

Housing Act 1957

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PART V

PROVISION OF HOUSING ACCOMMODATION

Management, &c, of local authority's houses

Byelaws for regulation of local authority's houses

- (1) A local authority may make byelaws for the management, use and regulation of houses provided by them.
- (2) A local authority shall as respects lodging-houses provided by them (that is to say, houses not occupied as separate dwellings) by byelaws make sufficient provision for the following purposes—
 - (a) for securing that the lodging-houses shall be under the management and control of the officers, servants or others appointed or employed in that behalf by the local authority,
 - (b) for securing due separation at night of men and boys above eight years old from women and girls,
 - (c) for preventing damage, disturbance, interruption and in decent and offensive language and behaviour and nuisances,
 - (d) for determining the duties of the officers, servants and others appointed by the local authority,

and a printed copy or a sufficient abstract of the byelaws relating to lodging-houses shall be put up and at all times kept in every room therein.

- (3) The Minister shall be the confirming authority as respects byelaws made under this section.
- (4) The provisions of section two hundred and seventy-seven of the Public Health (London) Act, 1936, shall apply to byelaws under this section as respects the City of London.