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PART II

CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL EDUCATIONAL NEEDS

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- **4.**—(1) The Department shall issue, and may from time to time amend, a code of practice giving practical guidance in respect of the discharge by boards and the Boards of Governors of grant-aided schools of their functions under this Part.
 - (2) It shall be the duty of—
 - (a) boards and Boards of Governors of grant-aided schools exercising functions under this Part, and
 - (b) any other person exercising any function for the purpose of the discharge by boards and Boards of Governors of grant-aided schools of functions under this Part,

to have regard to the provisions of the code.

- (3) On any appeal, the Tribunal shall have regard to any provision of the code which appears to the Tribunal to be relevant to any question arising on the appeal.
 - (4) The Department shall publish the code as for the time being in force.