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PART 2

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NICE recommendations: appeals

- **9.**—(1) A person aggrieved by a recommendation described in paragraph (2) may bring an appeal against the recommendation on grounds described in paragraph (3).
 - (2) A recommendation against which an appeal may be brought is—
 - (a) a technology appraisal recommendation, or
 - (b) a highly specialised technology recommendation.
 - (3) The grounds on which an appeal may be brought are that—
 - (a) in making the assessment that preceded the recommendation, NICE—
 - (i) failed to act fairly, or
 - (ii) exceeded its powers; or
 - (b) the recommendation is unreasonable in the light of the evidence submitted to NICE.