**Social Sciences Board**

**Approved by Chair’s action 25/8/11**

**Title of Programme**

Special Regulations of Divisional and Faculty Boards Concerning the Status of Probationer Research Student and the Degrees of MLitt, MSc by Research and DPhil – Saïd Business School

**Brief note about nature of change**: Amendment to the special regulations to be consistent with changes to Probationer Research Student general regulations reducing the normal maximum number of terms allowed from admission to Transfer of Status from six to four terms.

**Effective date**

With effect from 1 October 2011

**Location of change**

In *Examination Regulations 2010*

**Detail of change**

p.925, l.4 delete ‘sixth’ and substitute ‘fourth’.

**Explanatory Notes**

Following changes to the Probationer Research Student regulations, students admitted to the DPhil from 1 October 2011 will normally be expected to Transfer status within 4 terms of admission rather than 6 terms.