



# Human Fertilisation and Embryology (Deceased Fathers) Act 2003

## CHAPTER 24

### HUMAN FERTILISATION AND EMBRYOLOGY (DECEASED FATHERS) ACT 2003

- 1 Certain deceased men to be registered as fathers
- 2 Consequential and supplementary provision
- 3 Retrospective, transitional and transitory provision
- 4 Short title, commencement and extent

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#### Schedule — Consequential amendments

##### *Births and Deaths Registration Act 1953 (c. 20)*

- 1 After section 9(4) of the Births and Deaths Registration Act...
- 2 In section 10(1) of that Act (registration of father where...
- 3 After section 10 of that Act there shall be inserted—...
- 4 After “or” at the end of section 10A(1)(f) of that...
- 5 After section 10A(2)(b) of that Act (persons to sign register...

##### *Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages (Scotland) Act 1965 (c. 49)*

- 6 In section 18 of the Registration of Births, Deaths and...
- 7 After section 18 of that Act there shall be inserted—...

##### *Births and Deaths Registration (Northern Ireland) Order 1976 (S.I. 1976/1041 (N.I.14))*

- 8 In Article 14(1) of the Births and Deaths Registration (Northern...
- 9 After Article 14 of that Order there shall be inserted—...

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- 10 In Article 18 of that Order (re-registration of births) at...

*Adoption (Scotland) Act 1978 (c. 28)*

- 11 In section 15(3)(a) of the Adoption (Scotland) Act 1978 (adoption...

*Adoption (Northern Ireland) Order 1987 (S.I. 1987/2203 (N.I.22))*

- 12 In Article 15(3)(a) of the Adoption (Northern Ireland) Order 1987...

*Human Fertilisation and Embryology Act 1990 (c. 37)*

- 13 In section 28 of the Human Fertilisation and Embryology Act...

- 14 In section 28(6) of that Act (man whose sperm was...

- 15 In section 28(7) of that Act (meaning of references to...

- 16 In section 29(4) of that Act (succession to dignities etc.)...

- 17 In section 30(9)(b) of that Act (power to make regulations...

*Adoption and Children Act 2002 (c. 38)*

- 18 In section 51(4)(b) of the Adoption and Children Act 2002...

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