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# Nationality, Immigration and Asylum Act 2002

## 2002 CHAPTER 41

### PART 2 **U.K.**

#### ACCOMMODATION CENTRES

##### *Operation of centres*

PROSPECTIVE

### 29 **Facilities** **U.K.**

- (1) The Secretary of State may arrange for the following to be provided to a resident of an accommodation centre—
- (a) food and other essential items;
  - (b) money;
  - (c) assistance with transport for the purpose of proceedings under the Immigration Acts or in connection with a claim for asylum;
  - (d) transport to and from the centre;
  - (e) assistance with expenses incurred in connection with carrying out voluntary work or other activities;
  - (f) education and training;
  - (g) facilities relating to health;
  - (h) facilities for religious observance;
  - (i) anything which the Secretary of State thinks ought to be provided for the purpose of providing a resident with proper occupation and for the purpose of maintaining good order;
  - (j) anything which the Secretary of State thinks ought to be provided for a person because of his exceptional circumstances.

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- (2) The Secretary of State may make regulations specifying the amount or maximum amount of money to be provided under subsection (1)(b).
- (3) The Secretary of State may arrange for the provision of facilities in an accommodation centre for the use of a person in providing legal advice to a resident of the centre.
- (4) The Secretary of State shall take reasonable steps to ensure that a resident of an accommodation centre has an opportunity to obtain legal advice before any appointment made by an immigration officer or an official of the Secretary of State for the purpose of obtaining information from the resident to be used in determining his claim for asylum.
- (5) The Secretary of State may by order amend subsection (1) so as to add a reference to facilities which may be provided.

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**Changes and effects yet to be applied to :**

- s. 29(1)(c) words substituted by 2016 c. 19 Sch. 11 para. 36

**Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Act associated Parts and Chapters:**

- Blanket amendment words substituted by S.I. 2011/1043 art. 34

Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Act (including any effects on those provisions):

- s. 18(1)(1A) substituted for s. 18(1) by 2016 c. 19 Sch. 11 para. 31(2)
- s. 22A inserted by 2022 c. 36 s. 13(7)
- s. 27(ba) inserted by 2022 c. 36 s. 13(10)
- s. 51(2)(d) and word inserted by 2016 c. 19 Sch. 11 para. 26(6)
- s. 55(2)(aa) inserted by 2016 c. 19 Sch. 11 para. 26(7)
- s. 62(3A) inserted by 2023 c. 37 s. 11(8)
- s. 80A(5A) inserted by 2023 c. 37 s. 10(8)
- s. 82A inserted by 2022 c. 36 s. 23(1)
- s. 94(6B) inserted by 2006 c. 13 s. 13
- s. 106(2)(ua) inserted by 2007 c. 30 s. 19(3)
- s. 107(2A) inserted by 2022 c. 36 Sch. 3 para. 5(a)
- s. 126(2A) inserted by S.I. 2019/745 reg. 12(3)(b) (This amendment not applied to legislation.gov.uk. Reg. 12(2)(3) omitted immediately before IP completion day by virtue of S.I. 2020/1309, regs. 1(2)(a), 48)
- Sch. 3 para. 1(1)(ga) inserted by 2016 c. 19 Sch. 12 para. 2(2) (This Act is amended by S.I. 2020/1309, Sch. 1 para. 3(a))
- Sch. 3 para. 1(2A) inserted by 2016 c. 19 Sch. 12 para. 2(4) (This Act is amended by S.I. 2020/1309, Sch. 1 para. 3(b))
- Sch. 3 para. 1A inserted by 2016 c. 19 Sch. 12 para. 3
- Sch. 3 para. 2(1)(ca) inserted by 2016 c. 19 Sch. 12 para. 4(3)
- Sch. 3 para. 2A inserted by 2016 c. 19 Sch. 12 para. 5
- Sch. 3 para. 3A-3C inserted by 2016 c. 19 Sch. 12 para. 6
- Sch. 3 para. 7B7C and cross-headings inserted by 2016 c. 19 Sch. 12 para. 9
- Sch. 3 para. 10A10B inserted by 2016 c. 19 Sch. 12 para. 10 (This Act is amended by S.I. 2020/1309, Sch. 1 para. 3(c))
- Sch. 3 para. 15(aa) inserted by 2016 c. 19 Sch. 12 para. 14(2)
- Sch. 3 para. 15(d)-(f) inserted by 2016 c. 19 Sch. 12 para. 14(4)
- Sch. 3 para. 7C(1)(c) word substituted by S.I. 2019/745 reg. 12(5)(d) (This amendment not applied to legislation.gov.uk. Reg. 12(5)(a)(c)(d) omitted immediately before IP completion day by virtue of S.I. 2020/1309, regs. 1(2)(a), 48)
- Sch. 5 para. 3(1) Sch. 5 para. 3 renumbered as Sch. 5 para. 3(1) by 2005 c. 4 Sch. 4 para. 407(2) (This amendment not applied to legislation.gov.uk. The "original amending provision" is already fully in force, see Sch. 4 paras. 361, 407(5))
- Sch. 5 para. 3(2)-(4) inserted by 2005 c. 4 Sch. 4 para. 407(4) (This amendment not applied to legislation.gov.uk. The "original amending provision" is already fully in force, see Sch. 4 paras. 361, 407(5))

- Sch. 5 para. 3(1) words inserted by [2005 c. 4 Sch. 4 para. 407\(3\)](#) (This amendment not applied to [legislation.gov.uk](#). The "original amending provision" is already fully in force, see Sch. 4 paras. 361, 407(5))