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## SOCIAL CARE CHARGES (WALES) MEASURE 2010

## **EXPLANATORY NOTES**

## **COMMENTARY ON SECTIONS**

## Section 6 – Conditions giving rise to the duty to carry out a means assessment

13. This section sets out the conditions which give rise to the local authorities' duty to carry out a means assessment, as referred to at section 5(1). It also enables the Welsh Ministers to make provision in regulations as to who may make the request for a means assessment or provide any necessary financial information on behalf of a service user or prospective service user.