

Private Education (Dispute Resolution Schemes) Regulations 2016

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**PRIVATE EDUCATION ACT
(CHAPTER 247A)**

PRIVATE EDUCATION
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In exercise of the powers conferred by section 71 of the Private Education Act, the SkillsFuture Singapore Agency, with the approval of Mr Ong Ye Kung, Senior Minister of State, charged with the responsibility of the Minister for Education (Higher Education and Skills), makes the following Regulations:

Citation and commencement

1. These Regulations are the Private Education (Dispute Resolution Schemes) Regulations 2016 and come into operation on 3 October 2016.

Definitions

2. In these Regulations, unless the context otherwise requires —

“dispute resolution centre” means any entity prescribed under regulation 4;

“dispute resolution proceeding” means a dispute resolution proceeding carried out under a dispute resolution scheme;

“dispute resolution scheme” means any dispute resolution scheme prescribed under regulation 3;

“intending student” means a person who intends to become or has taken any steps towards becoming a student of a private education institution;

“party” means a party to a dispute resolution proceeding, and includes —

(a) a student in a registered private education institution;

(b) a former student of a registered private education institution;

(c) an intending student of a registered private education institution;

(d) a parent, guardian or any other person who has entered into a contract with a registered private education institution for the provision of education to a student, former student or intending student; and

(e) a registered private education institution;

“student”, in relation to a registered private education institution, means a person who receives, or is enrolled in the registered private education institution to receive, education offered or provided by the registered private education institution;