STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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The Care Homes Regulations 2001

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THE CARE HOMES REGULATIONS 2001

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SCHEDULE 1 — INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN THE STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

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- 1. The name and address of the registered provider and of...
- 2. The relevant qualifications and experience of the registered provider and...
- 3. The number, relevant qualifications and experience of the staff working...
- 4. The organisational structure of the care home.
- 5. The age-range and sex of the service users for whom...
- 6. The range of needs that the care home is intended...
- 7. Whether nursing is to be provided.
- 8. Any criteria used for admission to the care home, including...
- 9. The arrangements for service users to engage in social activities,...
- 10. The arrangements made for consultation with service users about the...
- 11. The fire precautions and associated emergency procedures in the care...
- 12. The arrangements made for service users to attend religious services...
- 13. The arrangements made for contact between service users and their...
- 14. The arrangements made for dealing with complaints.
- 15. The arrangements made for dealing with reviews of the service...
- 16. The number and size of rooms in the care home....
- 17. Details of any specific therapeutic techniques used in the care...
- 18. The arrangements made for respecting the privacy and dignity of...

SCHEDULE 2 — INFORMATION AND DOCUMENTS IN RESPECT OF PERSONS CARRYING ON, MANAGING OR WORKING AT A CARE HOME

- 1. Proof of the person's identity, including a recent photograph.
- 2. The person's birth certificate.
- 3. The person's current passport (if any).
- 4. Documentary evidence of any relevant qualifications of the person.
- 5. Two written references relating to the person.
- 6. Evidence that the person is physically and mentally fit for...
- 7. Either— (a) where the certificate is required for a purpose...
- 8. Details of any criminal offences—(a) of which the person...

SCHEDULE 3 — RECORDS TO BE KEPT IN A CARE HOME IN RESPECT OF EACH SERVICE USER

- 1. The following documents in respect of each service user—
- 2. A photograph of the service user.
- 3. A record of the following matters in respect of each...
- 4. A copy of correspondence relating to each service user.

SCHEDULE 4 — OTHER RECORDS TO BE KEPT IN A CARE HOME

- 1. A copy of the statement of purpose.
- 2. A copy of the service user's guide.
- 3. A record of all accounts kept in the care home....
- 4. A copy of all inspection reports.
- 5. A copy of any report made under regulation 26(4)(c).
- 6. A record of all persons employed at the care home,...
- 7. A copy of the duty roster of persons working at...
- 8. A record of the care home's charges to service users,...
- 9. A record of all money or other valuables deposited by...
- 10. A record of furniture brought by a service user into...
- 11. A record of all complaints made by service users or...
- 12. A record of any of the following events that occur...
- 13. Records of the food provided for service users in sufficient...
- 14. A record of every fire practice, drill or test of...

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- 15. A statement of the procedure to be followed in the...
- 16. A statement of the procedure to be followed in the...
- 17. A record of all visitors to the care home, including...

SCHEDULE 5 — ADDITIONAL INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN THE STATEMENT OF PURPOSE WHERE CHILDREN ARE ACCOMMODATED

- 1. The following details about the children for whom it is...
- 2. Any criteria used for admission to the care home, including...
- 3. If the care home provides or is intended to provide...
- 4. A description of the care home's underlying ethos and philosophy,...
- 5. The facilities and services to be provided or made available,...
- 6. The arrangements made to protect and promote the health of...
- 7. The arrangements for the promotion of the education of the...
- 8. The arrangements to promote children's participation in hobbies and recreational....
- 9. The arrangements made for consultation with the children accommodated there...
- 10. The policy on behaviour management and the use of restraint...
- 11. The arrangements for child protection and to counter bullying.
- 12. The fire precautions and associated emergency procedures in the care...
- 13. The arrangements made for the children's religious instruction and observance....
- 14. The arrangements made for contact between a child accommodated there...
- 15. The procedure for dealing with any unauthorised absence of a...
- 16. The arrangements for dealing with complaints.
- 17. The arrangements for dealing with reviews of the placement plans...
- The type of accommodation and sleeping arrangements provided, and, where...
- 19. Details of any specific therapeutic techniques used in the care...
- 20. A description of the care home's policy on anti-discriminatory practice...

SCHEDULE 6 — ADDITIONAL INFORMATION AND DOCUMENTS TO BE OBTAINED IN RESPECT OF PERSONS WORKING AT A CARE HOME WHERE CHILDREN ARE ACCOMMODATED

- 1. Two written references, including a reference from the last employer....
- 2. Where a person has previously worked in a position whose...
- 3. A full employment history, together with a satisfactory written explanation...

SCHEDULE 7 — MATTERS TO BE MONITORED AT A CARE HOME WHERE CHILDREN ARE ACCOMMODATED

- 1. Compliance with any plan for the care of the child...
- 2. The deposit and issue of money and other valuables handed...
- 3. Daily menus.
- 4. All accidents and injuries sustained in the care home or...
- 5. Any illnesses of children accommodated in the care home.
- 6. Complaints in relation to children accommodated in the care home...
- 7. Any allegations or suspicions of abuse in respect of children...
- 8. Staff recruitment records and conduct of required checks for new...
- 9. Visitors to the care home and to children in the...
- 10. Notifications of the events listed in Schedule 5 to the...
- 11. Any unauthorised absence from the care home of a child...

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- 12. The use of disciplinary measures in respect of children accommodated...
- 13. The use of physical restraint in respect of children accommodated...

Explanatory Note