



# Children and Young Persons Act 2008

## 2008 CHAPTER 23

### PART 2

#### FUNCTIONS IN RELATION TO CHILDREN AND YOUNG PERSONS

##### *Provision of support services for certain children*

#### **19 Support for accommodated children**

After paragraph 8 of Schedule 2 to the 1989 Act insert—

##### **“Provision for accommodated children**

- 8A (1) Every local authority shall make provision for such services as they consider appropriate to be available with respect to accommodated children.
- (2) “Accommodated children” are those children in respect of whose accommodation the local authority have been notified under section 85 or 86.
- (3) The services shall be provided with a view to promoting contact between each accommodated child and that child's family.
- (4) The services may, in particular, include—
- (a) advice, guidance and counselling;
  - (b) services necessary to enable the child to visit, or to be visited by, members of the family;
  - (c) assistance to enable the child and members of the family to have a holiday together.
- (5) Nothing in this paragraph affects the duty imposed by paragraph 10.”

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**Changes to legislation:** There are currently no known outstanding effects for the  
Children and Young Persons Act 2008, Section 19. (See end of Document for details)

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**Commencement Information**

- I1** S. 19 in force at 28.3.2011 for W. by S.I. 2011/949, **art. 3(1)(b)**  
**I2** S. 19 in force at 1.4.2011 for E. by S.I. 2010/2981, **art. 4(f)**

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There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Children and Young Persons Act 2008, Section 19.