



Mental Health (Care and Treatment) (Scotland) Act 2003

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PART 9

COMPULSION ORDERS

CHAPTER 2

REVIEW OF COMPULSION ORDERS

Reference to Tribunal by Commission

162 Commission's power to make reference to Tribunal

- (1) This section applies where a patient is subject to a relevant compulsion order.
- (2) If it appears to the Commission that it is appropriate to do so, it may make a reference to the Tribunal in respect of the compulsion order to which the patient is subject.
- (3) Where a reference is to be made under subsection (2) above, the Commission shall, as soon as practicable, give notice that a reference is to be made to—
 - (a) the patient's responsible medical officer; and
 - (b) the persons mentioned in section 157(a) to (e) of this Act.
- (4) A reference under subsection (2) above shall state—
 - (a) the name and address of the patient;
 - (b) the name and address of the patient's named person; and
 - (c) the reason for making the reference.

Commencement Information

- II** S. 162 in force at 5.10.2005 by [S.S.I. 2005/161](#), [art. 3](#) (as substituted (1.7.2005) by [S.S.I. 2005/375](#), art. 2 and as amended (22.9.2005) by [S.S.I. 2005/459](#), art. 2)

Changes to legislation:

Mental Health (Care and Treatment) (Scotland) Act 2003, Cross Heading: Reference to Tribunal by Commission is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 25 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.

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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. 64(8A)(8B) inserted by [2015 asp 9 s. 1\(2\)](#)
- s. 65(7) inserted by [2015 asp 9 s. 1\(3\)](#)