
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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The Race Relations (Northern Ireland) Order 1997

PART II

DISCRIMINATION IN THE EMPLOYMENT FIELD

Discrimination by other bodies

Qualifying bodies

14.—(1) It is unlawful for an authority or body which can confer an authorisation or qualification which is needed for, or facilitates, engagement in a particular profession or trade to discriminate against a person—

- (a) in the terms on which it is prepared to confer on him that authorisation or qualification; or
- (b) by refusing, or deliberately omitting to grant, his application for it; or
- (c) by withdrawing it from him or varying the terms on which he holds it.

(2) In this Article—

- (a) “authorisation or qualification” includes recognition, registration, enrolment, approval and certification;
- (b) “confer” includes renew or extend.

(3) Paragraph (1) does not apply to discrimination which is rendered unlawful by Article 18 or 19.