



Charities Act 2011

2011 CHAPTER 25

PART 12

INCORPORATION OF CHARITY TRUSTEES

Application procedure

256 Applications for incorporation

- (1) Every application to the Commission for a certificate of incorporation under this Part must be—
 - (a) in writing and signed by the charity trustees of the charity concerned, and
 - (b) accompanied by such documents or information as the Commission may require for the purpose of the application.
- (2) The Commission may require—
 - (a) any statement contained in any such application, or
 - (b) any document or information supplied under subsection (1)(b),to be verified in such manner as it may specify.

Changes to legislation:

Charities Act 2011, Section 256 is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 07 April 2024. 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 Act associated Parts and Chapters:

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

- s. 106(1)-(1B) substituted for s. 106(1) by [2022 c. 6 s. 16\(a\)](#)
- s. 322(2)(ea) inserted by [2022 c. 6 Sch. 2 para. 26](#)
- s. 331A331B and cross-heading inserted by [2022 c. 6 s. 15](#)