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## STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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# 2005 No. 1541

## The Regulatory Reform (Fire Safety) Order 2005

### PART 5

#### MISCELLANEOUS

##### **Civil liability for breach of statutory duty**

**39.**—(1) Subject to paragraph (2), nothing in this Order is to be construed as conferring a right of action in any civil proceedings (other than proceedings for recovery of a fine).

(2) Notwithstanding section 86 of the Fires Prevention (Metropolis) Act 1774, breach of a duty imposed on an employer by or under this Order, so far as it causes damage to an employee, confers a right of action on that employee in civil proceedings.

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