
STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

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**The Equality Act (Sexual Orientation)
Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2006**

Research, education and assistance to organisations

28.—(1) The Commission may undertake or assist (financially or otherwise) the undertaking by other persons of any research, and any educational activities, which appear to the Commission necessary or expedient for the purposes of regulation 27.

(2) The Commission may make charges for educational or other facilities or services made available by it.

(3) The Commission may give financial or other assistance to any organisation appearing to the Commission to be concerned with the promotion of equality of opportunity between persons of different sexual orientations.

(4) The Commission shall not give any financial assistance under paragraph (3) out of money appropriated by Measure except with the approval of the Department given with the consent of the Department of Finance and Personnel.