
SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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The Carers (Scotland) Act 2016 (Adult Carers and Young Carers of Terminally Ill Persons: Timescales for Adult Carer Support Plans and Young Carer Statements etc.) Regulations 2021

Interpretation

2. In these Regulations—

“the 2016 Act” means the Carers (Scotland) Act 2016,

“the 2018 Regulations” means the Carers (Scotland) Act 2016 (Adult Carers and Young Carers: Identification of Outcomes and Needs for Support) Regulations 2018⁽¹⁾,

“notification date” is the date on which a relevant adult carer—

(a) accepted an offer made by a responsible local authority to prepare an adult carer support plan under section 6 of the 2016 Act, or

(b) requested an adult carer support plan in accordance with section 6 of the 2016 Act,

“relevant adult carer” means an adult carer of a cared-for person who is terminally ill,

“relevant date” is the date on which a relevant young carer—

(a) accepted an offer made by a responsible authority to prepare a young carer statement under section 12 of the 2016 Act, or

(b) requested a young carer statement in accordance with section 12 of the 2016 Act,

“relevant young carer” means a young carer of a cared-for person who is terminally ill,

“substantive conversation” means the first conversation which the responsible local authority has with a relevant adult carer in accordance with regulation 2 of the 2018 Regulations,

“substantive young carer conversation” means the first conversation which the responsible authority has with a relevant young carer in accordance with regulation 3 of the 2018 Regulations,

“working day” means any day other than a Saturday, a Sunday or a day which, under the Banking and Financial Dealings Act 1971⁽²⁾, is a bank holiday in Scotland.

⁽¹⁾ S.S.I. 2018/109.

⁽²⁾ 1971 c.80.