



# Children and Young Persons (Scotland) Act 1937

1937 CHAPTER 37 1 Edw 8 and 1 Geo 6

## PART II

PREVENTION OF CRUELTY AND EXPOSURE TO MORAL AND PHYSICAL DANGER

### *Supplemental*

#### 27 Interpretation of Part II.

For the purposes of this Part of this Act—

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Any person to whose charge a child or young person is committed by any person who has [<sup>F2</sup>parental responsibilities in relation to] him shall be presumed to have charge of the child or young person;

Any other person having actual possession or control of a child or young person shall be presumed to have the care of him.

#### Textual Amendments

**F1** First para. in s. 27 repealed (1.11.1996 subject to arts. 4, 7 of the commencing S.I.) by 1995 c. 36, s. 105(4), Sch. 4 para. 7(5)(a), Sch. 5 (with s. 103(1)); S.I. 1996/2203, art. 3(3), Sch.

**F2** Words in second para. in s. 27 substituted (1.11.1996 subject to arts. 4, 7 of the commencing S.I.) by 1995 c. 36, s. 105(4), Sch. 4 para. 7(5)(b) (with s. 103(1)); S.I. 1996/2203, art. 3(3), Sch.

**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Children and Young Persons (Scotland) Act 1937, Section 27.