



International Development (Reporting and Transparency) Act 2006

2006 CHAPTER 31

Annual reports

4 Aid effectiveness and Millennium Development Goals 1 to 7

- (1) Each annual report must include the Secretary of State's assessment of the following matters—
- (a) what progress has been made generally towards the achievement of Millennium Development Goals 1 to 7,
 - (b) the effectiveness in pursuing Millennium Development Goals 1 to 7 of multilateral aid generally to which the United Kingdom contributes,
 - (c) the effectiveness in pursuing Millennium Development Goals 1 to 7 of bilateral aid provided by the United Kingdom to not fewer than 20 countries specified in the report, selected according to criteria so specified,
 - [^{F1}(ca) what steps have been taken as a result of sections 1(1A) and 3(2) of the International Development Act 2002 in pursuing Millennium Development Goal 3,]
 - (d) what progress has been made in promoting untied aid.
- (2) In this section—
- (a) references to “Millennium Development Goals 1 to 7” are to Goals 1 to 7 set out in the Annex to United Nations General Assembly document A/56/326 dated 6th September 2001, entitled “Road map towards the implementation of the United Nations Millennium Declaration: Report of the Secretary General”, as those goals may be amended or modified from time to time,
 - (b) “untied aid” means aid which falls within subsection (3).
- (3) Aid falls within this subsection if—
- (a) it is either not subject to a condition restricting the states from which goods or services may be purchased using the aid, or (if it is subject to such a condition) the states from which goods or services may be purchased using

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the aid include all the member states of the Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development and substantially all states which receive aid from any source, and

- (b) the provider of the aid has, so far as reasonably practicable, secured that there will be no significant impediment in the purchasing process which would have the effect of a narrower restriction than that mentioned in paragraph (a) on the states from which goods or services will be purchased using the aid.

Textual Amendments

- F1** S. 4(1)(ca) inserted (13.5.2014) by [International Development \(Gender Equality\) Act 2014 \(c. 9\)](#), ss. 2, 3(2)

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