

Crime and Security Act 2010

2010 CHAPTER 17

Compensation of victims of overseas terrorism

47 Introductory

- (1) The Secretary of State may make arrangements for making payments to, or in respect of, persons who are injured as a result of an act designated under subsection (2).
- (2) The Secretary of State may designate an act under this subsection if—
 - (a) it took place outside the United Kingdom,
 - (b) it took place on or after 18 January 2010,
 - (c) in the view of the Secretary of State the act constitutes terrorism within the meaning of the Terrorism Act 2000 (see section 1 of that Act), and
 - (d) having regard to all the circumstances, the Secretary of State considers that it would be appropriate to designate it.
- (3) Nothing in this section affects any power of the Secretary of State to make payments to, or in respect of, persons who are injured as a result of terrorism outside the United Kingdom.
- (4) In sections 47 to 54, "injury" includes fatal injury (and "injured" is to be construed accordingly).