

STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2015 No. 551

The Her Majesty's Chief Inspector of Education, Children's Services and Skills (Fees and Frequency of Inspections) (Children's Homes etc.) Regulations 2015

PART 4

Annual Fees

Voluntary adoption agencies

20.—(1) The annual fee payable in respect of a voluntary adoption agency is, subject to paragraph (2)—

- (a) [^{F1}£2453]; and
- (b) if the voluntary adoption agency has, in addition to its principal office, one or more branches, an additional sum of—
 - (i) [^{F2}£2453] in respect of each branch that is not a small branch, and
 - (ii) [^{F3}£1301] in respect of each small branch.

(2) If the voluntary adoption agency has a small principal office, the fee is—

- [^{F4}(a) £1301];
- (b) if the voluntary adoption agency has, in addition to its small principal office, one or more branches, an additional sum of—
 - (i) [^{F5}£2453] in respect of each branch that is not a small branch, and
 - (ii) [^{F6}£1301] in respect of each small branch.

(3) The annual fee is payable—

- (a) in the case of a person who carries on an agency that was an adoption society approved under Part 1 of the Adoption Act 1976 ^{M1}, on 30th April in each year;
- (b) in the case of a new provider registered before 1st April 2015, on the anniversary of the date on which the certificate was issued;
- (c) otherwise, on the date on which the certificate is issued, and thereafter on the anniversary of that date.

Textual Amendments

- F1** Sum in reg. 20(1)(a) substituted (1.4.2024) by [The Registration and Inspection of Education, Children's Services and Skills \(Fees and Frequency of Inspections\) \(England\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2024 \(S.I. 2024/315\)](#), reg. 1(2), [Sch.](#)

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- F2** Sum in reg. 20(1)(b)(i) substituted (1.4.2024) by [The Registration and Inspection of Education, Children's Services and Skills \(Fees and Frequency of Inspections\) \(England\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2024 \(S.I. 2024/315\), reg. 1\(2\), Sch.](#)
- F3** Sum in reg. 20(1)(b)(ii) substituted (1.4.2024) by [The Registration and Inspection of Education, Children's Services and Skills \(Fees and Frequency of Inspections\) \(England\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2024 \(S.I. 2024/315\), reg. 1\(2\), Sch.](#)
- F4** Sum in reg. 20(2)(a) substituted (1.4.2024) by [The Registration and Inspection of Education, Children's Services and Skills \(Fees and Frequency of Inspections\) \(England\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2024 \(S.I. 2024/315\), reg. 1\(2\), Sch.](#)
- F5** Sum in reg. 20(2)(b)(i) substituted (1.4.2024) by [The Registration and Inspection of Education, Children's Services and Skills \(Fees and Frequency of Inspections\) \(England\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2024 \(S.I. 2024/315\), reg. 1\(2\), Sch.](#)
- F6** Sum in reg. 20(2)(b)(ii) substituted (1.4.2024) by [The Registration and Inspection of Education, Children's Services and Skills \(Fees and Frequency of Inspections\) \(England\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2024 \(S.I. 2024/315\), reg. 1\(2\), Sch.](#)

Marginal Citations

- M1** [1976 c.36. Part 1 of the Adoption Act 1976 was repealed by Schedule 5 to the Adoption and Children Act 2002 \(c.38\).](#)

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Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Instrument associated Parts and Chapters:

Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Instrument (including any effects on those provisions):

- reg. 27(3C) inserted by [S.I. 2024/315 reg. 16\(4\)](#)
- reg. 27(5)(d)(e) inserted by [S.I. 2024/315 reg. 16\(6\)](#)