



Apprenticeships, Skills, Children and Learning Act 2009

2009 CHAPTER 22

PART 2

[^{F1}LOCAL AUTHORITY] FUNCTIONS

Boarding accommodation: persons subject to learning difficulty assessment

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After section 514 of the Education Act 1996 (c. 56) insert—

“514A Provision of boarding accommodation for persons subject to learning difficulty assessment

- (1) A [^{F1}local authority] in England may secure the provision of boarding accommodation in connection with the provision of education or training for a person in their area who is—
 - (a) over compulsory school age but under 25, and
 - (b) subject to learning difficulty assessment.
- (2) A [^{F1}local authority] may secure the provision of boarding accommodation under subsection (1) either within or outside their area.
- (3) For the purposes of subsection (1) it is immaterial who provides, or secures the provision of, the education or training.
- (4) In this section “education” and “training” have the same meanings as in section 15ZA.”

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Textual Amendments

- F1** Words in Act substituted (5.5.2010) by [The Local Education Authorities and Children's Services Authorities \(Integration of Functions\) Order 2010 \(S.I. 2010/1158\)](#) , [Sch. 2 para. 16\(2\)](#)
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Commencement Information

- I1** S. 46 in force at 1.4.2010 by [S.I. 2010/303](#), art. 3, [Sch. 2](#) (with arts. 9-11)

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Commencement Orders yet to be applied to the Apprenticeships, Skills, Children and Learning Act 2009

Commencement Orders bringing provisions within this Act into force:

- [S.I. 2009/3341 art. 2](#) commences (2009 c. 22)
- [S.I. 2010/2413 art. 2](#) commences (2009 c. 22)
- [S.I. 2011/829 art. 2](#) commences (2009 c. 22)
- [S.I. 2011/882 art. 2](#) amendment to earlier commencing SI 2010/303 art. 7 Sch. 6