



Children Act 2004

2004 CHAPTER 31

PART 5

MISCELLANEOUS

Local authority services

49 Payments to foster parents

- (1) The appropriate person may by order make provision as to the payments to be made—
 - (a) by a children’s services authority in England or Wales or a person exercising functions on its behalf to a local authority foster parent with whom any child is placed by that authority or person under section 23(2)(a) of the Children Act 1989;
 - (b) by a voluntary organisation to any person with whom any child is placed by that organisation under section 59(1)(a) of that Act.
- (2) In subsection (1)—
 - “appropriate person” means—
 - (a) the Secretary of State, in relation to a children’s services authority in England;
 - (b) the Assembly, in relation to a children’s services authority in Wales;
 - “local authority foster parent” and “voluntary organisation” have the same meanings as in the Children Act 1989.
- (3) In section 23(2)(a) of the Children Act 1989, at the end insert “(subject to section 49 of the Children Act 2004)”.
- (4) In section 59(1)(a) of that Act, at the end insert “(subject to section 49 of the Children Act 2004)”.