

## SCHEDULES

### SCHEDULE 2

#### ENFORCEMENT AND PROCEDURE

#### PART II

#### DISCRIMINATION IN FURTHER AND HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS

##### *Evidence*

7.—(1) In any proceedings under Article 31, a certificate signed by or on behalf of a Minister of the Crown or a Northern Ireland department and certifying that any conditions or requirements specified in the certificate—

- (a) were imposed by that Minister or that department (as the case may be), and
- (b) were in operation at a time or throughout a time so specified,

is conclusive evidence of the matters certified.

(2) A document purporting to be such a certificate is to be—

- (a) received in evidence; and
- (b) deemed to be such a certificate unless the contrary is proved.

**Changes to legislation:**

The Special Educational Needs and Disability (Northern Ireland) Order 2005, Cross Heading:  
Evidence is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 18 October 2022. 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 Order associated Parts and Chapters:**

Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Order (including any effects on those provisions):

- art. 22(1)(i)-(ii) substituted for words by [2016 c. 8 \(N.I.\) s. 12\(1\)](#)