



Children's Hearings (Scotland) Act 2011

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PART 1

THE NATIONAL CONVENER AND CHILDREN'S HEARINGS SCOTLAND

Functions of CHS

11 Provision of assistance to National Convener

CHS must—

- (a) assist the National Convener in carrying out the functions conferred on the National Convener by virtue of this Act or any other enactment,
- (b) facilitate the carrying out of those functions.

Commencement Information

11 S. 11 in force at 18.4.2011 by [S.S.I. 2011/111](#), [art. 2](#), [Sch.](#)

12 Independence of National Convener

- (1) Nothing in this Act authorises CHS or any other person to direct or guide the National Convener in carrying out the functions conferred on the National Convener by virtue of this Act or any other enactment.
- (2) This section is subject to section 10(1)(e).

Commencement Information

12 S. 12 in force at 18.4.2011 by [S.S.I. 2011/111](#), [art. 2](#), [Sch.](#)

13 Directions

- (1) The Scottish Ministers may give CHS general or specific directions about the carrying out of its functions.

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- (2) CHS must comply with a direction under subsection (1).
- (3) The Scottish Ministers may vary or revoke a direction under subsection (1) by giving a subsequent direction under that subsection.

Commencement Information

I3 S. 13 in force at 18.4.2011 by [S.S.I. 2011/111](#), art. 2, [Sch.](#)

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

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

- Pt. 17A inserted by [2020 asp 16 s. 6\(2\)](#)
- s. 25(3) inserted by [2020 asp 16 s. 30\(7\)](#)
- s. 27(3)-(4A) substituted for s. 27(3)(4) by [2020 asp 16 s. 3\(2\)](#)
- s. 62(5)(q)-(u) inserted by [2020 asp 9 s. 8\(2\)\(b\)](#)
- s. 163(2)-(2B) substituted for s. 163(2) by [2020 asp 16 s. 27\(3\)\(b\)](#)
- s. 164(2)-(2B) substituted for s. 164(2) by [2020 asp 16 s. 27\(4\)\(b\)](#)
- s. 165(2)-(2B) substituted for s. 165(2) by [2020 asp 16 s. 27\(5\)\(b\)](#)