

Children and Social Work Act 2017

2017 CHAPTER 16

PART 2

SOCIAL WORKERS ETC IN ENGLAND

Review

Review by independent person

- (1) The Secretary of State must commission an independent person to—
 - (a) review the operation of this Part during the review period, and
 - (b) send a report to the Secretary of State on the findings of the review.
- (2) In carrying out the review the independent person must consult representatives of social workers in England and anyone else that the person considers appropriate.
- (3) On receiving the report the Secretary of State must lay it before Parliament.
- (4) The Secretary of State must also lay before Parliament a response to the report.
- (5) The review period is 5 years beginning with the day on which section 39(1) comes fully into force.