

Education Act 1993

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PART VI

MISCELLANEOUS

Admission arrangements for aided etc. schools

270 Arrangements under section 6(6) of the Education Act 1980: modification or replacement

In section 6 of the Education Act 1980 (under subsection (6) of which governors of an aided or special agreement school may require the local education authority to enter into admission arrangements which override the duty to comply with any expressed parental preference) there is inserted at the end—

- "(7) If one of the parties to arrangements under subsection (6) above proposes that the arrangements should be modified or replaced by substitute arrangements but the other party does not agree, the party making the proposal may refer the matter to the Secretary of State.
- (8) On a reference under subsection (7) above, the Secretary of State may—
 - (a) direct that the arrangements shall remain as they are;
 - (b) direct that they shall be modified or replaced as proposed; or
 - (c) direct that they shall be modified in such other manner, or replaced by such other substitute arrangements, as may be specified in the direction.
- (9) Where the Secretary of State directs as mentioned in subsection (8)(b) or (c) above, the modification or, as the case may be, the substitute arrangements shall have effect, from such date as may be specified in the direction, as if agreed between the parties."