



Video Recordings Act 1984

1984 CHAPTER 39

Designated authority

[^{F1}4ZB Designated authorities: allocation of responsibility for video games

- (1) Where there are two designated authorities, the video games authority may, with the consent of the video works authority, allocate to that authority responsibility—
 - (a) for a class of video games, or
 - (b) for video games, or a class of video games, when (and only when) they are contained in a video recording that is described in the allocation (whether by reference to its contents, to the manner in which it is, or is to be, supplied or otherwise).
- (2) If an allocation is in force—
 - (a) the video works authority is responsible for making arrangements under this Act in respect of the allocated video games, and
 - (b) the video games authority ceases to be responsible for making such arrangements.
- (3) An allocation—
 - (a) must be made by a notice, and
 - (b) may be withdrawn at any time by a notice given by the video games authority with the consent of the video works authority.
- (4) When making or withdrawing an allocation under this section, the video games authority must have regard to any guidance issued by the Secretary of State.
- (5) A notice under this section must be—
 - (a) sent to the Secretary of State, and
 - (b) published in such manner as the video games authority considers appropriate.
- (6) A question as to which designated authority is responsible for making arrangements in respect of a video game may be conclusively determined by the video games authority.]

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