

Full text Draft Childminding Regulation 1

Part I

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Regulation 1 - Title and commencement

(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Child Care Act 1991 (Early Years Services) (Childminding Services) Regulations 2024.

(2) These Regulations shall come into operation on XX month 202X.

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The regulation of Childminding is provided for in the Child Care Act 1991 (as amended by XXX). Early Years Services are defined as Childminding services, Preschool Services and School Age Childcare Services.

These regulations will come in to force on XX month 202X and from this date, childminders will be able to register their Childminding service with Tusla EYI and avail of state subsidies and support.

The Act has also been amended to allow for transitional arrangements in relation to the registration of childminders. During the transitional period childminders can choose to operate without registration, but once the transitional period ends all childminders are required to register.