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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2005 No. 394**

**The Children Act 2004 (Commencement No. 1) Order 2005**

**Provisions coming into force**

- 2.—(1) The following provisions of the Act shall come into force on 1st March 2005—
- (a) section 11 (arrangements to safeguard and promote welfare) for the purposes of making an order under section 11(1)(d);
  - (b) sections 13 (establishment of LSCBs), 14 (functions and procedure of LSCBs) and 16 (LSCBs: supplementary) for the purposes of making regulations;
  - (c) section 17 (children and young people's plans);
  - (d) sections 20 (joint area reviews), 21 (framework), 22 (co-operation and delegation) and 23 (sections 20 to 22: interpretation);
  - (e) section 48 (child minding and day care) and paragraph 1 of Schedule 4 in so far as they relate to paragraphs 2, 5 and 7 to 9 of Schedule 4;
  - (f) section 50 (intervention);
  - (g) section 53 (ascertaining children's wishes);
  - (h) section 54 (information about individual children);
  - (i) section 57 (fees payable to adoption review panel members);
  - (j) section 60 (child safety orders);
  - (k) paragraphs 2, 5 and 7 to 9 of Schedule 4;
  - (l) Part 1 of Schedule 5; and
  - (m) Part 2 of Schedule 5 in so far as it relates to section 79G(2) of, and paragraph 4(3A)(b) of Schedule 9A to, the Children Act 1989<sup>(1)</sup>.
- (2) The following provisions of the Act shall come into force on 1st April 2005—
- (a) section 10 (co-operation to improve well-being);
  - (b) section 18 (director of children's services);
  - (c) section 24 (performance rating of social services);
  - (d) section 44 (amendments to notification scheme) for the purposes of making regulations;
  - (e) section 51 (inspection of local education authorities);
  - (f) section 55 (social services committees); and
  - (g) Parts 3 and 4 of Schedule 5.
- (3) The following provisions of the Act shall come into force on 1st July 2005—
- (a) section 44 (amendments to notification scheme) in so far as it is not already in force; and
  - (b) section 52 (duty of local authorities to promote educational achievement).

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(4) Section 11 (arrangements to safeguard and promote welfare) shall come into force on 1st October 2005 in so far as it is not already in force.