

# Employment Act 1988

## **1988 CHAPTER 19**

### PART II

### EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING

## 27 Amendment of the Social Security Act 1975 with respect to the refusal of training etc.

- (1) Section 20 of the <sup>M1</sup>Social Security Act 1975 (disqualification of certain persons for receiving unemployment benefit) shall be amended as follows.
- (2) In subsection (1), for paragraph (e) there shall be substituted the following paragraphs—
  - "(e) he has lost his place on an approved training scheme through his misconduct, or has voluntarily left such a place without good cause;
  - (f) after a place on an approved training scheme has been properly notified to him as vacant or about to become vacant, he has without good cause refused or failed to apply for that place or refused to accept that place when offered to him; or
  - (g) he has neglected to avail himself of a reasonable opportunity of a place on an approved training scheme."
- (3) In subsection (5)—
  - (a) in paragraph (a), for the words ", means notified by" there shall be substituted the words "and (f), means notified by the Secretary of State,"; and
  - (b) after paragraph (b) there shall be inserted the following paragraph—
    - "(ba) "approved training scheme", in subsection (1)(e), (f) and (g), means a scheme under which persons—
      - (i) are trained for employment; or
      - (ii) acquire work-experience for the purpose of becoming or keeping fit for entry to or return to regular employment,

and which is approved by the Secretary of State for the purposes of this section."

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### Status:

Point in time view as at 01/02/1991. This version of this provision has been superseded.

#### Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Employment Act 1988, Section 27.