

Disability Discrimination Act 1995

1995 CHAPTER 50

PART IV

EDUCATION

[F1CHAPTER 1

SCHOOLS]

[FI Residual duty of education authorities]

[F128F Duty of education authorities not to discriminate

- (1) This section applies to—
 - (a) the functions of a local education authority under the Education Acts; and
 - (b) the functions of an education authority under—
 - (i) the Education (Scotland) Act 1980;
 - (ii) the Education (Scotland) Act 1996; and
 - (iii) the Standards in Scotland's Schools etc. Act 2000.
- (2) But it does not apply to any prescribed function.
- (3) In discharging a function to which this section applies, it is unlawful for the authority to discriminate against—
 - (a) a disabled pupil; or
 - (b) a disabled person who may be admitted to a school as a pupil.
- (4) But an act done in the discharge of a function to which this section applies is unlawful as a result of subsection (3) only if no other provision of this Chapter makes that act unlawful.
- (5) In the case of an act which constitutes discrimination by virtue of section 55, this section also applies to discrimination against a person who is not disabled.

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- (6) In this section and section 28G, "local education authority" has the meaning given in section 12 of the Education Act 1996.
- (7) "The Education Acts" has the meaning given in section 578 of the Education Act 1996.
- (8) In this section and section 28G, "education authority" has the meaning given in section 135(1) of the Education (Scotland) Act 1980.]

Textual Amendments

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