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Care Act 2014

2014 CHAPTER 23

PART 1 U.K.

CARE AND SUPPORT

Review of funding provisions

PROSPECTIVE

71 Five-yearly review by Secretary of State E+W

- (1) The Secretary of State must review—
 - (a) the level at which the cap on care costs is for the time being set under regulations under section 15(4),
 - (b) the level at which the amount attributable to an adult's daily living costs is for the time being set under regulations under section 15(8), and
 - (c) the level at which the financial limit is for the time being set under regulations under section 17(8).
- (2) In carrying out the review, the Secretary of State must have regard to—
 - (a) the financial burden on the state of each of those matters being at the level in question,
 - (b) the financial burden on local authorities of each of those matters being at the level in question,
 - (c) the financial burden on adults who have needs for care and support of each of those matters being at the level in question,
 - (d) the length of time for which people can reasonably be expected to live in good health,
 - (e) changes in the ways or circumstances in which adults' needs for care and support are being or are likely to be met,

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- (f) changes in the prevalence of conditions for which the provision of care and support is or is likely to be required, and
 - (g) such other factors as the Secretary of State considers relevant.
- (3) The Secretary of State must prepare and publish a report on the outcome of the review.
 - (4) The first report must be published before the end of the period of five years beginning with the day on which section 15 comes into force.
 - (5) Each subsequent report must be published before the end of the period of five years beginning with the day on which the previous report was published.
 - (6) The Secretary of State may arrange for some other person to carry out the whole or part of a review under this section on the Secretary of State's behalf.
 - (7) The Secretary of State must lay before Parliament a report prepared under this section.

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- s. 15(2)-(3B) substituted for s. 15(2)(3) by [2022 c. 31 s. 166\(2\)](#)
- s. 26(1)-(2A) substituted for s. 26(1)(2) by [2022 c. 31 s. 166\(4\)](#)