



# Coronavirus Act 2020

## 2020 CHAPTER 7

### PART 1

#### MAIN PROVISIONS

#### *Disclosure: Scotland*

#### **34 Temporary disapplication of disclosure offences: Scotland**

- (1) The Scottish Ministers may issue a direction that disapplies or modifies—
  - (a) section 35 of the 2007 Act (organisations not to use barred individuals for regulated work);
  - (b) section 36 of the 2007 Act (personnel suppliers not to supply barred individuals for regulated work).
- (2) In this section and section 35, “the 2007 Act” means the Protection of Vulnerable Groups (Scotland) Act 2007 ([asp 14](#)).
- (3) A direction under subsection (1)—
  - (a) may be of general application or specify particular persons or descriptions of persons to whom the direction applies;
  - (b) may be framed by reference to particular kinds of regulated work with children or protected adults (within the meaning of section 91 of the 2007 Act);
  - (c) may be framed by reference to any other matters the Scottish Ministers consider appropriate;
  - (d) may make different provision for different purposes;
  - (e) may make such other provision as the Scottish Ministers consider appropriate in connection with the giving of the direction.
- (4) The Scottish Ministers must publish a direction under subsection (1).
- (5) A direction under subsection (1) has effect—
  - (a) for the period specified in the direction, or

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- (b) until revoked by a further direction under that subsection.