



# Housing (Wales) Act 2014

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## PART 2

### HOMELESSNESS

#### CHAPTER 2

##### HELP FOR PEOPLE WHO ARE HOMELESS OR THREATENED WITH HOMELESSNESS

*Referral to another local housing authority*

**83 Cases referred from a local housing authority in England**

- (1) This section applies where an application has been referred by a local housing authority in England to a local housing authority in Wales under section 198(1) of the Housing Act 1996 (referral of case to another local housing authority).
- (2) If it is decided that the conditions in that section for referral of the case are met the notified authority is subject to the following duties in respect of the person whose case is referred—
  - (a) section 68 ( interim duty to secure accommodation for homeless applicants in priority need);
  - (b) section 73 (duty to help to secure accommodation for homeless applicants);for provision about cases where it is decided that the conditions for referral are not met, see section 200 of the Housing Act 1996 (duties to applicant whose case is considered for referral or referred).
- (3) Accordingly, references in this Chapter to an applicant include a reference to a person to whom the duties mentioned in subsection (2) are owed by virtue of this section.

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**Changes to legislation:** *There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Housing (Wales) Act 2014, Section 83. (See end of Document for details)*

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**Commencement Information**

**II** [S. 83](#) in force at 27.4.2015 by [S.I. 2015/1272](#), art. 2, [Sch. para. 34](#)

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