
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2013 No. 253

The Care Standards Act 2000 (Extension of the Application of Part 2 to Holiday Schemes for Disabled Children) (England) Regulations 2013

Citation, commencement, application and interpretation

1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Care Standards Act 2000 (Extension of the Application of Part 2 to Holiday Schemes for Disabled Children) (England) Regulations 2013 and come into force on 4th March 2013.

(2) These Regulations apply in relation to holiday schemes for disabled children in England only.

(3) In these Regulations—

“the Act” means the Care Standards Act 2000;

“disabled children” means children who are of a description falling within section 3(2) of the Act;

“holiday scheme for disabled children” means a scheme which is carried on solely to provide care (other than childcare within the meaning of section 18 of the Childcare Act 2006(1)) and accommodation wholly or mainly for disabled children for a specified period:

- (i) for the purposes of a holiday; or
- (ii) for recreational, sporting, cultural or educational purposes; and

“specified period” means, in any twelve month period—

- (i) a period not exceeding 56 days in total; and
- (ii) in relation to any one child, a period of no more than 28 consecutive days.

(1) [2006 c.21](#). Section 18(5)(a)(i) was substituted by paragraph 19(2) of Schedule 1 to the Children and Young Persons Act 2008 ([c.23](#)). Section 18(8)(a) was amended by paragraph 19(3)(a) of Schedule 1 and Schedule 4 to the Children and Young Persons Act 2008. Section 18(8)(b) was amended by paragraph 19(3)(b) of Schedule 1 to that Act. Section 18(8)(ba) was added by article 18 of the Health and Social Care Act 2008 (Consequential Amendments No. 2) Order 2010 ([S.I. 2010/813](#)).