



Holocaust (Return of Cultural Objects) Act 2009

2009 CHAPTER 16

2 Power to return victims' property **E+W+S**

- (1) A body to which this Act applies may transfer an object from its collections if the following conditions are met.
- (2) Condition 1 is that the Advisory Panel has recommended the transfer.
- (3) Condition 2 is that the Secretary of State has approved the Advisory Panel's recommendation.
- (4) The Secretary of State may approve a recommendation for the transfer of an object from the collections of a Scottish body only with the consent of the Scottish Ministers.
- (5) “Scottish body” means—
 - The Board of Trustees for the National Galleries of Scotland,
 - [^{F1}The National Library of Scotland],
 - The Board of Trustees of the National Museums of Scotland.
- (6) The power conferred by subsection (1) does not affect any trust or condition subject to which any object is held.
- (7) The power conferred by subsection (1) is an additional power.

Textual Amendments

- F1** Words in s. 2(5) substituted (1.2.2013) by [National Library of Scotland Act 2012 \(asp 3\)](#), s. 12(3), [Sch. 2 para. 8\(b\)](#); [S.S.I. 2013/1](#), art. 2

Commencement Information

- I1** S. 2 in force at 13.1.2010 by [S.I. 2010/50](#), art. 2

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Holocaust (Return of Cultural Objects) Act 2009, Section 2.