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PART 4

Standards of housing

CHAPTER 1

Overcrowding

*Overcrowding notices*

**Notice requiring further information**

**48.**—(1) A council that issues an overcrowding notice in relation to an HMO may issue a notice under this section (an “information notice”) in relation to that HMO.

(2) An information notice is a notice that requires the person on whom it is served to supply to the council a statement giving all or any of the following particulars—

- (a) the number of individuals who are, on a date specified in the notice, occupying any part of the HMO as sleeping accommodation;
- (b) the names of those individuals;
- (c) the number of households to which the individuals belong;
- (d) the relationships between the individuals, and the household to which each individual belongs; and
- (e) the rooms used by the individuals and households respectively.

(3) An information notice may be served on—

- (a) any person on whom the overcrowding notice is required to be served under paragraph 1 of Schedule 5, or
  - (b) any person to whom a copy of the overcrowding notice is required to be sent under that paragraph.
- (4) An information notice must require the statement to be supplied—
- (a) in writing, and
  - (b) within 7 days of the date of the notice or such longer period as the council may specify in the notice.
- (5) An information notice may be combined with, or issued after, the overcrowding notice.