



# Railways and Transport Safety Act 2003

## 2003 CHAPTER 20

### PART 1 **U.K.**

#### INVESTIGATION OF RAILWAY ACCIDENTS

##### *The Rail Accident Investigation Branch*

### 3 **Establishment** **U.K.**

- (1) The Secretary of State shall appoint persons as inspectors of rail accidents.
- (2) The Secretary of State shall appoint one of the inspectors as the Chief Inspector of Rail Accidents.
- (3) The inspectors appointed under this section may be referred to as the Rail Accident Investigation Branch (being a branch of the department of the Secretary of State who appoints them).
- (4) An inspector of rail accidents shall carry out such of the functions of the Rail Accident Investigation Branch as may be assigned to him by the Chief Inspector of Rail Accidents.

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#### **Commencement Information**

**II** S. 3 in force at 17.10.2005 by S.I. 2005/1991, art. 2(1)(2)(iii)

**Status:**

Point in time view as at 16/01/2012.

**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Railways and Transport Safety Act 2003, Section 3.