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**EDUCATION ACT
(CAP. 327)****University Postgraduate Awards (Amendment) Regulations, 2017**

IN EXERCISE of the powers conferred upon him by articles 74 (5) and 75 (6) of the Education Act (Cap. 327), the Chancellor of the University of Malta has promulgated the following regulations made by the Senate of the University of Malta by virtue of the powers conferred upon it by articles 75 (3) and 79 (b) of the said Act:

Citation

1. These regulations may be cited as the University Postgraduate Awards (Amendment) Regulations, 2017 and shall be read and construed as one with the General Regulations for University Postgraduate Awards, published as Legal Notice 120 of 2008, hereinafter referred to as “the principal regulations”.

Applicability

2. These regulations shall be applicable from 1 July, 2017 onwards.

Amendment to regulation 27 of the principal regulations

3. For paragraph (2) of regulation 27 of the principal regulations there shall be substituted the following:

“(2) However, following approval by Senate, a Board may allow particular students, for just and sufficient reasons, to write their dissertation in any other language, provided that the Board has ascertained, to the satisfaction of Senate, that the University has the necessary expertise to supervise and examine the work. In such cases, students shall be required to include an Executive Summary of the work in English.”

Amendment to regulation 32 of the principal regulations

4. For regulation 32 of the principal regulations there shall be substituted the following:

“32. Bye-laws for a Postgraduate Course may provide that progression from one year to the next or progression from the taught component to the research component be subject to a minimum average mark to be indicated in the bye-laws if it is higher than the average indicated in regulation 31 (1).”