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

# ADDITIONAL LEARNING NEEDS AND EDUCATION TRIBUNAL (WALES) ACT 2018

# **EXPLANATORY NOTES**

## COMMENTARY ON SECTIONS OF THE ACT

**Part 2 – Additional Learning Needs** Chapter 2 – Individual Development Plans

#### Powers to direct governing bodies of maintained schools

### Section 38 - local authority power to direct governing bodies of maintained schools

100. Where a local authority does not maintain a maintained school, section 38 prevents it from using any of its powers to direct the governing body of that school without having consulted the local authority which does maintain the school.