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SCHEDULES

[^{F1}SCHEDULE 1A

PERSONS DEPENDENT ON DRUGS ETC.

Textual Amendments

F1 Sch. 1A inserted (12.11.2009) by [Welfare Reform Act 2009 \(c. 24\)](#), s. 61(1), [Sch. 3 para. 7](#)

Requirements imposed in relation to use of drugs

- 1 (1) Regulations may make provision for or in connection with imposing on a person who is—
- (a) entitled to an employment and support allowance, and
 - (b) not a member of the support group,
- a requirement to answer questions within sub-paragraph (2) as a condition of continuing to be entitled to the full amount payable to the person in respect of the allowance apart from the regulations.
- (2) A question is within this sub-paragraph if it is asked for the purpose of ascertaining—
- (a) whether the person may be dependent on, or have a propensity to misuse, any drug, and
 - (b) (if so) whether any such dependency or propensity may be a factor affecting the person's prospects of obtaining or remaining in work.
- (3) Regulations under this paragraph may, in particular, make provision—
- (a) prescribing the questions which a person may be required to answer under the regulations (which may include questions relating to any use of the drug in question or any treatment connected with its use);
 - (b) for notifying a person of any requirement to answer questions under the regulations;
 - (c) for the determination, and notification, of the time and place at which a person is required to answer questions under the regulations.
- (4) Regulations under this paragraph must include provision for a requirement imposed on a person by the regulations to cease to have effect if the person becomes a member of the support group.]

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