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# **Learning Aim F - F2 - Legal issues**

# **Computer Misuse Act 1990**

- What is the Computer Misuse Act? WiseGeek Teach-ICT
- What does the Computer Misuse Act do? What is its purpose? Why has it been introduced and what does it help organisations tackle? DocGold
- Summarise briefly (with screen-shots) each of the three main offences covered by the Act and what each one means? – <u>Teach-ICT</u>
- What can hackers create to help hack into a system or network easily? <u>Duke</u> University
- How might this legislation reduce the act of 'hacking'? <u>SQA</u>

# Police and Justice Act 2006 (Computer Misuse)

https://www.legislation.gov.uk/ukpga/2006/48/part/5/crossheading/computer-misuse

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Police\_and\_Justice\_Act\_2006

https://www.theregister.co.uk/2008/09/30/uk\_cybercrime\_overhaul/

# Copyright, Designs and Patents Act 1988

http://www.teach-

ict.com/as a2 ict new/ocr/AS G061/317 role impact ict/copyright designs patents a ct/miniweb/index.htm

https://www.copyrightservice.co.uk/copyright/uk\_law\_summary

https://www.bbc.com/bitesize/guides/zhd7hyc/revision/1

- What is Copyright legislation? <u>UKCS DACS</u>
- What does Copyright legislation do? What is its purpose? How does it affect ecommerce websites? - CLA BBC EKM
- What must a business running an e-commerce website ensure that it does not infringe this law - <u>UKWDA</u>

The Copyright (Computer Programs) Regulations 1992

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https://www.sqa.org.uk/e-learning/EComm04CD/page\_43.htm

https://slideplayer.com/slide/7718540/

https://www.westsussex.gov.uk/media/2351/copyright\_designs\_and\_patents.pdf

# The Health and Safety (Display Screen Equipment) Regulations 1992

http://www.hse.gov.uk/msd/dse/

http://www.firstpracticemanagement.co.uk/health-and-safety-guidance/the-health-and-safety-display-screen-equipment-regulations-1992-as-amended-in-2002/

https://www.compactlaw.co.uk/free-legal-articles/display-screen-equipment-regs-1992.html

http://www.legislation.gov.uk/uksi/1992/2792/contents/made

#### **Data Protection Act 1998**

- What is the Data Protection Act BBC ICO Get Safe Online
- What does this legislation protect? BBC WebWise
- What are data subjects and what rights have they been given? Belb
- Summarise briefly (with screen shots) each of the eight principles that your retail ecommerce website needs to adhere to, particularly when storing users' personal information & details - ICO
- What must companies do to when it intends to ask for personal information & sharing this with third parties? University of Surrey

#### **Consumer Rights Act 2015**

https://www.which.co.uk/consumer-rights/regulation/consumer-rights-act

https://www.citizensadvice.org.uk/about-us/how-citizens-advice-works/citizens-advice-consumer-work/the-consumer-rights-act-2015/

https://www.bbc.co.uk/news/business-34410782

#### Disability Discrimination Acts 1995 and 2005

https://www.rnib.org.uk/information-everyday-living-your-rights/disability-discrimination-act-dda

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https://www.nidirect.gov.uk/articles/protection-against-disability-discrimination

https://www.nidirect.gov.uk/articles/your-rights-if-you-have-disability

http://www.politics.co.uk/reference/disability-discrimination

# **Equality Act 2010**

https://www.equalityhumanrights.com/en/equality-act-2010/what-equality-act

https://www.citizensadvice.org.uk/law-and-courts/discrimination/about-discrimination/equality-act-2010-discrimination-and-your-rights/

https://www.peoplefirstinfo.org.uk/money-and-legal/legal/equality-act-2010/

# British Standards Institute (BSI) codes of practice

https://www.bsigroup.com/en-GB/about-bsi/media-centre/press-releases/2009/3/BSI-British-Standards-publishes-Code-of-Practice-on-Accessible-Buildings/

https://www.designingbuildings.co.uk/wiki/British\_Standards\_Institution\_BSI

# Open Accessibility Framework (OAF)

http://www.aegis-

project.eu/index.php?option=com\_content&view=article&id=176&Itemid=73

https://acecentre.org.uk/project/aegis/

https://ec.europa.eu/digital-single-market/en/news/first-aegis-open-accessibility-everywhere-groundwork-infrastructure-standards-projects-user

# Web Content Accessibility Guidelines (WCAG) 1.0 and 2.0 World Wide Web Consortium (W3C®)

https://www.w3.org/WAI/standards-guidelines/wcag/

https://www.wuhcag.com/web-content-accessibility-guidelines/

https://webaim.org/standards/wcag/