



NEWS REPORT

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Title: Amendments to the Equal Treatment Act
Country: Estonia

Context

Issue at stake: Few amendments to equality legislation (concerning an equality body)

Ground of discrimination: all grounds

Source: law

Field: all fields

Content

Case/law/political development: On 23 October 2009 a few amendments to the Equal Treatment Act came into force. Most importantly, the provisions regarding shift of the burden of proof are now applicable to procedures before the Commissioner for Gender Equality and Equal Treatment (national Equality body). Some other procedures before the Commissioner were clarified as well.

Internet link source and additional information:

<https://www.riigiteataja.ee/ert/act.jsp?id=13222868>

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