



# Prohibition of Female Genital Mutilation (Scotland) Act 2005

## 2005 asp 8

### 6 Definitions

In this Act—

“United Kingdom national” is an individual who is—

- (a) a British citizen, a British overseas territories citizen, a British National (Overseas) or a British Overseas citizen;
- (b) a person who under the British Nationality Act 1981 (c. 61) is a British subject; or
- (c) a British protected person within the meaning of that Act;

[<sup>F1</sup>“United Kingdom resident” is an individual who is habitually resident in the United Kingdom.]

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#### Textual Amendments

- F1** Words in s. 6 substituted (3.5.2015) by [Serious Crime Act 2015 \(c. 9\)](#), [ss. 70\(2\)\(c\)](#), 88(4) (with [s. 86\(10\)](#))

**Changes to legislation:**

Prohibition of Female Genital Mutilation (Scotland) Act 2005, Section 6 is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 26 May 2023. There are changes that may be brought into force at a future date. Changes that have been made appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.

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**Changes and effects yet to be applied to :**

- s. 6 words inserted by [2020 asp 9 s. 5](#)

**Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Act associated Parts and Chapters:**

Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Act (including any effects on those provisions):

- s. 5S inserted by [2020 asp 9 s. 2](#)
- s. 5T inserted by [2020 asp 9 s. 3](#)
- s. 7A inserted by [2020 asp 9 s. 6](#)
- s. 7B inserted by [2020 asp 9 s. 7](#)