

## 2016 CHAPTER 14

## PART 2

## **COMPLAINTS AGAINST BARRISTERS**

Bar Complaints Committee

#### **PROSPECTIVE**

## **Jurisdiction of the Bar Complaints Committee**

- 13.—(1) A complaint which relates to an act or omission of a barrister ("the respondent") in the course of providing professional services is within the jurisdiction of the Bar Complaints Committee if—
  - (a) the complaint is not excluded from the jurisdiction of the Committee by section 14; and
  - (b) the complainant is within section 15 and wishes to have the complaint dealt with by the Committee.
- (2) The right of a person to make a complaint to the Bar Complaints Committee, and the jurisdiction of the Committee to investigate, consider and determine a complaint, may not be limited or excluded by any contract term.

## **Status:**

This version of this provision is prospective.

# **Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Legal Complaints and Regulation Act (Northern Ireland) 2016, Section 13.