STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

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## **SEXUAL ORIENTATION DISCRIMINATION**

Employment Equality (Sexual Orientation) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2003

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*1st December 2003 2nd December 2003* 

The Office of the First Minister and deputy First Minister, being a Department designated for the purposes of section 2(2) of the European Communities Act 1972(1) in relation to discrimination(2), in exercise of the powers conferred on it by that section, and of every other power enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following Regulations:

<sup>(1) 1972</sup> c. 68

<sup>(2)</sup> See the European Communities (Designation) (No. 3) Order 2002 (S.I.2002/1819)