

Children and Families Act 2014

2014 CHAPTER 6

PART 3

CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE IN ENGLAND WITH SPECIAL EDUCATIONAL NEEDS OR DISABILITIES

Special educational provision: functions of local authorities

64 Supply of goods and services

- (1) A local authority in England may supply goods and services to—
 - (a) the governing body of a maintained school or maintained nursery school in England;
 - (b) the proprietor of an Academy;
 - (c) the governing body of an institution within the further education sector that the authority thinks is or is to be attended by a young person for whom the authority maintains an EHC plan,

but only for the purpose set out in subsection (2).

- (2) The purpose is that of assisting the governing body or proprietor in the performance of—
 - (a) any duty imposed on the body under section 66(2) (duty to use best endeavours to secure special educational provision called for by special educational needs);
 - (b) in the case of a governing body of a community or foundation special school, any duty imposed on the body.
- (3) The goods and services may be supplied on the terms and conditions that the authority thinks fit, including terms as to payment.
- (4) A local authority in England may supply goods and services to any authority or other person (other than a governing body or proprietor within subsection (1)), but only for the purpose set out in subsection (5).

Status: This is the original version (as it was originally enacted).

(5) The purpose is that of assisting the authority or other person in making special educational provision for a child who is receiving relevant early years education, in a case where the authority has decided that the special educational provision is necessary for the child.