



Social Services and Well-being (Wales) Act 2014

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PART 6

LOOKED AFTER AND ACCOMMODATED CHILDREN

Children accommodated in certain establishments

122 Visitors for children notified to a local authority under section 120 or 121

- (1) This section applies if the appropriate officer of a local authority—
 - (a) has been notified with respect to a child under section 120(2)(a) or 121(2)(a), and
 - (b) has not been notified with respect to that child under section 120(2)(b) or section 121(2)(b).
- (2) The local authority must, in accordance with regulations made under this section, make arrangements for the child to be visited by a representative of the authority (“a representative”).
- (3) It is the duty of a representative to provide advice and assistance to the local authority on the performance of its duties under this Act in relation to the child.
- (4) Regulations under this section may make provision about—
 - (a) the frequency of visits under visiting arrangements;
 - (b) circumstances in which visiting arrangements must require a child to be visited;
 - (c) additional functions of a representative.
- (5) In choosing a representative a local authority must satisfy itself that the person chosen has the necessary skills and experience to perform the functions of a representative.

Status: This is the original version (as it was originally enacted).

(6) In this section “visiting arrangements” means arrangements made under subsection (2).