



Custody of Children Act 1891

1891 CHAPTER 3 54 and 55 Vict

4 Power to Court as to child's religious education.

Upon any application by the parent for the production or custody of a child, if the Court is of opinion that the parent ought not to have the custody of the child, and that the child is being brought up in a different religion to that in which the parent has a legal right to require that the child should be brought up, the Court shall have power to make such order as it may think fit to secure that the child be brought up in the religion in which the parent has a legal right to require that the child should be brought up. Nothing in this Act contained shall interfere with or affect the power of the Court to consult the wishes of the child in considering what order ought to be made, or diminish the right which any child now possess to the exercise of its own free choice.

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Custody of Children Act 1891, Section 4.