



# Children and Families (Wales) Measure 2010

## 2010 nawm 1

### PART 2

#### CHILD MINDING AND DAY CARE FOR CHILDREN

##### *Registration of child minding*

#### **21 Duty of child minders to register**

- (1) A person must not act as a child minder in Wales unless that person is registered as a child minder by the Welsh Ministers under this Part.
- (2) If it appears to the Welsh Ministers that a person is acting as a child minder without being registered to do so under this Part, the Welsh Ministers may serve a notice (“an enforcement notice”) on that person.
- (3) An enforcement notice may be served on a person—
  - (a) by delivering it to the person, or
  - (b) by sending it by post to the person's last known address.
- (4) An enforcement notice has effect for a period of one year beginning with the date on which it is served.
- (5) A person (“P”) who acts as a child minder in contravention of subsection (1) commits an offence if—
  - (a) an enforcement notice has effect in relation to P, and
  - (b) P acts as a child minder without reasonable excuse.
- (6) A person guilty of an offence under subsection (5) is liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding level 5 on the standard scale.

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**Changes to legislation:** *There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Children and Families (Wales) Measure 2010, Section 21. (See end of Document for details)*

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**Commencement Information**

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