



# Act of Settlement (1700)

1700 CHAPTER 2 12 and 13 Will 3

## II The Persons inheritable by this Act, holding Communion with the Church of Rome, incapacitated as by the former Act; to take the Oath at their Coronation, according to Stat. 1 W. & M. c. 6. **E+W**

Provided always and it is hereby enacted That all and every Person and Persons who shall or may take or inherit the said Crown by vertue of the Limitation of this present Act and is are or shall be reconciled to or shall hold Communion with the See or Church of Rome or shall profess the Popish Religion <sup>F1</sup>... shall be subject to such Incapacities as in such Case or Cases are by the said recited Act provided enacted and established And that every King and Queen of this Realm who shall come to and succeed in the Imperiall Crown of this Kingdom by vertue of this Act shall have the Coronation Oath administred to him her or them at their respective Coronations according to the Act of Parliament made in the First Year of the Reign of His Majesty and the said late Queen Mary intituled An Act for establishing the Coronation Oath and shall make subscribe and repeat the Declaration in the Act first above recited mentioned or referred to in the Manner and Form thereby prescribed

### Textual Amendments

**F1** Words in s. 2 omitted (26.3.2015) by virtue of [Succession to the Crown Act 2013 \(c. 20\), s. 5\(2\), Sch. para. 3\(b\)](#) (with [Sch. para. 5](#)); [S.I. 2015/894, art. 2](#)

### Modifications etc. (not altering text)

**C1** S. 2 amended by [Accession Declaration Act 1910 \(c. 29\), s. 1](#)

**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Act of Settlement (1700), Section II.