


..trans but also it protects trans women and men from discrimination because of their sex or perceived sex. This isn't something uniquely trans related. BAME people are also multiply protected from either racial or sexual discrimination. Same

with disabled people. And on and on..

..It's really not rocket science for anyone who's actually read the legislation or the guidance rather than falling hook line and sinker for the fantasy notion of what the law does. Can we have debates in Britain on the facts rather than popular fantasies please?

Another addendum: The architects of the SDA 1975 had intended transsexual people to be within the law's protection from the outset. Baroness Summerskill (I think it was) explicitly confirmed that when questioned on the point in Parliamentary Committee. It was lawyers acting..

..for scummy employers (White v British Sugar) who gave rise to a case law interpretation that a trans woman/man wasn't protected if a trans man/woman would have been treated in the same way. This was why the law's interpretation eventually had to be challenged and why specific..

..protection was added in 1999. [@threadreaderapp](#) unroll please