled

An Act to increase the school leaving age to 17 and to provide for related matters. 5

Be it enacted by the Oireachtas as follows:

Amendment of Education (Welfare) Act 2000

1. Section 2 of the Education (Welfare) Act 2000 is amended by the deletion of “16” and the substitution therefor of “17”.

Amendment of Protection of Young Persons (Employment) Act 1996

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2. Section 1 of the Protection of Young Persons (Employment) Act 1996 is amended by the deletion of “16” wherever it occurs and the substitution therefor of “17”.

Vocational apprenticeships

3. A child of 16 years may satisfy the requirement to attend school under the Education (Welfare) Act 2000 as amended by *section 1*, by taking part in a vocational apprenticeship, in accordance with regulations made by the Minister for Education and Skills, the primary purpose of which is educational. 15

Commencement

4. This Act shall come into operation on the day that is 12 months from the date of its passing. 20

Short title and collective citation

5. (1) This Act may be cited as the Education (Welfare) (Amendment) Act 2015.
(2) The Education (Welfare) Act 2000 and this Act may be cited together as the Education (Welfare) Acts 2000 and 2015.

BILLE

(mar a tionscnaíodh)

dá ngairtear

Acht do mhéadú na haoise fágála scoile go 17 agus do dhéanamh socrú i dtaobh nithe gaolmhara.

Na Seanadóirí Máire Uí Mhóráin, Siobhán Ní Chaoimh agus Aideen Hayden a thug isteach,

24 Meitheamh, 2015

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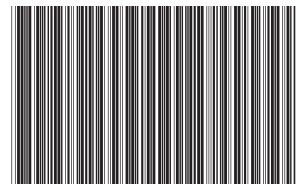
Introduced by Senators Mary Moran, Susan O'Keeffe and Aideen Hayden,

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