
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2013 No. 3239

The Children's Homes and Looked after Children
(Miscellaneous Amendments) (England) Regulations 2013

PART 4

Registration and Fostering Services

Amendments to the Care Standards Act 2000 (Registration) (England) Regulations 2010

24. The Care Standards Act 2000 (Registration) (England) Regulations 2010(1) are amended as follows.

25. In regulation 7(5), for “paragraphs 1, 2, 3 or 10” substitute “paragraph 3”.

26. In paragraph 13(b) of Schedule 1, after “located” insert “, and, in the case of a children’s home, a description of the steps taken to ensure that the home is appropriately and suitably located pursuant to regulation 31(1A) of the Children’s Homes Regulations 2001”.

Amendment of the Fostering Services (England) Regulations 2011

27. The Fostering Services (England) Regulations 2011(2) are amended as follows.

28. In regulation 13, for paragraph (3) substitute—

“(3) The fostering service provider must prepare and implement a policy, which is agreed with the local police, setting out—

- (a) the measures to be followed to prevent children placed with foster parents from going missing from their placement, and
- (b) the procedure to be followed when a child is missing from a foster parent’s home without permission.”.

29. In Schedule 7—

- (a) in column 1, for “prostitution” substitute “sexual exploitation”; and
- (b) in column 2, insert “yes” in each of the sub-columns headed “Area authority” and “Police” in the row relating to “A child placed with foster parents is missing from the placement”.

(1) S.I. 2010/2130, which was amended by S.I. 2013/446, 2013/706 and 2013/1394.

(2) S.I. 2011/581, amended by S.I. 2012/3006, 2013/235 and 2013/984.