<u>Special Education Needs – Legal Protection</u> <u>for Young People in Northern Ireland</u>

"The Council is concerned that no legislation providing legal protection for young people over the age of 19 with Special Education Needs exists in NI, in contrast with England and Wales.

The Council commends tireless efforts and campaigning of everyone connected with Caleb's Cause.

And will write to Ministers for Communities, Education and Health requesting that the required legislation be enacted to provide legal protection to young people in Northern Ireland."

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