

# Geneva Conventions Act 1957

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Prevention of abuse of Red Cross and other emblems

### [<sup>F1</sup>6A Regulations.

(1) The Secretary of State may make regulations—

- (a) granting the authority of the Secretary of State for the purposes of subsection (1) or (2) of section 6 of this Act to persons of any description prescribed in the regulations for the use of any emblem, designation, sign, signal, design or wording referred to in those subsections;
- (b) making such provision as he may think appropriate for regulating the use for the purposes of any of the scheduled conventions, the first protocol [<sup>F2</sup>, the second protocol or the third protocol ]of any emblem, designation, sign or signal;

and any authority granted by regulations under paragraph (a) of this subsection may be subject to such limitations and conditions as may be prescribed in the regulations.

- (2) Paragraph (a) of the foregoing subsection is without prejudice to the Secretary of State's power to give his authority under subsection (1) or (2) of section 6 of this Act otherwise than by regulations under this section.
- (3) The power to make regulations under this section shall be exercisable by statutory instrument which shall be subject to annulment in pursuance of a resolution of either House of Parliament.]

#### **Textual Amendments**

- F1 S. 6A inserted (20.7.1998) by 1995 c. 27, s. 3; S.I. 1998/1505, art. 2
- F2 Words in s. 6A(1)(b) substituted (5.4.2010) by Geneva Conventions and United Nations Personnel (Protocols) Act 2009 (c. 6), ss. 1(6), 3(1); S.I. 2009/2892, art. 2

## Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Geneva Conventions Act 1957, Section 6A.