

United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child (Incorporation) (Scotland) Act 2024

PART 2

DUTIES ON PUBLIC AUTHORITIES

Guidance on this Part

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- (1) The Scottish Ministers must issue guidance to support the implementation and operation of this Part.
- (2) Guidance may, in particular—
 - (a) promote understanding of this Part,
 - (b) promote child rights-respecting practice in relation to the implementation and operation of this Part,
 - (c) include information about how the implementation and operation of this Part can secure better or further effect of the rights of children,
 - (d) include information to support public authorities and others in working together in the implementation and operation of this Part.
- (3) Before issuing guidance under subsection (1), the Scottish Ministers must consult—
 - (a) children,
 - (b) the Commissioner for Children and Young People in Scotland,
 - (c) the Scottish Commission for Human Rights, and
 - (d) such other persons as the Scottish Ministers consider appropriate.
- (4) The Scottish Ministers must, as soon as practicable after issuing guidance under subsection (1), publish the guidance in such manner as they consider appropriate.

Status: Point in time view as at 31/01/2024.

Changes to legislation: There are currently no known outstanding effects for the United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child (Incorporation) (Scotland) Act 2024, Cross Heading: Guidance on this Part. (See end of Document for details)

- (5) The Scottish Ministers must from time to time review guidance issued under subsection (1) and may revise the guidance.
- (6) References in subsections (2) to (5) to guidance include references to revised guidance.

Commencement Information

II S. 13 in force at 31.1.2024, see s. 47(2)(b) and S.S.I. 2024/13, reg. 2

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