
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**The Emergency Child Protection
Measures (Scotland) Regulations 1996**

Duties of constable where child removed to place of safety

3. As soon as reasonably practicable after a child has been removed by a constable to a place of safety under section 61(5) of the Act, a constable shall, subject to regulation 5 below, take such steps as are reasonably practicable to inform the following persons of the matters specified in regulation 4 below:—

- (a) any relevant person in relation to the child;
- (b) any person, other than a relevant person, with whom the child was residing immediately before being removed to the place of safety;
- (c) the local authority for the area in which the place of safety to which the child was removed is situated;
- (d) where not falling within paragraph (c) above, the local authority for the area in which the child is ordinarily resident;
- (e) the local authority for the area in which the child was residing immediately before being removed to a place of safety (where they are not the authority under (c) or (d) of this regulation); and
- (f) the Principal Reporter.