

# National Health Service Reform (Scotland) Act 2004 2004 asp 7

#### PART 1

ORGANISATION AND OPERATION OF NATIONAL HEALTH SERVICE

Equal opportunities

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After section 2C of the 1978 Act insert—

#### "2D Equal opportunities

- (1) Health Boards, Special Health Boards and the Agency must discharge their functions in a manner that encourages equal opportunities and in particular the observance of the equal opportunity requirements.
- (2) In this section "equal opportunities" and "equal opportunity requirements" have the same meaning as in Section L2 (equal opportunities) of Part II of Schedule 5 to the Scotland Act 1998 (c. 46)."

#### **Commencement Information**

I1 S. 4 in force at 30.9.2004 by S.S.I. 2004/361, art. 2(b)(i)

## **Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the National Health Service Reform (Scotland) Act 2004, Cross Heading: Equal opportunities.