

Sunset of EU law

At the QAB meeting in December there was a discussion about the Retained EU Law (Revocation and Reform) Bill and its potential impact on examination delivery in 2023. If the Bill comes into law in its current form, it will revoke retained direct EU legislation and EU-derived subordinate legislation (essentially all retained EU Regulations and GB legislation derived from EU Directives) at the end of 2023.

After a discussion with examiners and moderators, the QAB has decided to disregard any progress on this Bill for the next examination cycle. Candidates will need to base their answers on legislation that is in force on the day of the examination.

The QAB will continue to keep an eye on the situation.

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