



Supported Housing (Regulatory Oversight) Act 2023

2023 CHAPTER 26

Information

11 Use of information obtained for certain statutory purposes

- (1) A local housing authority in England may use any information to which this section applies—
 - (a) for any purpose connected with the exercise of any of the authority's functions under or by virtue of this Act, or otherwise relating to specified exempt accommodation, or
 - (b) for the purpose of investigating whether any offence has been committed by virtue of this Act.
- (2) This section applies to any information which has been obtained by the authority in the exercise of functions under—
 - (a) section 134 of the Social Security Administration Act 1992 (housing benefit), or
 - (b) Part 1 of the Local Government Finance Act 1992 (council tax).
- (3) This section does not authorise the use of information if the use would (taking the powers conferred by this section into account) contravene the data protection legislation.