



Children Act 1989

1989 CHAPTER 41

PART III

LOCAL AUTHORITY SUPPORT FOR CHILDREN AND FAMILIES

[^{F1} Personal advisers and pathway plans]

[^{F1}23D Personal advisers.

- (1) The [^{F2}appropriate national authority] may by regulations require local authorities to appoint a personal adviser for children or young persons of a prescribed description who have reached the age of sixteen but not the age of twenty-one who are not—
 - (a) children who are relevant children for the purposes of section 23A;
 - (b) the young persons referred to in section 23C; or
 - (c) the children referred to in paragraph 19C of Schedule 2.
- (2) Personal advisers appointed under or by virtue of this Part shall (in addition to any other functions) have such functions as the [^{F3}appropriate national authority] prescribes.]

Textual Amendments

- F1** Ss. 23D, 23E and cross-heading inserted (1.10.2001) by [2000 c. 35, s. 3](#); S.I. 2001/2191, [art. 2](#); S.I. 2001/2878, [art. 2](#)
- F2** Words in s. 23D(1) substituted (13.11.2008) by [Children and Young Persons Act 2008 \(c. 23\)](#), ss. 39, 44, [Sch. 3 para. 10](#)
- F3** Words in s. 23D(2) substituted (13.11.2008) by [Children and Young Persons Act 2008 \(c. 23\)](#), ss. 39, 44, [Sch. 3 para. 10](#)

Status:

Point in time view as at 13/11/2008. This version of this provision has been superseded.

Changes to legislation:

Children Act 1989, Section 23D is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 21 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.