



Regulation and Inspection of Social Care (Wales) Act 2016

2016 anaw 2

PART 11

FINAL PROVISIONS

189 General interpretation

In this Act—

“caution” (*“rhybuddiad”*), in relation to an offence, means—

- (a) a conditional caution given under section 22 of the [Criminal Justice Act 2003 \(c.44\)](#) (conditional cautions for adults) or under section 66A of the [Crime and Disorder Act 1998 \(c.37\)](#) (conditional cautions for children and young persons);
- (b) any other caution given to a person in England and Wales in respect of an offence which, at the time the caution is given, that person has admitted;
- (c) anything corresponding to a caution falling within paragraph (a) or (b) (however described) which—
 - (i) is given to a person in respect of an offence committed outside England and Wales which, if committed in England and Wales, would constitute a criminal offence, and
 - (ii) is not an alternative to prosecution (within the meaning of section 8AA of the [Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974 \(c.53\)](#));

“financial year” (*“blwyddyn ariannol”*) means the period of one year beginning on 1 April and ending on 31 March;

“local authority” (*“awdurdod lleol”*) means the council of a county or county borough in Wales;

“Local Health Board” (*“Bwrdd Iechyd Lleol”*) means a Local Health Board established under section 11 of the National Health Service (Wales) Act 2006;

“prescribed” (*“a ragnodir”* and *“rhagnodedig”*) means prescribed by regulations made by the Welsh Ministers;

Status: This is the original version (as it was originally enacted).

“SCW” (“GCC”) has the meaning given by section 67;

“the tribunal” (“y *tribiwnlys*”) means the First-tier tribunal;

“well-being” (“*llesiant*”) has the same meaning as in section 2 of the 2014 Act;

“the 2014 Act” (“*Deddf 2014*”) means the [Social Services and Well-Being \(Wales\) Act 2014](#) (anaw 4).