

Older Persons Act, 2006

ACT NO.	13 of 2006
CATEGORY	Family & Social

Summary

Protects the rights of older persons, regulates community-based care and prohibits abuse.

Full text of the Act

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to deal effectively with the plight of older persons by establishing a framework aimed at the empowerment and protection of older persons and at the promotion and maintenance of their status, rights, well-being, safety and security; and

to provide for matters connected therewith.

Commencement

1 April 2010 (Gazette 33075 of 1 April 2010)

Amended by

Older Persons Amendment Act 1 of 2025 (to be proclaimed)

Repeals

Aged Persons Amendment Act 100 of 1998 [repealed]

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