



# Data Protection Act 2018

## 2018 CHAPTER 12

### PART 3

#### LAW ENFORCEMENT PROCESSING

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#### RIGHTS OF THE DATA SUBJECT

#### *Automated individual decision-making*

#### **49 Right not to be subject to automated decision-making**

- (1) A controller may not take a significant decision based solely on automated processing unless that decision is required or authorised by law.
- (2) A decision is a “significant decision” for the purpose of this section if, in relation to a data subject, it—
  - (a) produces an adverse legal effect concerning the data subject, or
  - (b) significantly affects the data subject.