



# Welfare Reform Act 2009

## 2009 CHAPTER 24

### PART 2

#### DISABLED PEOPLE: RIGHT TO CONTROL PROVISION OF SERVICES

##### *Supplementary*

#### **47 Consultation**

- (1) Before laying before Parliament (or the Scottish Parliament or the National Assembly for Wales) a draft of a statutory instrument containing regulations under section 41, the appropriate authority must—
  - (a) publish draft regulations in such manner as it thinks fit, and
  - (b) invite representations to be made to it about the draft, during a specified period of not less than 12 weeks, by persons appearing to it to be affected by the proposals.
- (2) In this section “the appropriate authority” is to be read in accordance with section 45(2).

**Changes to legislation:**

Welfare Reform Act 2009, Section 47 is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 06 May 2024. There are changes that may be brought into force at a future date. Changes that have been made appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.

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

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

- Sch. 4 para. 9(3)(b) repealed by [2009 c. 24 Sch. 7 Pt. 1](#)