



# Human Fertilisation and Embryology Act 1990

## 1990 CHAPTER 37

### *[<sup>F1</sup>Mitochondrial donation*

#### Textual Amendments

- F1** S. 35A and cross-heading inserted (1.10.2009 for specified purposes, 6.4.2010 in so far as not already in force) by [Human Fertilisation and Embryology Act 2008 \(c. 22\)](#), **ss. 26, 68(2)**; [S.I. 2009/2232, art. 2\(m\)](#); [S.I. 2010/987, art. 2\(b\)](#)

#### **35A Mitochondrial donation**

- (1) Regulations may provide for any of the relevant provisions to have effect subject to specified modifications in relation to cases where—
- (a) an egg which is a permitted egg for the purposes of section 3(2) by virtue of regulations made under section 3ZA(5), or
  - (b) an embryo which is a permitted embryo for those purposes by virtue of such regulations,
- has been created from material provided by two women.
- (2) In this section “the relevant provisions” means—
- (a) the following provisions of this Act—
    - (i) section 13(6C) (information whose provision to prospective parents is required by licence condition),
    - (ii) section 31 (register of information),
    - (iii) sections 31ZA to 31ZE (provision of information), and
    - (iv) Schedule 3 (consents to use or storage of gametes, embryos or human admixed embryos etc.), and
  - (b) [<sup>F2</sup>sections 54 and 54A] of the Human Fertilisation and Embryology Act 2008 (parental orders).]

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#### Textual Amendments

- F2** Words in [s. 35A\(2\)\(b\)](#) substituted (3.1.2019) by [The Human Fertilisation and Embryology Act 2008 \(Remedial\) Order 2018 \(S.I. 2018/1413\)](#), art. 1(1), [Sch. 1 para. 4\(3\)](#)

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