

# Historical Institutional Abuse (Northern Ireland) Act 2019

#### **2019 CHAPTER 31**

#### PART 1

THE HISTORICAL INSTITUTIONAL ABUSE REDRESS BOARD

#### Determination of application

### **8** Appointment of panel

- (1) An application for compensation under this Part is to be determined on behalf of the Board by a panel appointed by the President of the Board.
- (2) A panel appointed under this section is to consist of—
  - (a) one judicial member of the Board, who is to be the chair of the panel, and
  - (b) two other members of the Board, neither of whom is a judicial member.
- (3) The panel must determine—
  - (a) whether compensation should be awarded on the application, and
  - (b) if so, the amount of compensation that should be awarded.
- (4) A panel appointed under section 6(2) may determine any application which it agreed to receive under that provision (as well as any other application for compensation under this Part); and, where it does so, the panel is to be treated for the purposes of this Act as if it had been appointed under this section.

#### **Commencement Information**

II S. 8 in force at 27.3.2020 by S.R. 2020/48, art. 2(a)

## **Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Historical Institutional Abuse (Northern Ireland) Act 2019, Section 8.