



Local Democracy, Economic Development and Construction Act 2009

2009 CHAPTER 20

PART 1

DEMOCRACY AND INVOLVEMENT

CHAPTER 3

INVOLVEMENT IN FUNCTIONS OF PUBLIC AUTHORITIES

24 Duty of public authorities to secure involvement: guidance

- (1) The Secretary of State may give guidance to authorities to which section 23 applies (other than the Secretary of State) in relation to the discharge of their duties under that section.
- (2) Guidance under this section—
 - (a) may be given generally or to one or more particular authorities;
 - (b) may be different for different authorities;
 - (c) must be published.
- (3) Before giving guidance under this section the Secretary of State must consult the authority or authorities to which it is given.
- (4) An authority to which section 23 applies must, in deciding how to fulfil its duties under that section, have regard to any guidance given to it under this section.

Commencement Information

11 S. 24 in force at 1.4.2010 by [S.I. 2009/3318](#), [art. 4\(b\)](#)

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Local Democracy, Economic Development and Construction Act 2009, Section 24.