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M. AMOS, *Human Rights Law*, Hart Publishing, 2014, 705 pp., ISBN: 978-1-84946-380-5

In *Human Rights Law*, Merris Amos provides an expert and detailed analysis of the United Kingdom's Human Rights Act of 1998. As a dedicated researcher and academic specialized in human rights, with years of experience, Amos' examination of the 1998 Human Rights Act provides a balanced account of the most controversial elements that encompass such a delicate topic. By providing an in-depth background to the Act, and later on centering her analysis around key concepts such as the right to life, to liberty and security, fair trial, freedom of thought, conscience and religion, this second edition becomes an invaluable tool for the clear understanding of the application of the Human Rights Act within the United Kingdom. Amos separates her arguments in two parts, a book structure that allows her to deliver the nature, framework, and approaches of the Act and later on, in the second part, to examine specific articles, definitions, and cases. Furthermore, this academic work offers an outlook into the judicial proceedings that have surrounded the Human Rights Act, its origins, relationship with the European Court of Human Rights, as well as its benefits and burdens in the context of English law.

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As editor Dia Anagnostou correctly points out in her introductory chapter, the role of minorities and other marginalized members of society participating in rights-based legal action has been largely under-studied in the European context. This volume seeks to ad-