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# School Standards and Framework Act 1998

**1998 CHAPTER 31** 

## PART VII

### MISCELLANEOUS AND GENERAL

*Code of practice for local education authorities and maintained schools* [<sup>*F1</sup></sup><i>in Wales*]</sup>

### Textual Amendments

F1 Words in s. 127 cross-heading inserted (8.1.2007) by Education and Inspections Act 2006 (c. 40), ss. 58(7), 188(2)

# 127 Code of practice for securing effective relationships between LEAs and maintained schools [<sup>F2</sup>in Wales].

- (1) The [<sup>F3</sup>Assembly] shall issue, and may from time to time revise, a code of practice containing such practical guidance as [<sup>F4</sup>it] thinks appropriate with a view to securing effective relationships between local education authorities [<sup>F5</sup>in Wales] and the schools maintained by them—
  - (a) in relation to promoting high standards of education in such schools; and
  - [<sup>F6</sup>(b) in relation to the discharge of such functions as the Assembly may determine for the purposes of this paragraph which are functions exercisable by or on behalf of such authorities in relation to such schools.]
- (2) In discharging their functions in relation to any maintained school [<sup>F7</sup>or maintained nursery school][<sup>F8</sup>in Wales], it shall be the duty of—
  - (a) the local education authority,
  - (b) the governing body, and
  - (c) the head teacher,

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to have regard to any relevant provisions of the code.

- [<sup>F9</sup>(3) Subsections (1) and (2) of section 85 shall apply in relation to the code as they apply in relation to a code under section 84 relating to Wales.]
  - (4) The  $[^{F10}$ Assembly] shall publish the code as for the time being in force.

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- F2 Words in s. 127 heading inserted (8.1.2007) by Education and Inspections Act 2006 (c. 40), ss. 58(7), 188(2)
- F3 Word in s. 127(1) substituted (8.1.2007) by Education and Inspections Act 2006 (c. 40), ss. 58(2)(a), 188(2)
- **F4** Word in s. 127(1) substituted (8.1.2007) by Education and Inspections Act 2006 (c. 40), ss. 58(2)(b), 188(2)
- F5 Words in s. 127(1) inserted (8.1.2007) by Education and Inspections Act 2006 (c. 40), ss. 58(2)(c), 188(2)
- F6 S. 127(1)(b) substituted (8.1.2007) by Education and Inspections Act 2006 (c. 40), ss. 58(2)(d), 188(2)
- F7 Words in s. 127(2) inserted (1.9.2003 for E., 31.10.2005 for W.) by Education Act 2002 (c. 32), s. 216(4), Sch. 21 para. 110(2) (with ss. 210(8), 214(4)); S.I. 2003/1667, art. 4; S.I. 2005/2910, art. 4, Sch.
- F8 Words in s. 127(2) inserted (8.1.2007) by Education and Inspections Act 2006 (c. 40), ss. 58(3), 188(2)
- **F9** S. 127(3) substituted (8.1.2007) by Education and Inspections Act 2006 (c. 40), ss. 58(4), 188(2)
- **F10** Word in s. 127(4) substituted (8.1.2007) by Education and Inspections Act 2006 (c. 40), ss. 58(5), 188(2)
- F11 S. 127(5)(6) repealed (8.1.2007) by Education and Inspections Act 2006 (c. 40), ss. 58(6), 188(2), Sch. 18 Pt. 2

#### Modifications etc. (not altering text)

C1 S. 127 applied (18.6.1999) by S.I. 1999/2022, art. 2.

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