



Greater London Authority Act 2007

2007 CHAPTER 24

PART 4

HEALTH

Reduction of health inequalities

23 The general power of the Authority: duty to have regard

- (1) Section 30 of the GLA Act 1999 (the general power of the Authority) is amended as follows.
- (2) In subsection (4) (exercise of powers: duty to have regard to effect on health of persons in Greater London etc)—
 - (a) in the opening words, after “would have on” insert “ each of the following ”;
 - (b) for the word “and” at the end of paragraph (a) substitute the following paragraph—
 - “(aa) health inequalities between persons living in Greater London;”.
- (3) In subsection (5) (duty to exercise powers in ways best calculated to achieve certain objectives)—
 - (a) for the word “and” at the end of paragraph (a) substitute the following paragraph—
 - “(aa) to promote the reduction of health inequalities between persons living in Greater London, and”;
 - (b) in the closing words (exception where action needed by virtue of paragraph (a) or (b) is not reasonably practicable) after “paragraph (a)” insert “, (aa) ”.
- (4) After subsection (6) insert—
 - “(6A) In subsection (5)(aa) above, the reference to promoting the reduction of health inequalities includes a reference to mitigating any increase in health

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inequalities which would otherwise be occasioned by the exercise of the power.”.

Commencement Information

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