

Immigration Act 2016

2016 CHAPTER 19

PART 1

LABOUR MARKET AND ILLEGAL WORKING

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LABOUR MARKET

Gangmasters and Labour Abuse Authority

13 Relationship with other agencies: requests for assistance

- (1) The Gangmasters (Licensing) Act 2004 is amended as follows.
- (2) Before section 23 (but after the italic heading before it) insert—

"22A Relationship with other agencies: requests for assistance

- (1) The Authority may request any of the following to provide assistance to the Authority or any of its officers—
 - (a) a chief officer of police for a police area in England and Wales;
 - (b) the Director General of the National Crime Agency;
 - (c) a person appointed as an immigration officer under paragraph 1 of Schedule 2 to the Immigration Act 1971;
 - (d) any other person prescribed or of a prescribed description.
- (2) The Authority may make a request under subsection (1) only if it considers that the assistance would facilitate the exercise of any function by the Authority or any of its officers.
- (3) Any of the following persons may request the Authority to provide assistance to the person—

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- (a) a chief officer of police for a police area in England and Wales;
- (b) a person appointed as an immigration officer under paragraph 1 of Schedule 2 to the Immigration Act 1971;
- (c) any other person prescribed or of a prescribed description.
- (4) A person may make a request under subsection (3) only if the person considers that the assistance would facilitate the exercise by the person of any function.
- (5) A request under this section must—
 - (a) set out what assistance is being requested, and
 - (b) explain how the assistance would facilitate the exercise of the function.
- (6) A person who receives a request under this section must respond to it in writing within a reasonable period.
- (7) Regulations under this section must not make provision which would be—
 - (a) within the legislative competence of the Scottish Parliament if contained in an Act of that Parliament,
 - (b) within the legislative competence of the National Assembly for Wales if contained in an Act of that Assembly, or
 - (c) within the legislative competence of the Northern Ireland Assembly if contained in an Act of that Assembly made without the consent of the Secretary of State."
- (3) In section 25 (regulations, rules and orders), in subsection (5)—
 - (a) omit the "or" at the end of paragraph (a);
 - (b) at the end insert ", or
 - (c) section 22A(1)(d) or (3)(c) (regulations regarding persons whom the Authority may request to provide assistance and who may request assistance from Authority)."

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