



Local Electoral Administration and Registration Services (Scotland) Act 2006

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PART 2

REGISTRATION SERVICES

Reorganisation of local registration services

37 Registration districts and authorities

- (1) The 1965 Act is amended in accordance with subsections (2) to (6).
- (2) For section 5 (registration districts and authorities) there is substituted—

“5 Registration districts and local registration authorities

- (1) For the purposes of this Act, the area of each local authority shall be a registration district.
 - (2) There shall be a local registration authority for each registration district.
 - (3) The local registration authority for a registration district shall be the local authority whose area comprises that district.”
- (3) Section 6 (alteration of registration districts) is repealed.
 - (4) In section 7 (senior and district registrars and other staff)—
 - (a) in subsection (1), for “each registration district in their area” there is substituted “their registration district”;
 - (b) in subsection (1)(a), for “any registration district in their area” there is substituted “their registration district”;
 - (c) in subsection (1)(c), for “any registration district in their area” there is substituted “their registration district”;
 - (d) in subsection (8), for “any”, where first occurring, there is substituted “their”;and

- (e) in subsection (11)(a), the words “or in a scheme under the last foregoing section” and “or of any such scheme” are repealed.
- (5) In section 8 (registration offices)—
- (a) in subsection (1), for “each registration district in their area” there is substituted “their registration district”; and
 - (b) in subsection (4)—
 - (i) for “each registration district in their area” there is substituted “their registration district”;
 - (ii) for “the office” there is substituted “those premises”; and
 - (iii) for “the last foregoing subsection” there is substituted “subsection (3) above”.
- (6) In section 9(1) (provision of area repositories), for “area” there is substituted “registration district”.