



International Development Act 2002

2002 CHAPTER 1

PART 1

ASSISTANCE

Provision of assistance

3 Humanitarian assistance

[^{F1}(1)] The Secretary of State may provide any person or body with assistance for the purpose of alleviating the effects of a natural or man-made disaster or other emergency on the population of one or more countries outside the United Kingdom.

[^{F2}(2) Before providing assistance under subsection (1), the Secretary of State shall have regard to the desirability of providing assistance under that subsection in a way that takes account of any gender-related differences in the needs of those affected by the disaster or emergency.]

Textual Amendments

- F1** S. 3(1): s. 3 renumbered as s. 3(1) (13.5.2014) by [International Development \(Gender Equality\) Act 2014 \(c. 9\)](#), **ss. 1(3), 3(2)** (with s. 1(4))
- F2** S. 3(2) inserted (13.5.2014) by [International Development \(Gender Equality\) Act 2014 \(c. 9\)](#), **ss. 1(3), 3(2)** (with s. 1(4))

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the International Development Act 2002, Section 3.