



Human Tissue (Authorisation) (Scotland) Act 2019

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PART 3

AUTHORISATION OF REMOVAL AND USE OF PART OF BODY OF DECEASED PERSON

CHAPTER 4

AUTHORISATIONS: GENERAL

20 Withdrawal by person who is blind or unable to write

- (1) The 2006 Act is amended as follows.
- (2) After section 10C insert—

“10D Withdrawal by person who is blind or unable to write

- (1) This section applies where a person who is blind or unable to write decides to withdraw—
 - (a) an authorisation by virtue of—
 - (i) section 6A(1),
 - (ii) section 6H(5),
 - (iii) section 8A(1),
 - (iv) section 8D(4),
 - (v) section 10(1B),
 - (vi) section 10A(6),
 - (b) a declaration by virtue of—
 - (i) section 6C(1),
 - (ii) section 8C(1).
- (2) The withdrawal may be—
 - (a) in writing by another person, and

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- (b) signed by an adult (a “signatory”).
- (3) A withdrawal that is signed by a signatory must—
 - (a) be witnessed by one witness, and
 - (b) contain a statement made in accordance with subsection (4).
- (4) The statement must—
 - (a) state that the person, in the presence of the signatory and the witness, expressed the intention to withdraw the authorisation or, as the case may be, the declaration,
 - (b) state that the person requested the signatory to sign the withdrawal,
 - (c) be signed by the signatory and the witness in the presence of—
 - (i) each other, and
 - (ii) the person.”.
- (3) In section 6, subsections (3) to (5) are repealed.
- (4) In section 8, subsections (3) to (6) are repealed.

Commencement Information

II [S. 20](#) in force at 26.3.2021 by [S.S.I. 2021/108](#), [reg. 2](#)

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