



# Child Poverty (Scotland) Act 2017

## 2017 asp 6

### *Targets relating to child poverty*

#### **2 Interim targets**

- (1) The Scottish Ministers must ensure that the interim targets are met in the financial year beginning with 1 April 2023.
- (2) The interim targets are that, of children living in households in Scotland—
  - (a) less than 18% fall within section 3 (relative poverty),
  - (b) less than 14% fall within section 4 (absolute poverty),
  - (c) less than 8% fall within section 5 (combined low income and material deprivation),
  - (d) less than 8% fall within section 6 (persistent poverty).