

## SCHEDULES

### SCHEDULE 16

#### CHILDREN ACT 1989

##### PART I

###### AMENDMENT OF ACT AND OTHER ENACTMENTS AFFECTED

###### *The Children Act 1989 (c. 41)*

- 18 (1) Section 42 of the Act of 1989 (right of guardian ad litem to have access to local authority records) shall be amended as follows.
- (2) In subsection (1)(a), after the word “authority” there shall be inserted “or an authorised person”.
- (3) At the end of subsection (1) there shall be added—
- “; or
- (c) any records of, or held by, an authorised person which were compiled in connection with the activities of that person, so far as those records relate to that child.”
- (4) The following subsection shall be added at the end—
- “(4) In this section “authorised person” has the same meaning as in section 31.”