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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2010 No. 2571**

**The Care Leavers (England) Regulations 2010**

**PART 2**

**Assessments of need and pathway plans**

**Review of pathway plans**

7.—(1) The responsible authority must review the pathway plan of each relevant and former relevant child in accordance with this regulation<sup>(1)</sup>.

(2) The responsible authority must arrange a review—

- (a) if requested to do so by the relevant or former relevant child,
- (b) if the responsible authority, or the personal adviser, consider a review necessary, and
- (c) in any event, at intervals of not more than six months.

(3) If the responsible authority provide the relevant child or former relevant child with accommodation under section 23B or section 24B, the responsible authority must also—

- (a) arrange a review as soon as is practicable after the end of a period of 28 days beginning on the day on which the accommodation is first provided, and
- (b) on completing a review under sub-paragraph (a), determine at what intervals (not exceeding three months) subsequent reviews will be carried out.

(4) In carrying out a review the responsible authority must—

- (a) to the extent it considers it appropriate to do so, seek and take account of the views of the persons mentioned in regulation 5(4)(b) or, as the case may be, regulation 5(5)(b), and
- (b) consider whether, in relation to each of the matters set out in the pathway plan, any change is necessary.

(5) The results of the review and any change to the pathway plan must be recorded in writing.

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<sup>(1)</sup> Relevant authorities are required by section 23E(1D) of the 1989 Act to keep pathway plans prepared for relevant children and former relevant children falling within section 23CA under regular review. They are required by section 23C(3)(b) to continue to keep pathway plans of former relevant children under regular review.