



# Charities Act 2011

## 2011 CHAPTER 25

### PART 18

#### MISCELLANEOUS AND SUPPLEMENTARY

#### *Enforcement powers of Commission etc.*

#### **338 Directions of the Commission or person conducting inquiry**

- (1) Any direction given by the Commission under any provision of this Act—
  - (a) may be varied or revoked by a further direction given under that provision, and
  - (b) must be given in writing.
- (2) Sections 336 (enforcement of orders) and 337(1) to (3) and (5) (other provisions as to orders) apply to <sup>F1</sup>a direction of the Commission under any provision of this Act] as they apply to an order of the Commission.
- (3) In subsection (1) the reference to the Commission includes, in relation to a direction under section 47(2) (obtaining evidence etc. for the purposes of an inquiry), a reference to any person conducting an inquiry under section 46.
- (4) Nothing in this section is to be read as applying to any directions contained in an order made by the Commission under section 335(1) (directions for securing that default is made good).

#### **Textual Amendments**

- F1** Words in s. 338(2) substituted (31.10.2022) by [Charities Act 2022 \(c. 6\), ss. 37\(3\), 41\(4\)](#); S.I. 2022/1109, Sch. para. 9(d)

**Changes to legislation:**

Charities Act 2011, Section 338 is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 24 April 2024. There are changes that may be brought into force at a future date. Changes that have been made appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.

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**Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Act associated Parts and Chapters:**

Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Act (including any effects on those provisions):

- s. 106(1)-(1B) substituted for s. 106(1) by [2022 c. 6 s. 16\(a\)](#)
- s. 322(2)(ea) inserted by [2022 c. 6 Sch. 2 para. 26](#)
- s. 331A331B and cross-heading inserted by [2022 c. 6 s. 15](#)