
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2014 No. 1530

The Special Educational Needs and Disability Regulations 2014

PART 2

Children and young people with special educational needs

Mediation

Attendance at the mediation

38.—(1) The following persons may attend the mediation—

- (a) the parties to the mediation;
- (b) any advocate or other supporter that the child's parent or the young person wishes to attend the mediation;
- (c) where the child's parent is a party to the mediation, the child (with the agreement of the parent and the mediator);
- (d) where the young person's alternative person^{M1} is a party to the mediation, the young person (with the agreement of the alternative person and the mediator);
- (e) any other person, with the consent of all of the parties to the mediation, or where there is no such agreement, with the consent of the mediator.

(2) Where the child's parent is a party to the mediation, the mediator must take reasonable steps to ascertain the views of the child about the mediation issues.

(3) Where the young person's alternative person is a party to the mediation, the mediator must take reasonable steps to ascertain the views of the young person about the mediation issues.

Marginal Citations

M1 Alternative person has the meaning given in Regulation 64

Changes to legislation:

The Special Educational Needs and Disability Regulations 2014, Section 38 is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 13 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 Instrument associated Parts and Chapters:

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

- Sch. A1 inserted by [S.I. 2024/535 Sch.](#)
- reg. 49(7)-(9) inserted by [S.I. 2024/535 reg. 2\(2\)\(c\)](#)