
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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The Special Guardianship Regulations 2005

PART 2

SPECIAL GUARDIANSHIP SUPPORT SERVICES

CHAPTER 1

PROVISION OF SERVICES

Services for persons outside the area

5.—(1) Section 14F of the Act (special guardianship support services) applies to a local authority in respect of the following persons who are outside the authority's area—

- (a) a relevant child who is looked after by the local authority or was looked after by the local authority immediately before the making of a special guardianship order;
- (b) a special guardian or prospective special guardian of such a child;
- (c) a child of a special guardian or prospective special guardian mentioned in subparagraph (b).

(2) But section 14F ceases to apply at the end of the period of three years from the date of the special guardianship order except in a case where the local authority are providing financial support under Chapter 2 and the decision to provide that support was made before the making of the order.

(3) Nothing in this regulation prevents a local authority from providing special guardianship support services to persons outside their area where they consider it appropriate to do so.