

**RACE RELATIONS ACT 1976**

**SECTION 19D MINISTERIAL AUTHORISATION**

**Race Relations (Immigration and Asylum) (Language Analysis) (Afghan)  
Authorisation 2009**

Made	2009
Coming into operation	2009

I make the following authorisation under section 19D(3)(a) of the Race Relations Act 1976<sup>1</sup>:

**Citation and coming into operation**

1. This authorisation may be cited as the Race Relations (Immigration and Asylum) (Language Analysis) (Afghan) Authorisation 2009 and shall come into operation on 9 April 2009.

**Language analysis of asylum claimants**

2. Where a person who claims to be a national of Afghanistan makes a claim for asylum, an immigration officer or the Secretary of State may request that person to submit to language analysis and may take into account any refusal to submit to such analysis when determining whether the person has assisted in establishing the facts of his case.

**Duration**

3. This authorisation shall remain in force until April 2010.

Home Office

Phil Woolas

April 2009

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<sup>1</sup> 1976 c.74. Section 19D was inserted by section 1 of the Race Relations (Amendment) Act 2000 (c.34).