



Abortion Act 1967

1967 CHAPTER 87

An Act to amend and clarify the law relating to termination of pregnancy by registered medical practitioners. [27th October 1967]

Modifications etc. (not altering text)

- C1 Act: transfer of functions (1.7.1999) by [S.I. 1999/672, art. 2, Sch. 1](#)
- C2 References to Minister of Health to be construed as references to Secretary of State: [S.I. 1969/1688, arts. 2, 3, 5\(4\)\(a\)](#)
- C3 Act modified (temp. 1.4.1991 to 30.4.1991) by [S.I. 1991/480, art. 3\(3\)-\(5\)](#)

Commencement Information

- I1 Act wholly in force 27.4.1968 see [s. 7\(2\)](#)

Changes to legislation:

Abortion Act 1967, Introductory Text is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 01 May 2023. 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.