

These notes refer to the Additional Learning Needs and Education Tribunal (Wales) Act 2018 (c.2) which received Royal Assent on 24 January 2018

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EXPLANATORY NOTES

COMMENTARY ON SECTIONS OF THE ACT

Part 2 – Additional Learning Needs

Chapter 1 – Key Terms, Code and Participation

Code of practice

Section 5 - Procedure for making the code

21. **Section 5** ensures that there is consultation on the code (or a revised code) and scrutiny by the National Assembly for Wales before it is issued. Subsection (1) lists the public bodies or persons who must be consulted on a draft code or a draft revised code, which includes anyone else the Welsh Ministers consider appropriate. Then, a proposed code or revised code (which may have been modified from the draft consulted upon) cannot be issued unless the draft has been laid before and approved by resolution of the Assembly. If the draft is approved, it must be issued as the code. The code comes into force on the day or days appointed by the Welsh Ministers in an order. The code must be published on the Welsh Ministers' website (section 4(11)).