

*These notes refer to the Childcare Act 2006 (c.21)  
which received Royal Assent on 11 July 2006*

# **CHILDCARE ACT 2006**

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## **EXPLANATORY NOTES**

### **COMMENTARY ON SECTIONS AND SCHEDULES**

#### **Part 1: General Functions of Local Authority: England**

##### ***Section 10: Charges where local authority provide childcare***

49. **Section 10** provides that local authorities may enter into agreements which impose a charge for the provision of childcare by the authority. This does not apply where care is provided for children in need under section 18(1) or (5) of the Children Act 1989 as provision for charging in these circumstances is made by that Act.