



# Crime and Disorder Act 1998

## 1998 CHAPTER 37

### PART I

#### PREVENTION OF CRIME AND DISORDER

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##### ENGLAND AND WALES

##### *Miscellaneous and supplemental*

### 18 Interpretation etc. of Chapter I.

(1) In this Chapter—

- “anti-social behaviour order” has the meaning given by section 1(4) above;
- “chief officer of police” has the meaning given by section 101(1) of the <sup>M1</sup>Police Act 1996;
- “child safety order” has the meaning given by section 11(1) above;
- “curfew notice” has the meaning given by section 14(6) above;
- [<sup>F1</sup>“individual support order” has the meaning given by section 1AA(2) above;]
- “local child curfew scheme” has the meaning given by section 14(1) above;
- [<sup>F2</sup>“parental compensation order” has the meaning given by section 13A(1) above;]
- “parenting order” has the meaning given by section 8(4) above;
- “police area” has the meaning given by section 1(2) of the <sup>M2</sup>Police Act 1996;
- “police authority” has the meaning given by section 101(1) of that Act;
- “responsible officer”—
- (za) [<sup>F3</sup>in relation to an individual support order, has the meaning given by section 1AA(10) above;

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- (a) in relation to a parenting order, has the meaning given by section 8(8) above;
- (b) in relation to a child safety order, has the meaning given by section 11(8) above;
- [<sup>F4</sup>“serious harm” shall be construed in accordance with section 224 of the Criminal Justice Act 2003;
- <sup>F5</sup> .....
- (2) <sup>F6</sup> .....
- (3) Where directions under a parenting order are to be given by [<sup>F7</sup>an officer of a local probation board], [<sup>F7</sup>the officer of a local probation board] shall be an officer appointed for or assigned to the [<sup>F8</sup>local justice area] within which it appears to the court that the child or, as the case may be, the parent resides or will reside.
- (4) Where the supervision under a child safety order is to be provided, or directions under [<sup>F9</sup>an individual support order or] a parenting order are to be given, by—
- (a) a social worker of a local authority <sup>F10</sup> . . . ; or
- (b) a member of a youth offending team,
- the social worker or member shall be a social worker of, or a member of a youth offending team established by, the local authority within whose area it appears to the court that [<sup>F11</sup>the child, defendant or parent, as the case may be,] resides or will reside.
- (5) For the purposes of this Chapter the Inner Temple and the Middle Temple form part of the City of London.]]

#### Textual Amendments

- F1** S. 18(1): definition of "individual support order" inserted (1.5.2004) by [Criminal Justice Act 2003 \(c. 44\), ss. 323\(3\)\(a\), 336\(3\); S.I. 2004/829 {art. 3\(2\)\(b\)}](#)
- F2** S. 18(1): definition of "parental compensation order" inserted (20.7.2006 in relation to specified areas) by [Serious Organised Crime and Police Act 2005 \(c. 15\), ss. 144, 178\(8\), Sch. 10 para. 4; S.I. 2006/1871, art. 2, Sch. \(as amended by S.I. 2006/2182, art. 3\)](#)
- F3** S. 18(1): in definition of "responsible officer", para. (za) inserted (1.5.2004) by [Criminal Justice Act 2003 \(c. 44\), ss. 323\(3\)\(b\), 336\(3\); S.I. 2004/829 {art. 3\(2\)\(b\)}](#)
- F4** S. 18(1): definition of "serious harm" inserted (4.4.2005) by [Criminal Justice Act 2003 \(c. 44\), ss. 304, 336\(3\), Sch. 32 para. 88\(a\); S.I. 2005/950, art. 2, Sch. 1 para. 42\(33\) \(with Sch. 2\)](#)
- F5** S. 18(1): definition of "sex offender order" repealed (8.11.2006) by [Violent Crime Reduction Act 2006 \(c. 38\), ss. 60\(3\), 65, 66\(2\)\(d\), Sch. 5](#)
- F6** S. 18(2) repealed (4.4.2005) by [Criminal Justice Act 2003 \(c. 44\), ss. 304, 332, 336\(3\), Sch. 32 para. 88\(b\), Sch. 37 Pt. 7; S.I. 2005/950, art. 2, Sch. 1 paras. 42\(33\), 44\(4\)\(p\) \(with Sch. 2\)](#)
- F7** Words in s. 18(3) substituted (1.4.2001) by [2000 c. 43, s. 74, Sch. 7 Pt. 1 para. 4; S.I. 2001/919, art. 2\(f\)\(i\)](#)
- F8** Words in s. 18(3) substituted (1.4.2005) by [The Courts Act 2003 \(Consequential Provisions\) Order 2005 \(S.I. 2005/886\), art. 2, Sch. para. 58](#)
- F9** Words in s. 18(4) inserted (1.5.2004) by [Criminal Justice Act 2003 \(c. 44\), ss. 323\(4\)\(a\), 336\(3\); S.I. 2004/829 {art. 3\(2\)\(b\)}](#)
- F10** Words in s. 18(4)(a) repealed (1.4.2005 for E. and 1.4.2006 for W.) by [Children Act 2004 \(c. 31\), ss. 64, 67\(8\), Sch. 5 Pt. 4, Note; S.I. 2005/394, art. 2\(2\)\(g\); S.I. 2006/885, art. 2\(2\)\(h\)](#)
- F11** Words in s. 18(4) substituted (1.5.2004) by [Criminal Justice Act 2003 \(c. 44\), s. 323\(4\)\(b\), 336\(3\); S.I. 2004/829 {art. 3\(2\)\(b\)}](#)

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

- C1** S. 18(3)(4) applied (27.2.2004) by Powers of Criminal Courts (Sentencing) Act 2000 (c. 6), **Sch. 1 para. 9D(7)** (as inserted by Crime and Disorder Act 2003 (c. 44), ss. 324, 336(3), **Sch. 34 para. 6**; S.I. 2004/81, **art. 5(2)(d)**)

**Commencement Information**

- I1** S. 18 wholly in force; s. 18 not in force at Royal Assent see s. 121; In force at 30.9.1998 by 1998/2327, art. 2(1) (subject to savings in arts. 5-8)

**Marginal Citations**

- M1** 1996 c.16.  
**M2** 1996 c.16.

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